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EXPERIENCE

- **Simon Fraser University (SFU)** Burnaby, CA
Research and Teaching Assistant *Sep 2020 - Dec 2022 (2 years)*
 - Led a research paper on testing and debugging asynchronous programs.
 - Developed a VSCode extension to integrate our approach into a coding environment.
- **CSIL Exam Scheduler - SFU** Burnaby, CA
Web Developer - Contract Job *Jun 2021 - Sep 2021 (4 months)*
 - Implemented web server and web client of SFU CSIL in-lab test scheduling automation using Node.js, PostgreSQL, and EJS.
- **Yektanet - Digital Advertising Platform (Link)** Tehran, IR
Software Engineer *Dec 2019 - Dec 2020 (1 year)*
 - Scaled, redesigned, and refactored push notification advertising microservice from 5M to 100M daily push notifications, resulting in 15x revenue increase in 1 year.
 - Architected large scale databases (40M+ users, 20+ tables in PostgreSQL) and Redis pipelines to optimize and reduce average query time by 80% for critical, recurring database queries.
 - Stepped up for product management, launch, and release a new feature, aka CPC push advertisement, which led to a 30% revenue growth within a month from first release.
 - Representative for external communication to collaborate with other tech teams and non-technical teams, such as sales, account management and product teams.
 - Set up log management pipelines using ELK stack (Elasticsearch, Logstash, Kibana).
 - Configured and maintained server load monitoring dashboards using Grafana.
 - Interviewed 5 applicants, mentored 3 interns, reviewed 100+ resumes and 100+ technical tasks.
- **Pheebes - Mobile Application Startup** Tehran, IR
Full Stack Web Engineer *Sep 2017 - Nov 2019 (2 years)*
 - Lead backend engineer of Episode mobile app (20k+ users). Developed Episode from scratch using GraphQL and Node.js.
 - Implemented and scaled the backend service of Chizz, a social media web application with autonomous content management and 120k+ monthly active users.
 - Built and shipped Pact Node.js library internally, an inventive mechanism that allowed automatic API generation through predefined schemas.
 - Developed responsive and interactive components for Chizz web client in React.
 - Collaborated with 4 teammates in an agile environment acting as the scrum master.
 - Designed maintainable and scalable databases and caching using MongoDB, Mongoose, and Redis. (30+ collections)
 - Automated testing and deployment of Episode using Docker, Nginx and CI/CD pipelines.
 - Built and organized data analysis and insights dashboards using Metabase to monitor business and product KPIs.

EDUCATION

- **Simon Fraser University** Burnaby, CA
Thesis based Masters in Computer Science; GPA: 3.89 *Sep 2020 - Dec 2022 (expected)*
- **University of Tehran** Tehran, IR
Bachelor of Computer Science; GPA: 3.40 *Sep 2015 - May 2020*

PROJECTS

- **Blogfrog.xyz** Burnaby, CA
A website to randomly discover new blog posts on the internet. *Jul 2022*
- **ganji.blog** Burnaby, CA
My personal website *Mar 2022*
- **SchemaIran Telegram Bot - Freelance Project** Tehran, IR
Developed a Telegram bot for Schemairan clinic to conduct YSQ tests online. Collected 10k+ test results. *Mar 2022*

SKILLS

- **Languages:** Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL, Java, C++, Bash, LaTeX
- **Frameworks:** Node.js/Express.js, React.js, Django, Mongoose, GraphQL
- **Databases:** Relational Databases: PostgreSQL, MySQL, Non-relational Databases: MongoDB, Redis, RabbitMQ
- **Software Knowledge:** Object Oriented Design (OOD), Design Patterns, Distributed Systems, Test-Driven Development (TDD), Data Structures, Algorithms, RESTful API Development, Web development
- **Tools:** Docker, Git, CI/CD, Nginx, Elasticsearch, Logstash, Kibana, Sentry, Grafana, HTML/CSS, JQuery, Figma, Metabase
- **Cloud Infrastructure:** Linux server administration, Amazon AWS, Web Hosting and VPS services
- **Testing:** Unit, integration and end-to-end testing, Mocha, Jest, Tap, JUnit
- **Teamwork:** Agile, Scrum, Kanban, Trello, Notion, Pair Programming, Tech Blogs, Mentoring, Tech Interviews, Documentation