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Jasper Tran O'Leary

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Full-stack software engineer with 7 years of experience building applications for robot programming research.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Computer Science and Engineering
M.S. Computer Science and Engineering
B.A. Computer Science
University of Washington
University of Washington
University of California, Berkeley
Jan 2013 – Dec 2016

<u>GPA</u>: 3.88 (PhD/MS), 3.34 (BA). <u>Selected coursework</u>: algorithms, data structures, operating systems, networks, artificial intelligence, machine learning, graphics, programming language design and implementation.

SKILLS

Fluent: Javascript, Typescript, Python, Unix, Node.js, Git, HTML/CSS, Three.js, Autodesk Fusion 360. Proficient: C, C++, React.js, Arduino, Java, PyTorch, Numpy, Scipy, OpenCV, Rust, SQL, MongoDB. Exposure: Ruby, OCaml, Haskell, WebGL, WebAssembly.

EMPLOYMENT

Graduate Student Researcher University of Washington Sep 20

Sep 2017 – present

- Engineered 4 interactive software systems to help users of digital fabrication tools (e.g., 3D printing, laser cutting, lab automation robotics); published results as 4 papers in CS research journals.
- Pioneered the concept of digital fabrication-as-programming in human-computer interaction research.

Software Engineer

Freelance

May 2021 - Sep 2021

- Refactored a static PDF book catalog with a custom-built searchable library of book curricula.
- Leveraged vanilla Javascript and metaprogramming to implement dynamic functionality within existing Squarespace infrastructure without access to a backend.
- Work done for Hope in a Box, a non-profit for LGBTQ+ inclusive book curricula in public schools.
- Leveraged knowledge in Javascript, Google Sheets API, Git, and Github Actions.

Research Intern Adobe

Feb 2017 – Sep 2017

- Prototyped a web-based UI design application that featured within-canvas graphical version control.
- Demonstrated in an experiment that use of the prototype correlated with increased confidence and recall in discussing previous design decisions compared to a baseline UI design tool.
- Published results in a CS journal (doi:10.1145/3173574.3174109) and as a patent (US10896161B2).
- Leveraged knowledge in Javascript, Meteor.js, and Git.

PROJECTS

Personal Website: jasperoleary.com (for additional information, projects, and publications)

Library for Fabrication Machine Control within Computation Notebooks ("Imprimer")

- Developed an open source library to enable computational notebook to replicate experimental two-sided CNC milling, milled 4 example objects as a proof-of-concept.
- Built multiple web backends: a Python add-in for Autodesk Fusion 360, a reactive web page rendering AR visualizations via a JSON grammar, and a server for CNC instruction parsing and dispatch.
- Technologies used: Typescript, Python, Node.js, Websockets, HTTP API design, CNC milling.

Web Application and Domain-Specific Language for Fabrication Machines ("Taxon")

- Built a full-stack web application that for representing digital fabrication machines as programs.
- Formalized a domain specific language and compiler for moving between programs and simulations.
- Technologies used: Javascript, Node.js, Three.js, Express.js, and MongoDB.

Browser-Based Programming Environment for Machine Control and Visualization ("Verso")

- Implemented a web-based code editor for direct machine control and visualization leveraging React.js and automatic code generation for custom within-code UIs.
- Leveraged language interpreter techniques for machine-specific visualizations with Three.js and OpenCV.
- Technologies used: Typescript, Node.js, React.js, Three.js, SQL, HTTP API design, and OpenCV.