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Experience

Super Micro Computers

July 2023 – Present

Technology Enablement Engineer

San Jose, California

- Deployed production-ready AI applications on next-gen hardware including NVIDIA B200, RTX Pro 6000 BSE, H200/H100, A100, and Intel Gaudi 3/2 accelerators for enterprise data center environments
- Coordinated cross-functional technical demos and product launches across engineering, marketing, and sales teams for two consecutive quarters
- Produced 12+ technical video tutorials for YouTube generating 100K+ views, with top videos reaching 15.7K views demonstrating AI deployment workflows on next-gen hardware, handling full production pipeline from scripting to post-production
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- Built scalable deployment pipelines using PyTorch, TensorFlow, LangChain, and Docker, enabling rapid model iteration and testing

SproutLabs Smart Irrigation

September – December 2022

Software Engineer — Apprenticeship

Santa Cruz, California

- Developed full-stack smart irrigation platform with admin APIs, microservices architecture, and automated CI/CD deployment
- Led 3-person development team as Project Manager, coordinating delivery of production-ready microservices across 3 sprints using Agile methodologies with daily stand-ups
- Conducted weekly stakeholder meetings to address pain points, gather requirements, and align deliverables with business objectives

Projects

Multi-Modal AI Applications

2023 – 2024

Vision-Language Models on Supermicro Infrastructure

Python, PyTorch, Transformers, Gradio

AI Image & Video Generation Suite

2023

Stable Diffusion XL & Video on Intel Gaudi 2

Python, PyTorch, Gradio

LLM Chatbot with RAG

2023

Llama 3 70B on Supermicro Gaudi 2 AI Server

Python, PyTorch, LangChain, Docker

CruzCal - Academic Scheduling Tool

2022

Senior Capstone Project

Next.js, React, TypeScript, Jotai, Jest

Education

University of California, Santa Cruz

Graduated December 2022

BSE in Computer Engineering with Honors, Computer Science Minor

Santa Cruz, California

Foothill College

Graduated June 2020

AS in Computer Science, Engineering, & Mathematics

Los Altos, California

Technical Skills

AI/ML Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Transformers, LangChain, LlamaIndex, vLLM, Gradio, CUDA, oneAPI

LLMs & Models: Llama 3/3.1/3.2, GPT-4/3.5, Mistral, Stable Diffusion XL/Video

Multi-Modal Models: GPT-4V, LLaVA, CLIP, BLIP

Hardware: NVIDIA B200, RTX Pro 6000 BSE, H200/H100, A100; Intel Gaudi 3/2, Max Series, Flex Series

Languages: Python, Golang, TypeScript, JavaScript, C++, C, Java, SQL, Conversational Japanese

Developer Tools: Docker, Kubernetes, Git, VS Code, Jupyter, GCP, Firebase, Linux

Web Technologies: React, Next.js, Svelte, FastAPI, Node.js

Content Creation: Video Production, Cinematography, Adobe Premiere Pro, Technical Writing

Project Management: Agile, SCRUM, Cross-functional Leadership, Stakeholder Management

Media Engagement & Technical Communication

YouTube Technical Tutorials: Produced video series on AI deployment and optimization

- Stable Video Diffusion Tutorial
- Stable Diffusion XL on Gaudi 2 AI Server
- Llama 3 70B Chatbot Implementation

Technical Presentations: Delivered live demonstrations of AI capabilities for diverse audiences

Certifications: Project Management Practitioner (De Anza College)