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📄 Summary

Experienced software engineer and former founder with 9 years in early-stage startups. Skilled in both engineering and product development, with a strong track record of building successful projects from the ground up, including in a recent acquisition.

🎓 Education

Duke University

2012 – 2016

B.A in Computer Science, Minor in Global Health

Y Combinator

2020 – 2020

Part of the S20 Batch for Gather

School for Poetic Computation

06/2025 – 08/2025

SFPC is an experimental school in New York City and online supporting interdisciplinary study in art, code, hardware and critical theory. My area of interest is livecoding.

🧠 Skills

- **Tech** — Python, Java, Kotlin, Ruby, Node.js, TypeScript, React, Vue, Bash, SQL, REST APIs, GraphQL, CI/CD
- **Tools** — AWS, Docker, PostgreSQL, Git, Jenkins, JIRA, Linear, Monday, Airtable, Claude, Cursor
- **Startups** — Product Management, Launches, Design, Customer Success, QA, Strategic Comms

📁 Experience

Architect Lead - Contract, MedCalls

09/2025 – 01/2026 | Remote

- MedCalls is an AI voice receptionist for small-to-medium size health clinics
- Built their user-facing product for viewing and managing AI calls from scratch; helped win their first customer
- Introduced CI/CD pipelines, built the API, and set up their product management system

Lead Software Engineer, ChartHop

03/2022 – 02/2025 | Remote

- ChartHop is an AI HR platform focused on modern people operations
- Joined ChartHop through acquisition to build out their HR automation offering
- As Lead Engineer, I built their alpha onboarding product, redesigned compensation reviews, and operated as team lead for my engineering pod

Co-Founder and CTO, Gather

07/2019 – 03/2022 | Cleveland, OH

- Gather is an HR platform for employee experience automation, focused on onboarding
- Backed by YC; S20 batch
- Recruited and led our founding engineering team from seed round to acquisition
- Helped run support, design, and product management functions

Tech Lead - Contract, DXC Technology

02/2019 – 07/2019 | New Orleans, LA

- DXC is a multinational end-to-end IT services provider
- I was an early contractor brought on to build up their new New Orleans office
- Worked on several teams managing \$200K - \$1M projects

Software Developer, Autobrain

11/2017 – 01/2019 | New Orleans, LA

- Early full-stack developer at a hardware startup building a connected-car platform that turned "dumb" cars into smart cars

Software Engineer, rasa.io

08/2016 – 11/2017 | New Orleans, LA

- Hire #4, built white-labeled social engagement platforms for non-profits and brands

2016 Fellow, Venture for America

07/2016 – 06/2018 | New Orleans, LA

- Venture for America was a 2 year fellowship for recent grads who want to learn how to build a business while making an impact. VFA Fellows get training and join a startup (rasa.io) in an emerging US city

🔗 References

Available upon request