Dan Truong

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, Minors in Computer Science and Data Science Relevant Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Software Engineering, Databases, Data Science, Mobile Computing

EXPERIENCE

The University of Texas at Austin

Data Science Intern

- Processed 100,000+ Reddit posts from 6 communities using Python, increasing data reliability by 40%
- Utilized ChatGPT-40 and prompt engineering to classify posts into 6 themes, uncovering key behavioral patterns
- Optimized data processing with high-performance computing, reducing runtime by 60% and enabling scalable thematic analysis

Caelus

Founding Engineer

- Built 50% of the front-end from scratch using Next.js, ReactJS, and TypeScript, attracting 30+ users for testing
- Redesigned home and explore pages, increasing user retention by 15% and reducing bounce rate by 20%
- Launched responsive user interface with TailwindCSS, boosting session duration by 22%

TheBigLease

Founding Engineer

- Drove 50% of the technical strategy by designing and launching a website from scratch, attracting the interest of 500+ UT Austin students in the first month
- Engineered an AI-powered platform with ReactJS and Next.js, helping students identify top three housing options using predictive analysis and natural language processing
- Integrated front-end with back-end using Python, Flask, and SQL, enabling seamless access to 2,000+ housing records for faster decision-making

Projects

Downbad.ai | ReactJS, Rust, TailwindCSS

• Developed a full-stack Solana decentralized app that analyzes wallets to generate AI-powered comments based on trading history

Tabi (Solana Breakout Hackathon) | Next.js, Express.js, Node.js, Solana, Supabase

Built a full-stack Solana-based crypto payments and bill-splitting app, enabling instant USDC/SOL transfers and smart financial insights

TAO SentimentBot (Bittensor Endgame Hackathon) | Python, LangChain

• Built a Telegram bot using MCP, LangChain, and real-time wallet data to deliver AI-generated sentiment reports for TAO users on Subnet 42

Texas PiKapp Website | ReactJS, Next.js, TypeScript, TailwindCSS

• Developed a website to showcase the **50+ current members** fraternity and serve as an informative hub for current members, potential members, and alumni

Flappy Fish | Unity Engine, C#

• Constructed a game application that enabled 100+ users to navigate a fish through obstacles, inspired by Flappy Bird

LEADERSHIP

Texas Blockchain Labs

Software Engineer Fellow

January 2024 – Present Austin, Texas

• Developed full-stack crypto apps for 2 major hackathons (Solana Breakout, Bittensor Endgame) using Next.js, TailwindCSS, Solana Web3.js, Helius SDKs, Supabase, Python, and TypeScript

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, Python, Typescript, C#, C++, C, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Solidity, SQL, R Frameworks/Libraries: ReactJS, Next.js, Node.js, Express.js, Unity Engine, Astro, TailwindCSS, Foundry Tools: MySQL, MongoDB, Oracle Database, Supabase, AWS, Azure, Vercel, Figma, Kubernetes, Docker, Terraform, Kafka

May 2027

Remote

Austin, Texas

August 2024 – May 2025 Austin, Texas

January 2025 – April 2025

November 2024 - March 2025