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Education

Rice University, Houston, TX

BA, Computer Science & Physics

GPA: 3.95/4.00 (4 semesters completed)

2021 – Present

Exp. Graduation 2025

Skills

Technical Skills: Rust, Python, JavaScript, MATLAB, Mathematica, Java, C, Web Technologies, Linux & UNIX, Git

Relevant Coursework/Knowledge: Data Structures, Algorithms, Dynamic Programming, Object-Oriented Programming, Concurrency, Operating Systems

Experiences

Geckotech, Intern

May - August 2023

- Designed and implemented the Rust [Async UI](#) WebAssembly GUI framework based on a novel UI-as-side-effect concept.
- Made [X-Bow](#), a diff-free Rust state management library based on “lenses”.
- Used [Async UI](#) and [X-Bow](#) to build a GUI application for working with *polars* dataframes, featuring
 - ability to load data from local and internet sources through an extensible interface,
 - data transformation (filter, join, sort, etc.) guided by table structure and *polars* data types,
 - Excel-style formulas that translate to *polars* expressions for fast column-wise calculations,
 - efficient reactive computation on graphs of transformations.

RuamDuang, Co-Founder & Lead Developer

August 2020 - Present

- Lead development team to implement app, website, and back-end services for a horoscope review crowd-sourcing platform with over 10K monthly users.
- Created front-end iOS, Android, and web apps using React Native / Expo, and back-end server connecting to MongoDB, Elasticsearch, and S3/Backblaze.

Physics Research

May 2022 - Present

- Implemented algorithms to numerically simulate spin-1 self-interacting ultralight dark matter fields in Python; used NumPy, SciPy, and Matplotlib.
- Studied how random fields can evolve into solitons under different physical parameters.
- Co-authored a paper [published](#) in the American Physical Society journal Physical Review D.
- Won outstanding undergraduate presentation award at the Texas American Physical Society meeting.

Awards

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| ● Louise J. Walsh Scholarship in Engineering | Rice U. School of Engineering | 2023 |
| ● Bonner Book Award | Rice U. Dept. of Physics & Astronomy | 2023 |
| ● Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship fund | Rice U. Dept. of Physics & Astronomy | 2022 |
| ● First place winner (with 3 teammates) in the <i>Rice Datathon</i> data science hackathon | | 2023 |
| ● First place winner (with 3 teammates) in the <i>HackRice</i> hackathon | | 2022 |
| ● Second place winner in the Rice <i>ICPC</i> programming competition | | 2022 |