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# **Experience**

## **Presence, Founding Software Engineer**

July 2022 - Current

 We are a AR Social startup based in San Francisco, doing a lot of pioneering work to defy distance between human beings

# Airbnb, Software Engineer II

January 2021 - July 2022

- Full-stack engineer working on Airbnb platform products; built many core features for customer agent tools and chatbot
- Single-handedly developed Airbnb review modification notification system
- Maintainer of airbnb/visx, an open-source visualization project that has >15k on Github
- 2021 Hackathon winner, built a 3D earth that shows your previous Airbnb stays and travel history

### **Tableau Software, Software Engineer**

October 2018 - December 2020

- Built and maintained core features on Tableau Public, a SaaS product that allows millions of users to analyze data and publish their visualizations to the web. Feature lead for hashtag, search autocomplete, image and thumbnail generation with server-less architecture
- Refactored a large volume of legacy code to Typescript, React, Redux and setup CI/CD pipelines for Frontend codebase; increased the cycle of feature delivery and improved developer experience
- Mentored 3 interns, developed effective communication skills and gained a better understanding of project management
- Represented Tableau at React Conference 2019, and AWS Re:Invent

#### Education

#### McGill University, Montréal, Canada

September 2013 – April 2018

Bachelor's Degree - Major in Computer Science, Minor in Music Theory

Skills	
Languages	Java/Kotlin, JavaScript (TypeScript), C#, Swift, Python, SQL, C, Ruby
Tools/Frameworks	Unity, iOS, React, Redux, D3, Git, Unity, Flask, Tableau, AWS, Docker, Kubernetes, Terraform, GraphQL, Kafka, ARKit/ARCore, Mediapipe
Others	User Growth, Media Marketing, CI/CD, Algorithms, UX/UI Design, Serverless, Music Theory, Jazz Guitar, Chinese

## Projects\*

#### Patternize.io

- An e-book that explains data structure and algorithms using user-friendly D3 visualizations. The goal of the project is to help people see and understand Computer-Science concepts in an intuitive way
- Project at <u>patternize.github.io</u>

## **JAMScript**

- Developed with Professor Maheswaran at McGill University and his PhD. students to achieve real-time communication between distant IoT devices (connected through cloud platforms)
- Project description website at <u>citelab.github.io/JAMScript</u>

<sup>\*</sup> Previously interned at Tableau Software, Metanautix (acquired by Microsoft), Face++, SAP, Baidu

<sup>\*</sup> Code is also available at github.com/gazcn007 and carlrocks.com