

ALEX POGUE

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages: Python, JavaScript (Vue/React), Java, Swift (iOS), C, and C++
- Specialties: DevOps monitoring and automation, releases, API development and usage, full stack development
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Mayo Clinic

Rochester, MN

Software Engineer, AI/ML Full Stack Development Team

November 2021 – Current

- Innovate and bulletproof multiple early-stage research projects from ideation to clinical trials.
- Maintain 6 Azure DevOps CI/CD pipelines to build/test/deploy docker images to a registry.
- Create push-button release process for AGPS AI asthma prediction tool to a Kubernetes VM.
- Collaborate with researchers, developers, and stakeholders to add features such as memcache (30x performance increase), Epic OAuth login, and critical bug fixes in research code.
- Improve code quality by creating test-driven development framework, step-through debugging process, and automated unit test runs in an otherwise non-technically complete project.

IBM

Rochester, MN

Senior Software Engineer, Cloud Pak for Data (CP4D) SRE Backup/Restore Team *August 2019 – February 2021*

- Developed Jenkins build automation and release process for CP4D backup/restore tooling.
- Automated build, scan, and delivery in Jenkins to enable push-button release.
- Executed two releases – security scan, approve open source, sanity test, write/publish docs.
- Spearheaded Jenkins adoption to improve greater SRE team's automation processes.
- Managed JMeter test Jenkins jobs for 7 CP4D plugins to verify performance between releases.

Software Engineer / Team Lead, Streaming Analytics DevOps Team

June 2015 – August 2019

- Oversaw thousands of VM systems across 3 regions for IBM's Streaming Analytics cloud service.
- Designed, implemented, and maintained entire monitoring infrastructure pipeline:
Metrics database → New Relic → PagerDuty → ServiceNow → Slack
- Orchestrated PagerDuty schedule, wrote runbooks, automated resolution, resolved root cause.
- Wrote and maintained Ansible deployment scripts to deploy to Kubernetes.
- Composed customer-facing tutorial articles for integrating Streaming Analytics with other cloud services via REST API, JDBC, and Kafka messaging (alexpogue.com/articles).

Garmin

Olathe, KS

Software Engineer Intern, Mapping Tools Team

May 2014 – August 2014

- Extended capability of a legacy C++ application to import 79 new map file types.
- Integrated an open source geospatial library into existing legacy code.
- Collaborated with internal users to get feedback on usability and workflow.

EDUCATION

Iowa State University

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Ames, IA

May 2015