

# Ivan Kwong

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## EXPERIENCE

Backend Engineer - [Node.js](#), [MongoDB](#), [RabbitMQ](#), [Jenkins](#), [Docker](#), [Kubernetes](#), [AWS](#)  
August Home, Aug 2019 - Present

- Implemented gRPC into our services that involve entry code management so the feature can be consolidated into one service and its methods can be used in related services
- Enhanced our Airbnb integration by incorporating Airbnb's messaging API for specific communication on access type and whether it was successfully applied
- Built a CRUD feature to enable remote operations for RFID credentials for our external partners so they can manage their property's access via our API
- Document common bugs with debugging instructions and performance dashboards to provide API support and to assist with maintaining reliability of our services

## SKILLS

JavaScript, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, Jenkins, Docker, Kubernetes, AWS, Ruby on Rails, React.js, Redux.js, PostgreSQL, SQL, D3.js, HTML5, CSS3

## EDUCATION

**App Academy** - Immersive software development course on full stack web development (Spring 2019)  
**University of California @ Los Angeles** - *BA - Sociology with a Specialization in Computing* (Spring 2018)

## PROJECTS

**Worldflix** - [PostgreSQL](#), [Ruby on Rails](#), [React.js](#), [Redux.js](#), [Javascript](#) [Live Site](#) | [Github](#)  
*A clone of Netflix with scenic videos from around the world.*

- Applied a joins table with ActiveRecord and PostgreSQL to allow users to add and remove movies from their list
- Formulated an asynchronous algorithm that utilizes setTimeout and React's setState method to generate a typing simulation for demo login
- Designed a smooth horizontal scrolling and hovering effect on images with CSS3 (WebKit-scrollbar) and HTML5 for the user to easily browse and play different movies

**Workable-Jobs** - [MongoDB](#), [Express.js](#), [React.js](#), [Node.js](#) [Live Site](#) | [Github](#)  
*A job searching website that parses resumes and finds applicable jobs.*

- Implemented a resume parser that finds matching keywords in our database, which in turn is used for an API call that fetches related jobs
- Constructed a remote file upload with Multer in Node.js on the backend server to temporarily store resumes

**Show Me** - [D3.js](#), [Axios](#), [Javascript](#) [Live Site](#) | [Github](#)  
*An interactive data visualization for any TV show.*

- Created a sunburst chart with D3.js that dynamically adjusts the arc and depth of the chart according to the response payload
- Utilized async/await functionality for external API calls based on the user's input for the query string