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EXPERIENCE

Rebuy Engine, Remote — *Software Engineer 1*

February 2026 - July 2026

Led development for greenfield project Selectable Gift with Purchase Widget, architecting and building: a TypeScript Next.js user control interface, Vue 3 widget, PHP CodeIgnitor 4 backend, and MySQL database.

Assumed responsibility as a core team member of the widgets and cart team, the core product of the company serving 8,400+ Shopify merchants that processed 12.4B in GMV and 1.9B in Rebuy-attributed sales in 2025 by: mentoring senior support staff, triaging complex bugs, participating in interviewing and hiring, and responding to internal stakeholders questions.

Strategized and eliminated tech debt by modernizing user experiences from redeveloping widget onboarding to include templated widget customization and a step by step onboarding guide to simplify user experience (UX).

Rebuy Engine, Remote — *Associate Software Engineer*

December 2024 - February 2026

Co-developed and scaled breakout product, Bundle Builder Widget to $6M a month in merchant attributed revenue, by implementing: subscriptions, discounting, pre-built layouts, filtering and over 15 other settings.

Solved 40+ bugs on core widgets, and merged in over 20 enhancements.

Rebuy Engine, Remote — *Launch Engineer*

September 2023 - December 2024

Successfully launched over 200 custom merchant builds on Shopify utilizing: Vue 3, JavaScript, CSS and Liquid.

Rebuy Engine, Remote — *Support Engineer*

March 2023 - September 2023

Closed over 300 tickets maintaining a 95% customer satisfaction rating helping merchants with: website customizations, app customizations, debugging, and integrations.

Vantage Japan, Tokyo, Japan — *Kindergarten English Teacher*

August 2020 - April 2022

Planned and took direct responsibility for the educational development of over 500 students across various kindergartens in Tokyo and Chiba.

SKILLS

Frontend: TypeScript, JavaScript, React, Next.js, Vue.js, React Native, CSS, Tailwind, HTML, UI/UX

Backend: Node.js, Express, PHP, Python, Liquid, SQL

Claude Code, Codex, Cursor, AI Agent workflows, Git, Google Cloud, Shopify, Ecommerce

PROJECTS

YouFilter.ai - a Chrome extension that filters YouTube recommendations based upon user defined tags. Built atop OpenAI APIs.

Spaced Cards - a modern and optimized flash card memorization mobile friendly Next.js web app built with the spaced repetition algorithm Super Memo.

Katacard - a mobile friendly Next.js web app, built to teach Japanese katakana and hiragana.

Esteem - a React Native social media app, built to match users together for private discussions regarding specific topics.

LANGUAGES

English, Japanese

Amity Corporation, Nagoya, Japan — *Native English Teacher*

April 2019 - July 2020

Managed and assumed responsibility for the educational development of over 120 students at all levels of English proficiency and from the ages of 1 to 55.

A Second Opinion, Pompton Plains, NJ — *Account Manager*

November 2017 - August 2018

Oversaw management of 8 client accounts across the US by providing, designing, and managing first-rate ad funnels and websites.

Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage, Wyckoff, NJ — *Marketing and Digital Content Coordinator*

February 2016 - November 2017

Managed and designed marketing campaigns across print and web for a portfolio of over 300 residential real estate properties ranging from $250,000 to $15,000,000.

EDUCATION

Montclair State University, Montclair NJ

BS: Business Administration Marketing Concentration

2016

PROFILE

My goal is to solve important problems, and the most important problems often require the most challenging engineering. That is why I have dedicated myself to becoming the best engineer I can be. To me, engineering is not simply a career—it is a lifelong pursuit of finding meaningful problems and building solutions that matter.

As software development has evolved with AI, my role has shifted from primarily writing code to designing systems, architecting solutions, and managing AI agents. Regardless of the tools, my responsibility remains the same: to deliver reliable software and take ownership of every problem I solve.

Building the right solution starts with understanding the people behind the problem. I constantly ask myself, "What purpose does this serve?" That relentless focus on the underlying problem helps me design solutions that are thoughtful, effective, and built to last.