Justin Gill

SOFTWARE ENGINEER Seattle, WA

Experience ___

DevOps Engineer Bellevue, WA

Feb 2025 — Present Pay-i

Stack: Terraform, Bicep, CloudFormation, Kubernetes, Helm, Docker, Azure DevOps, Azure, AWS, Linux

- · Migrated .NET 9 and Python applications from Windows App Service zip builds to Kubernetes (AKS/EKS), refactoring deployment architecture and enabling consistent container runtime.
- Implemented Terraform for SaaS and customer environments; engineered CloudFormation and Bicep integrations for AWS and Azure Marketplace, navigating vendor-specific deployment constraints and marketplace approval processes.
- · Designed tenant-isolated infrastructure with dedicated VPCs/VNets, private endpoints, and IAM controls; implemented huband-spoke network topology with VPN support and compliance policies.
- · Automated infrastructure validation across CloudFormation and Bicep templates; configured Application Insights and CloudWatch for multi-cloud observability

Software Engineer Seattle, WA

Ambassador Software Jun 2021 — Feb 2025

Stack: Python, Django, PostgreSQL, Redis, Celery, Docker, AWS, GCP, JavaScript, React, BigQuery

- · Architected and launched a JSON-driven workflow engine (Python/Django/PostgreSQL/Redis/Celery) enabling customers to define custom triggers/actions; expanded the platform from referral-only to a loyalty solution, creating new revenue streams.
- Improved reliability and performance: increased uptime from 95% → 99.95% and reduced average response latency by 60% through query optimization, asynchronous job refactoring, and strategic query caching.
- Developed a reporting and analytics warehouse with AWS RDS, S3, BigQuery, and Google Apps Script, powering customer data exports and accelerating internal insights.
- Integrated external services (Hyperwallet, GoodData), enhancing customer reporting, payments, and analytics workflows.
- · Redesigned critical APIs around import, exports, and tracking; led the migration of a production service from Node.js to Django for consistency and performance.

Data Science Intern Seattle, WA (Remote)

ContextLink Nov 2020 — May 2021

Stack: Python, Pulumi, AWS, Pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn

- Built an automated data preprocessing workflow using AWS S3 and Lambda to trigger an ordinal encoder for categorical features, improving data consistency and training reliability.
- · Developed Python utilities for data transformation and feature encoding (Pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn) while learning cloud integration patterns with Pulumi and AWS services.

Skills

Backend Python, Django, PostgreSQL, Redis, Celery

DevOps & Tools Docker, Kubernetes, Terraform, Azure DevOps, Bicep, CloudFormation, AWS, Azure,

GCP, Linux

Education

Western Washington University

Bellingham, WA

2018 - March 2022