

Dennis Gann

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Education

University of New South Wales, Sydney February 2017 - December 2020

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Software Engineering

Co-op Professional Development Program Scholar, UNSW All Rounder

High Distinction WAM/(3.8 GPA). Awards & Prizes for academic excellence:

- UNSW Student Exchange Achievement Award
- The Optiver SENG3011 Award for 1st Place in Software Engineering Workshop 3
- The Atlassian Prize for 2nd Place in COMP2511 Object-Oriented Design & Programming
- The Macquarie Group Prize for 1st Place in SENG2021 Software Engineering Workshop 2B
- Dean's Honours List - Highly Commended (2018, 2019)

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia August 2019 - December 2019

School of Engineering and Applied Science

Exchange Program, Fall Semester. Computer Science Major. 3.9 GPA.

Experience

Atlassian, *Software Engineering Intern* January 2020 - present

- JIRA Cloud Mobile team - working on the iOS and macOS native apps in Swift

University of Pennsylvania, *CIS Teaching Assistant* August 2019 - December 2019

- Design and grading of assignments for *CIS557 - Programming for the Web* course with 80 students.
- Conduct office hours, provide feedback to students and review & develop course materials.

University of New South Wales, *CSE Casual Academic/Tutor* July 2018 - May 2019

- Facilitated tutorials & laboratory classes to deliver course content for courses of up to 400 students.
- Taught Programming Fundamentals (C), Software Engineering (Python) and OOP (Java).
- Graded & evaluated work, developed content, explained concepts and provided feedback students.

Commonwealth Bank, *Backend Engineering Intern* November 2018 - February 2019

- Improved and developed the RESTful APIs that power the award-winning CommBank App.
- Engineered performance improvements & new endpoints to enable Simple Balance rollout to 5 million users, upgraded caching & programmed feature switches for piloting and A/B testing.

OFX, *Junior Software Engineer* March 2018 - November 2018

- Joined the Mobile App Agile product team and built & contributed to multiple critical features.
- Involved in architectural design, testing/QA, code review and planning & execution of releases.

OFX, *Software Engineering Intern* November 2017 - February 2018

- Developed Mobile App settings page and electronic ID verification functionality using React Native.
- Improved a biometric authentication bridge library, localisation (i18n/i18n) and in-app notifications.
- Constructed transaction history page and its components from the ground up, and built user menu.

Skills

Development

C/ C++ , Java, C#, Python, JS/TS, PHP, Perl, SQL, \LaTeX

Tools & Libraries

Node, React, React Native, CI/CD, Docker, Bash, Linux

Community

Teaching, Leadership, Youth Mentoring & Development

Collaboration

Git, Bitbucket & GitHub, Agile, Scrum, IRC/Slack, Jira, Confluence

Volunteer Work & Activities

Australian Air Force Cadets, *Instructor of Cadets* August 2017 - May 2019

As Training Manager, responsible for overseeing the planning & execution of activities and cadet training. Instruction and mentoring of cadets in leadership and various aviation related disciplines.

UNSW Co-operative Society, *IT Director* February 2018 - February 2019

Support societies' digital presence; website, social, event ticketing, ecommerce and communications.