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PRODUCT MANAGEMENT

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EXPERIENCE

Apple

2016 - Present

- **Senior Engineering Program Manager - Apple Pay**
Changing the landscape of payments through innovation enabling customers to pay with their mobile devices in a simple, private, and secure way.

Tilt (acquired by Airbnb)

2014 - 2016

- **Lead Product Manager**
Led an engineering team that developed our enterprise products (Tilt Pro, Tilt Tickets, and Developer APIs) which powered pre-order and crowdfunding campaigns for customers like Dick's Sporting Goods, Microsoft, Toyota, Conan O'Brien, Snoop Dogg, and Boosted Boards.

Koofers

2006 - 2014

- **Co-founder, Board Member, and Chief Product Officer**
Raised \$6MM+ in VC, grew to over 15 employees, and became the second largest social network behind Facebook on many college campuses with 1MM+ MAUs. Designed and launched multiple products. Generated 125MM+ data points from 500+ universities. Leveraged web scraping, data mining, and ETL processes to gather, parse, and standardize information.

Sprint Nextel

2006 - 2007

- **Network Operations Analyst**
Centralized and analyzed telecom data from various internal network tools and web services.

Symantec

2005 - 2006

- **Software Quality Assurance (QA)**
Created and executed test cases across Windows NT and UNIX (Linux/Solaris) environments.

WebBrainiacs Web Design

2000 - 2006

- **Founder & Lead Developer**
Developed over a dozen websites using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, SQL, Perl, and ASP.

EDUCATION

Georgia Tech

2017 - Present

- **MS in Computer Science**
Specializing in Computing Systems and Software Development.

Stanford

2014 - 2015

- **Software Security Foundation Course**
Studied cryptography algorithms and protocols, mobile and web security, and data integrity.

Virginia Tech

2004 - 2008

- **BS in Business Information Technology**
Minored in Psychology; Placed on the Dean's Honors List.

AWARDS

RBTC Entrepreneur of the Year

2014

Top 30 Entrepreneurs Under 40

2011

World Future Society Speaker

2009

Facebook Fund Winner

2008

EXPERTISE

Agile Methodologies
Mobile & Payments
Cross Functional
HTML, CSS, PHP, SQL
Swift, Java, C++

