Nate Argroves

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Proficient: Android, Java, Product Management, UI/UX, Sketch, SQL

Familiar: Kotlin, React Native, React.js, Node.js, C++, iOS, Objective C, Swift

EXPERIENCE

Co-founder: October 2015 – Present (Full-time since July 2016)

Lead: Android, PM, UI/UX, marketing, bizdev, sales. Assisting on: iOS, React.js frontend, Node.js backend.

- Fossil Jobs: fossiljobs.com (launched Oct '17)
 - Validated and launched a service that retrains coal miners and places them into jobs in the solar industry.
 - Recruited 90 miners in 3 days. A/B tested 20+ ads to decrease CAC from \$17 to \$0.83 (industry average is \$68).
 - Ran dozens of A/B tests on our website to increase our conversion rate from 18% to 59%.
- DocNovo: docnovo.com (launched March '17)
 - Prototyped, designed, MVP-validated, built, and launched apps where doctors can share cases, techniques, and medical devices in under 3 months. Launched with Northwestern University's residency program.
 - o Built features like conference presentation tools, weekly newsletters, and wiki-pages for each medical device.
 - Graduated from the first-ever 'Startup School by Y Combinator' batch in June 2017.
- Advencha: advencha.com (Started as side project, full-time in July '16, launched Sept '16)
 - Created apps for planning casual activities among groups of friends in co-living communities.
 - Prototyped, built, and validated features such as suggested activities; regional events; gamification; and Google Maps, Venmo, and Giphy integrations.
 - Apps are still growing by 500+ users per month with zero marketing.

Software Engineer: Yahoo (Sunnyvale, CA) May 2013 – July 2016

- Developed and maintained Yahoo Fantasy Sports, the top Android app on the Play Store (3.5M DAUs) for Fantasy Football, Baseball, Basketball, and Hockey. Also worked on Yahoo Sports as needed.
- Led development on building features like real-time scoring push notifications, live drafting over socket connection, and March Madness Tourney Pick'em (including the Billion Dollar Bracket).
- Led development on Daily Fantasy which launched as the 3rd largest daily fantasy site in the world.
- Architected multiple full-app redesigns including the current conversion to Material Design.

Engineering Intern: Walton E.M.C. (Monroe, GA) May 2010 – May 2013

- Developed tools to optimize power grid, auto-export reports and data in several formats, and auto-generate emails.
- Wrote programs to analyze 500M+ record SQL databases and created 10+ applications for the GIS mapping system.

EDUCATION

M.S. Computer Science (Incomplete – Finished 10/12 classes), *Specialization:* Databases and Software Engineering Georgia Institute of Technology (August 2012 – May 2015)

B.S. Software Engineering, *Minor:* Computer Science

Southern Polytechnic State University (August 2008 – May 2012)

PROJECTS

Climate Change App: (2017 – Present) Building app that makes factual, moral, and biblical arguments to climate deniers. Includes Chrome extension that suggests alternative products on Amazon if the company funds climate denial.

Alcor Life Extension Foundation: (2015 – Present) Member, Mobile Advisor. Architecting app for emergency alerts and tracking user's health metrics.

/r/oculus Subreddit: (2013 – Present) Creator, Lead Mod. Grown to >95k members and one of the largest VR forums.

TextYourReps: (Feb 2017) Created platform where political reps can receive text messages directly from their constituents.

Powder Time: (Feb 2014) Built Android app which sends notifications from nearby ski resorts when snow is in the forecast.