

# JOSIE ESHKENAZI

3B Systems Design Engineering

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

<b>Languages</b>	Python, Java, JavaScript/TypeScript, Scala, SQL, C++, Bash
<b>Developer tools</b>	AWS, Docker, Express.js, Flask, git, JDBC, Jenkins, Play Framework, Postman
<b>Data tools</b>	Airflow, Dynamo, MySQL, PostgreSQL, RabbitMQ, Redis, Redshift, Spark, SQS, S3
<b>Concepts</b>	BDD, Data Structures & Algorithms, Functional & OOP, MVC, REST APIs, TDD

## EXPERIENCE

**PlanGrid, an Autodesk company** — *Backend Engineer* *Sept 2019 - Dec 2019*

- Owned and led the API design, development, and data migrations of the newest feature of PlanGrid's Tasks product - a flexible issue tracker with offline sync capability.
- Transitioned monolithic backend to a microservice architecture with more comprehensive logging, robust schema validation with **Marshmallow**, and **Redis** in-memory caching. Response times were reduced by **100-150ms**.
- Transitioned existing **REST** APIs to **GraphQL** using **Apollo Federation**. This helped to reduce average feature development time by several days.

**TunnelBear Inc.** — *Backend Developer* *Jan 2019 - May 2019*

- Shipped scalable, high-throughput APIs of customer-facing VPN application in adherence with rigorous privacy and security benchmarks, and with load demands of **60k+** requests per minute.
- Re-factored TunnelBear's backend to be Functional and asynchronous using **Play Framework's** and **Scala's** concepts of Actions, Async, and Futures. Response times of the new services decreased by up to **15%**.
- Leveraged **Redis** and **JWT** to implement OAuth 2.0 industry standard client-server authentication.

**TunnelBear Inc.** — *Data Engineer* *May 2018 - Sept 2018*

- Wrote, deployed, and owned internal, fault-tolerant **ETL** pipelines that delivered performance metrics and marketing insight. Additionally, analyzed and presented this data to different teams.
- Reduced runtime of pipelines by up to **45 minutes** through table redesign, indexing, and **SQL optimizations**.
- Aggregated, processed and stored large-scale data from relational and **NoSQL** databases using **Apache Airflow**, **Apache Spark**, and **AWS** tools such as **S3**, **SQS**, **Dynamo**, and **Redshift**.

**Finastra** — *Software Developer* *Sept 2017 - Dec 2017*

- .NET** developer of CollateralGuard RC which served loan information to tens of thousands of clients in real-time.
- Created internal server diagnostics tool using **WCF** which logged system metrics and sent alerts to DevOps.

## PROJECTS AND EXTRACURRICULARS

**Brie** 🌐 *Jan 2020 - Present*

- CLI tool to automate the creation, development, and publishing of local and remote git repositories. Written in TypeScript and using **Node.js** libraries Commander, Inquirer, and Axios.

**Webpage Summarizer Chrome Extension** ↔ 🌐 *Jan 2019 - Present*

- Generates a Natural Language summary of web pages using Python's **NLTK's** WordTokenizer and PorterStemmer.

**Form Auto-Filler for TunnelBear's Password Manager, RememBear** *Jun 2018 - Aug 2018*

- RememBear's form-field detection CRF model trained using **Scikit-learn's** CRFsuite, SVM, Feature Selection.
- By applying feature analysis, accuracy was increased from 80% to 95%, and model reached an F1-Score of 98%.

**UWaterloo Undergraduate Research Assistant Amazon Alexa Developer** *May 2019 - Aug 2019*

- Leveraged **Alexa API**, **Node.js**, and **AWS** to create a virtual assistant for email and meeting-scheduling.