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Employment

2024 - Now Mathematics Teacher

Hanazono Junior High School

- Taught Mathematics in English at a Japanese private middle school in Kyoto.
- Wrote my own curriculum on topics such as geometry, functions, and proofs.

2022 – 2024 Assistant Language Teacher

Link Interac Inc.

- Taught English at Japanese public schools through a dispatch company.
- Worked one year at a high school and one year at an elementary school.

2019 – 2021 Mathematics Instructor

University of Virginia

- Taught classes on Precalculus, Calculus, and Differential Equations.
- Chose the textbook, designed my own curriculum, held office hours, etc.

Education

2018 – 2020 Masters of Science in Mathematics

University of Virginia

GPA: 4.00. Excelled in advanced topics at the graduate level, including Combinatorial Algorithms, Homological Algebra, and Algebraic Topology.

2014 – 2018 Bachelors of Science in Mathematics

University of Oklahoma

GPA: 3.89. Received an award for being the "most outstanding math major." Studied topics such as Linear Algebra, Data Structures, and Graph Theory.

Accomplishments

- Built a **Gameboy Emulator** using the C programming language. I compiled the project into WebAssembly using Emscripten, so you can run it in your web browser without installing anything. You can check it out on my website (link at the top of the page).
- Designed and programmed a **mechanical keyboard**. I designed the frame, wired everything by hand, and programmed the micro-controller in C.
- Created a **popular Vim plugin** for quickly typing LaTeX code. The Github repository currently has over 100 stars and 15 forks.
- Wrote a **research paper** funded by the National Science Foundation on the classification of Leibniz Algebras. It was published in the Journal of Geometry and Physics.
- Designed a **novel graph algorithm** in Python for verifying the connectedness of moduli spaces. It was featured in a paper written by my friend Huy Dang and published in the Journal of Algebra.
- Passed the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (Level N1). This exam is the highest level Japanese language test administered by the Japanese government.