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**EDUCATION** M.Sc, Applied Math and Computer Science  
Saint-Petersburg State University, Saint-Petersburg, Russia  
Date of Graduation: May, 2010

**MISC** **Programming blog about distributed systems**  
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**EXPERIENCE** **Amazon.com**  
Software engineer since 10/2014  
[Amazon.com](#) is the largest Internet-based retailer in the United States. I'm a part of the Checkout team where I with my peers are responsible for high risk customer facing part (checkout) of the retail website.  
Technology stack: large scale SOA, reliable systems, web-development with JavaScript & Java.

**Grid Dynamics**  
Software engineer 9/2013-4/2014  
[Grid Dynamics](#) is focused on massively scalable e-commerce platforms and services. It has Macy's and Raleys among customers. I was part of the big data department and helped to design a new data processing workflow to migrate OLAP from Oracle to Hadoop.  
Technology stack: Java, Hadoop stack (HDFS, Hive).

**Yandex**  
Software engineer 5/2011-8/2013  
[Yandex](#) is ranked as the 4th largest search engine worldwide and it's bigger than Google in Russia. I was a part of the department of statistics and the infrastructure services department. Designed external transaction processing for a distributed key-value storage.  
Technology stack: Java, Python, internal MapReduce-like system.

**Smart media** Web developing with C# 2010-2011

**ACTIVITIES /** Participated in the [Papers We Love](#) meetup both as a listener and a [speaker](#).  
**PET** [Papers We Love](#) is a community of the practitioners who love to read academic  
**PROJECTS** papers in order to know how to solve problems they meet in the industry.

Created visualizations of distributed protocols (like [Percolator](#) and [RAMP](#) transactions) to practise new programming skills and to learn how to explain complex ideas in a understandable way.

Developed an algorithm to normalize math formula and built [uniquation.com](#), a math search engine on top of it. The normalization algorithm supports commutativity and  $\alpha$ -equivalence what gives more accurate search results compared to the competitors. Project is frozen.

Gave a talk about Parsing Expression Grammars on the “**Application Developer Days - 2**” two day conference in Saint-Petersburg (2011).

**INTERESTS** Distributed systems, data processing and infrastructure development

**HOBBIES** Traveling, hiking, unicycling and surfing