

# Alex Goodkind

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## Education

Rutgers University-New Brunswick  
Computer Science, B.S., 3.7/4.0  
Graduated December 2020, Cum Laude

Camden County College  
Computer Science, A.S., 3.8/4.0  
Graduated December 2018, President's List

## Experience

### Slack Backend Software Engineer

February 2021 - Present (full time), May 2020 - August 2020 (intern), June 2019 - August 2019 (intern)

- Directly responsible for a highly requested feature that enables large customers granular control over retention policies for 1,000,000+ channels ([go.goodkind.io/#retention](http://go.goodkind.io/#retention))
- Spearheaded the development of an essential admin API in Hacklang, enabling the provisioning of 120,000+ users ([go.goodkind.io/#adminapi](http://go.goodkind.io/#adminapi))
- Drove the development of a critical feature for a customer with 300,000+ employees that provides control over how users contact organization administrators ([go.goodkind.io/#domainclaim](http://go.goodkind.io/#domainclaim))

### Out in Tech Co-President, Rutgers Chapter

December 2019 - December 2020

- Co-Founded the first Out in Tech chapter associated with a University
- Building the first Rutgers organization focused on queer students in tech-related majors

### Tumblr Site Reliability Engineering Intern

June 2017 - August 2017

- Developed a framework to manage the automated provisioning of 5,000 servers while reducing engineering downtime spent on manual server intervention tasks by 8 hours

## Projects

- **Opioid Crisis** - *Out in Tech U Fellowship*, Used Pandas and Plotly to examine datasets, exemplifying skills in data analytics and visualization
- **WebLibs** - *HackRU Fall 2018 Hackathon*, Chrome extension that turns any website into a MadLibs game, utilizing knowledge of web scraping and natural language processing

## Skills

### Languages

- Hacklang, PHP
- Java, C, Swift
- Python, JavaScript

### Tools

- Git, Bash, Zsh
- Docker, Node
- Mathematica, Maple

### Frameworks

- React, Anaconda
- gRPC, Apache HDFS
- AWS EC2, S3, EMR