

Approvals:

- 4 EB-1As.
- 2 O-1s.

Approvals:



Hi Jason! My EB-1 immigration petition got approved. I really appreciate your support throughout this process; it means a lot. Your YouTube videos and articles gave me a great mental model for thinking through this journey, and thank you as well for connecting me with hackathon opportunities. Truly grateful for your help ❤️



Jason Cheung  • 4:55 PM

Congrats, 

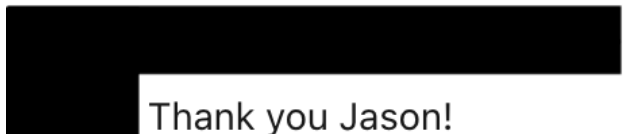


Jason Cheung  • 11:39 PM

Congrats on getting approved!



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1:17 AM

Thank you Jason!

11:58 AM

Hey Jason, I just wanted to let you know that I got the O1-A Visa.

Thank you very much for your help!



Jason Cheung  • 11:59 AM

Congrats! Great to hear!

You're welcome!



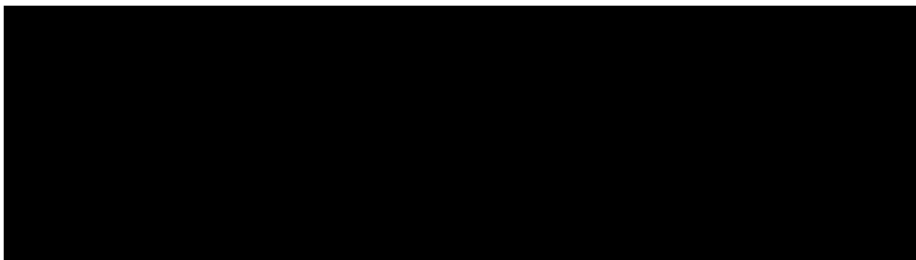
Introduced a few members to a VC in SF who is running a hackathon with NVIDIA.



Jason Cheung  • 8:37 PM

Just a heads up, I presented your profile to the organizers of this hackathon

They are interested in speaking with you (it's sponsored by NVIDIA).



Jason Cheung  • 8:43 PM

I just emailed the VC who is organizing the hackathon, cc'ed you.



 Hi Jason,

Its been 3 month i have started my journey with your news letter. I want want to thank you for all the information you are sharing. Below are some of the achievements in my profile building in association with you.

- 1) I was able to reach 20 to 30 people a day for Judging opportunities and i was able to complete 10+ judging opportunities
- 2) I was able to to be a part of 2 top most AI hackathons
- 3) I was able to complete my Sr IEEE membership, applied for BCS
- 4) Published 1 Article in a journal.

I was clue less when i started my journey 3 months ago but i feel like i'm progressing well in my Eb1A journey.

Thank you for helping the community.



She was able to land a committee position with a top AI conference.

[REDACTED] • 8:42 PM
Just wanted to share that I also got committee membership at [REDACTED] - thank you



Jason Cheung ✓ • 8:42 PM

They are looking to publish white papers. (Edited)



[REDACTED] • 8:43 PM
Great! Would love the opportunity to



6 peer review opportunities with NeurIPS (a top AI conference) in a month.

[REDACTED] • 1:31 AM
Hi Jason.. I forgot to update you on a few things..

1. I got invited for NeurIPS [REDACTED] peer review (one for [REDACTED] 5 for Conference).

2. Also, I will be judging [REDACTED] Hackathon 2025.

3. I got an invitation from [REDACTED] to fill out form for joining [REDACTED] -Multimodal Systems in Prod.

Thank you and have a great weekend. (Edited)



Jason Cheung • 3:22 PM

Great to hear, [REDACTED]



4 peer review opportunities with NeurIPS (a top AI conference) in a month.

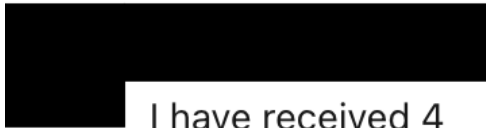


Jason Cheung  • 12:54 AM

You're welcome!



Also, how many papers did you get from NeurIPS to review?



• 12:54 AM

I have received 4

Added to the peer reviewer pool of an upcoming IEEE conference.

• 1:24 PM

just emailed

- I'll add you to the pool.

he responded



Also msgd but he hasn't responded

7:20 AM

Hi Jason,

Thank you very much - I received reviewer opportunities for a few NeurIPS papers. :-) (Edited)

Yesterday

[NeurIPS 2025] Additional Ethics reviews assigned

Thank you again for accepting our invitation to serve as an ethics reviewer for Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) 2025.

We are still in need of ethics reviews and have assigned some papers for you to examine. To see your new assigned paper(s), please go to your OpenReview console at:

Main track



[REDACTED] • 11:53 AM

Looks like 1 for the 2025 conference, but 2 for the Datasets and Benchmark Track. So 3 totally.



Jason Cheung  • 11:53 AM

Nice!



[REDACTED] • 11:54 AM

I'm also going to the AI Agent/AWS Hackathon in SF tomorrow - thanks for that one too!



Jason Cheung  • 11:54 AM

You're welcome! Great to hear!



• 12:59 PM

Also I got peer reviewing opportunities, thanks to u for NeurIPS 2025



Jason Cheung  • 1:00 PM

Congrats! How many papers did you get assigned?



• 1:00 PM

2 data papers for now around Ethics

• 3:02 PM

The vibe coding hackathon experience was great bdw!
Thanks again for sending it to me



Jason Cheung  • 3:02 PM

You're welcome!



• 3:42 PM

Also, wanted to thank you — I successfully completed
judging for [REDACTED]
yesterday. Great initiative from you to help us all.



Jason Cheung  • 3:42 PM

You're welcome!



• 1:03 PM

Jason, thank you for awesome back to back opportunities. I have participated in the [REDACTED] one over weekend with [REDACTED] it went very well

This morning I got chance to meet with [REDACTED] and talk through Nvidia [REDACTED] I am very excited about this one too



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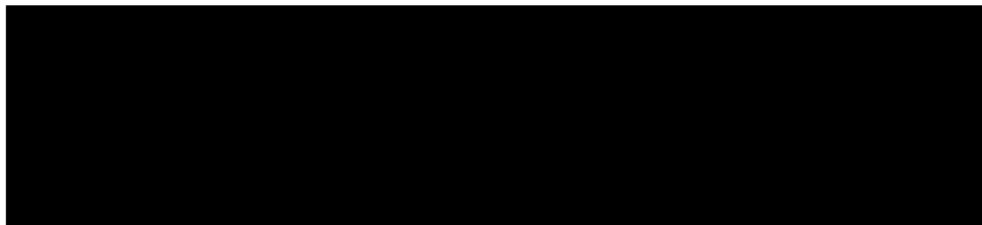


She already added my name as judge after the call (Edited)

• 5:49 PM

Hi Jason - Quick Update: Looks like I am in on that Y Combinator Hackathon Judging. Thanks so much for making it happen.

One quick question - Do you think a post before and after the hackathon highlighting skills and thanking for



Thanks so much for you help and guidance!

• 10:19 PM

I spoke to Catherine last week on Friday, she said she will add me to peer reviewing

I am going to present on SREday 2025 Q4 in San Francisco on October 3rd.

Definitely, I am going to prepare my presentations. But without your help, I can never imagine or be aware of the opportunities staying around on Sessionize/Call for Speakers/or Meetup.

That said, I am going to continue my subscription on this outreach initiative for the next quarter in case more interesting opportunities are coming to my way. Demonstrating my position/endeavor is beyond the scope of the employer through this initiative is obviously valuable. Thanks a lot.



Jason Cheung  • 7:37 PM

Really great to hear that you got selected to judge the MIT [REDACTED] hackathon.

It's actually one of the first hackathons I've seen in a while that is sponsored by OpenAI.



[REDACTED] • 7:41 PM

Yeah, thanks for sending it my way!



https://www.linkedin.com/posts/manishkumarthota_artificialintelligence-vibecoding-aiinnovation-activity-7359360577409826816-WEhc?utm_source=share&utm_medium=member_desktop&rcm=ACoAABaDpbqB3YxyAswr_8_y43G7nBv2fCKpeRw



Manish Kumar Thota • 1st

Generative AI Data Scientist | M.S in AI | Multimodal | Computer Vision | ...

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All the "serious" stuff in AI is getting done, but it's the fun, playful, and even "boring" stuff that's shaping the next billion-dollar market. I'll be sharing what this means and why it matters at the event below. 📌

🚀 Excited to share that I'll be speaking at the upcoming seminar "Accelerating Innovation with AI" in New York hosted by the Young Professionals Committee of the **Brazilian-American Chamber of Commerce, Inc.** in partnership with **Venture Miner**

💡 Join us for a lively discussion on how AI is reshaping the path from idea to execution. We'll dive into how artificial intelligence can dramatically speed up prototyping ⚡, and explore the cutting-edge world of vibe coding 🎵🖥️—an intuitive, collaborative approach to AI-powered development. If you're interested in the creative possibilities of AI 🌟 or curious about the next wave of programming 🧑‍💻, this event is for you.

Link: <https://lu.ma/ny-br-vibes>

Thanks **Jason Cheung** for helping me with the opportunity.

Don't miss this opportunity to connect with forward-thinking professionals and learn what's next in AI innovation.

**#ArtificialIntelligence #VibeCoding #AIInnovation #FutureOfTech
#TechStartups #NewYorkCity #NYCEvents #USA**



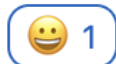
Jason Cheung • 4:50 PM

Yes! (Edited)



• 4:56 PM

I also got into the Advisory Review Board for the [REDACTED]
[REDACTED].



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Jason Cheung • 4:59 PM

That's awesome!



• 9:20 AM

[REDACTED] have emailed [REDACTED] as well - hoping something positive 👍

BTW - I got an email to review couple of chapters from
this :) - thank you Jason



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Anyone in your circle looking for author in a
book/paper, in cloud devops space?



Jason Cheung • 11:23 AM

[REDACTED] BTW - I got an email to review couple of chapters from this
:) - thank you Jason

Great to hear, [REDACTED] You're welcome!



[REDACTED] • 6:45 PM

Yes. [REDACTED] assigned a paper to review to me as well.
Thanks for all the help.

[REDACTED]



Jason Cheung  • 9:54 PM

You're welcome! Sounds good!



Also, just heard from [REDACTED] Great to hear that you will
be judging an official Cursor hackathon!



[REDACTED]  • 11:31 PM

[REDACTED]

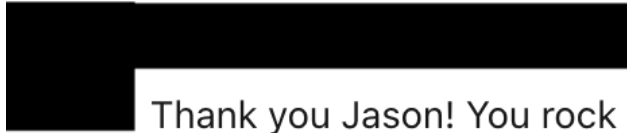
[REDACTED]  • 11:32 PM

Oh yes, spoke to [REDACTED] yesterday. Thank you for the
opportunity



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Thank you Jason! You rock !



Jason Cheung  • 12:07 AM

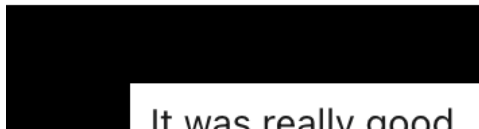
Thank you for the kind words!



Jason Cheung  • 1:42 PM

Also, how was the YC hackathon? The one sponsored by Anthropic? (Edited)



 • 2:34 PM

It was really good, Jason! Thanks so much for pitching my profile and getting me on it!

Had an opportunity to even meet  who is an investor in Y Combinator companies, and even though I am not planning to start something of my own today - making that connection was very valuable.

• 12:00 PM

Heard back from [REDACTED]

She offered me an advisory board position. Thanks Jason!



Jason Cheung  • 12:01 PM

Congrats, [REDACTED]



• 5:26 PM

Hi Jason — quick update from my side: I wrapped up the MIT Hack Nation hackathon yesterday, which was a great experience. I'm looking forward to identifying more high-impact opportunities that can strengthen my profile—authorship, advisory roles, and other industry recognitions.

• 8:10 PM

Saw your post about reviewing opportunities

Love the outreach

Let me know if there is anything for me

This personalized group has been helpful really
looking forward to more opportunities 😊

10:38 PM

Thanks Jason - I applied for the NeurIPS workshop.
Also I got to judge [REDACTED] cursor hackathon :)



• 10:59 PM

Hi Jason,
I just finished judging Cursor's hackathon. Great
opportunity, the event was pretty competitive



Jason Cheung  • 11:00 PM

Great to hear!





Jason Cheung  • 10:00 PM

Saw that you will be judging at one of [REDACTED] hackathons!



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• 2:39 PM

Yes spoke to her last week and I made the cut!



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11:07 PM

[REDACTED] responded and liked my profile. Got selected for [REDACTED] hackathon.

Thank you for the lead



• 12:58 AM

Hi Jason. [REDACTED] invited me to judge [REDACTED] Hackathon 2025 🎉. Thank you for sharing this incredible opportunity. 🙏 This hackathon looks very impactful.



Jason Cheung  • 1:12 AM

Great to hear!



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• 11:01 AM

Hi Jason - got selected as the [REDACTED] NeurIPS reviewer 😊. Thanks for your support!



Jason Cheung  • 12:37 PM

Congrats, [REDACTED]



1:28 PM

Hey Jason, I was just asked to review for NeurIPS [REDACTED] workshop. Not yet sure how many papers . I might know in 10 days

Thank you!! 🙌



Jason Cheung  • 1:33 PM

Congrats, [REDACTED]



[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] 1:06 PM

Great news. Joining [REDACTED] as judge.
Also have a call today with [REDACTED]



Jason Cheung  • 2:15 PM

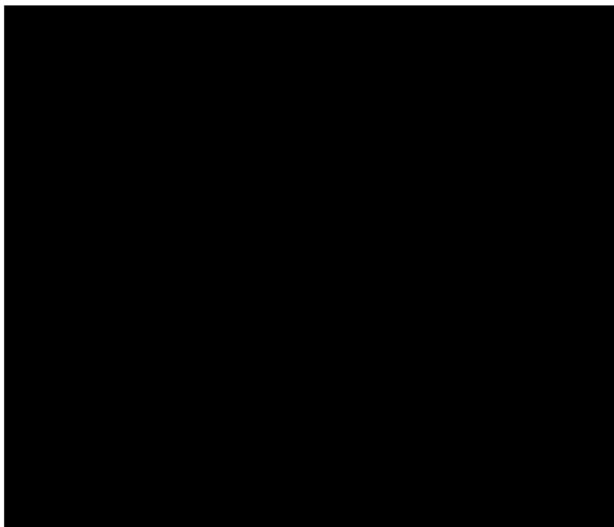
Great to hear!



[REDACTED] 2:02 PM

Hi Jason,
I received this email today and accepted it as well.

Thanks,



10:02 PM

Okay nvm. I heard from him.

Not sure if you sent him a nudge or quantum spacing
doing it's thing

But thank you for sending me this way



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Thank you again for all the help and the initiative
program.



Jason Cheung • 3:58 PM

You're welcome!



11:07 PM

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for

Thank you for the lead

5:37 PM

Hi Jason - I received an invitation to serve as reviewer for [REDACTED]@NeurIPS25. Once again thanks for connecting me with the opportunity. (Edited)



Jason Cheung  • 6:06 PM

Great to hear! You're welcome!



5:36 PM

Jason, are there any more like NeurIPS, I got an invite from them.



Jason Cheung  • 6:06 PM

Great to hear! Sure, can look for more opportunities.



[REDACTED] 3:02 PM
Yes I can attend in person to this event



Jason Cheung • 3:02 PM

Great!



Jason Cheung • 3:04 PM

I shared your email with [REDACTED]

Can you email her as well?



[REDACTED] 3:21 PM
Sure doing it now

Thank you Jason



Jason Cheung • 3:21 PM

You're welcome!



Jason Cheung • 6:19 PM

Great to hear that you were able to attend the meeting for judges!



[REDACTED] 6:23 PM
Yes, thanks for adding me! :)



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3:11 PM

Okay, I understand! Thanks for putting in my name.
Keep me updated on it.



Jason Cheung  • 3:11 PM

Sounds good!



Jason Cheung  • 3:18 PM

She said yes.



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8:02 PM

Hi Jason - Just wanted to circle back with an update - both [REDACTED] were happy to have me as a judge for their hackathons. I also reached out to [REDACTED] but haven't heard back yet.

On a separate note, I did get a response back from [REDACTED] and he's invited me to mentor for two workshops he's hosting this month.

Thanks again for all the leads and for tapping into your network on my behalf - I really appreciate it!



8:02 PM

Great to hear! You're welcome!



[REDACTED] does a lot of high profile hackathons!





Santhosh Kumar V • 1st

Senior Data Engineer | Azure Databricks | Databricks Certified | ...

3h • Edited •



Excited to share that I've joined the judging panel for **#Deepinvent4Good**: a global virtual competition from **Deepinvent** for innovators from around the world to create meaningful, positive inventions on the **Deepinvent** platform.

This is an invitation to invent for the benefit of humanity, with first place winning \$10K + resources.

Join here: <https://lnkd.in/gbw5UuVE>

The **#Inventathon** window is open from now until August 21.

Big thanks to **Mitchell Weller** , **Jason Cheung** for the opportunity!

Follow **Deepinvent** for more info!

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Jason - I'm joining the Hackathon as a judge, and I've also been accepted as a reviewer for NeurIPS.



Jason Cheung • 12:34 PM

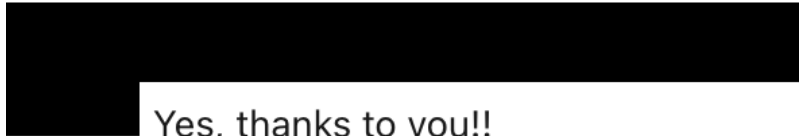
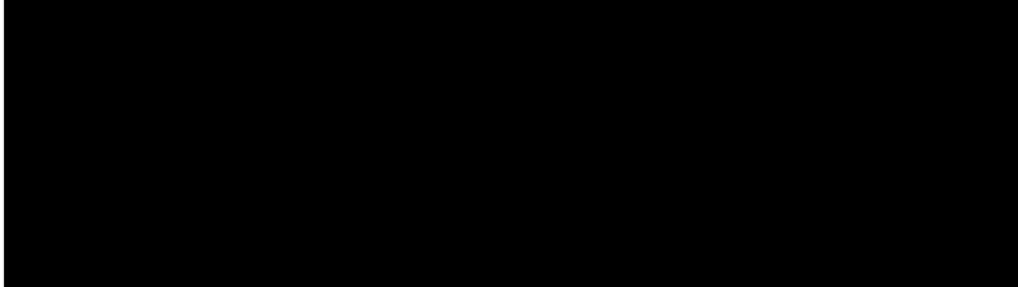
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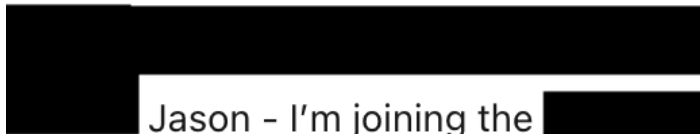
Jason Cheung  • 8:21 PM

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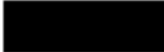


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Yes, thanks to you!!



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Jason Cheung  • 12:34 PM

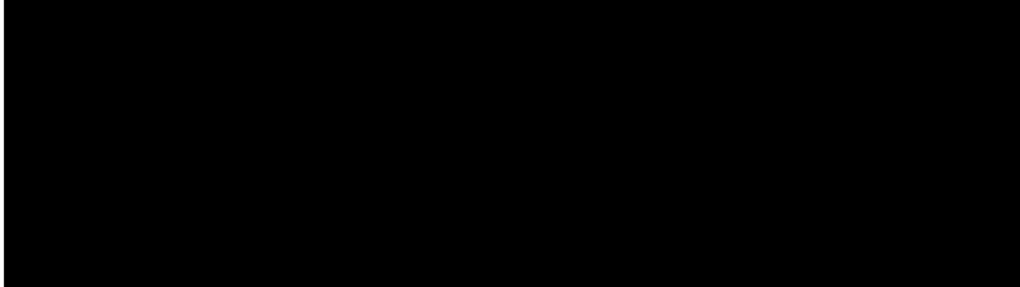
Congrats,





Jason Cheung  · 8:21 PM

You're on event page!



[Redacted]

9:39 PM

Yes, thanks to you!!



[REDACTED] 8:50 AM

Hi Jason - Hope all is well! Had two updates that I wanted to share with you:

1. Got accepted as a Reviewer for [REDACTED] Just received the invite email that I accepted yesterday evening.
2. Got accepted as a judge with the [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Thanks so much for all your help in landing me these opportunities. This would have never been possible without your help.

[REDACTED] 2:42 AM

Thanks so much Jason for the Y Combinator hackathon experience ! Its been enthralling.

And yes please I have reached out to both :)

9:37 PM

Hi Jason, my proposal for the IEEE [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] has been
selected. Thanks for all your guidance and support!
It will be held on [REDACTED]



Jason Cheung  • 11:11 PM

Congrats, [REDACTED]



5:05 PM

Thank you for all your help. You are getting so many
blessings from us. 😊 (Edited)



Jason Cheung  • 5:05 PM

Thank you so much for the kind words!



5:37 PM

Hey Jason,
I heard back from [REDACTED] and my speaking proposal topic
has been accepted in the IEEE [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Thank you for sharing the opportunity!



Jason Cheung  • 5:37 PM

Congrats, [REDACTED]





Jason Cheung  • 11:53 AM

Also, how was the [REDACTED] hackathon?

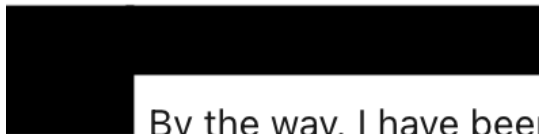


You were on the email thread for selected judges.



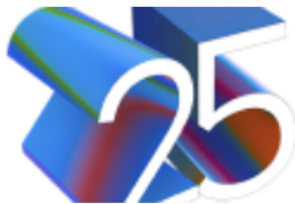
11:57 AM

It was awesome, I really enjoyed that . I have also connected with few others on LinkedIn Who were judging it with me . It's so good to connect with leaders from other organisations as well



9:43 AM

By the way, I have been selected as a speaker for this event: <https://www.devfestdc.org/>



DevFest DC

[devfestdc.org](https://www.devfestdc.org/)

Hello Jason, I am excited to share that I just landed my first judging opportunity with [REDACTED] after connecting with [REDACTED]. Thank you for guiding me in the right direction and helping me get started on this journey. I am really looking forward to building a strong profile for my EB2-NIW and beyond. I will keep you posted on the progress.



1:08 PM

Hi Jason,

Hope you are well!

Once again, thank you for all the opportunities you shared. I got invited as a reviewer for [REDACTED] today thanks to your leads!

6:02 PM

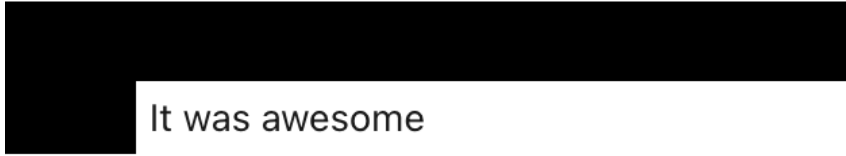
Hey Jason, hope you are well! Since the time I joined, I have started doing a lot of out-reach myself as well. In some cases, it has worked well for me.

For instance, some Profs. also agreed to discuss about my projects, which can then ultimately help me to get into their group to do more.



Jason Cheung  • 9:07 PM

How was the event?



9:14 PM

It was awesome

I did both of them and they both were very nice

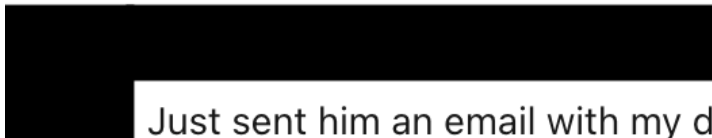
Thank you for sharing this with me

Please let me know if you have any more 😊



Jason Cheung  • 9:15 PM

You're welcome!



6:07 PM

Just sent him an email with my details. Thanks again!



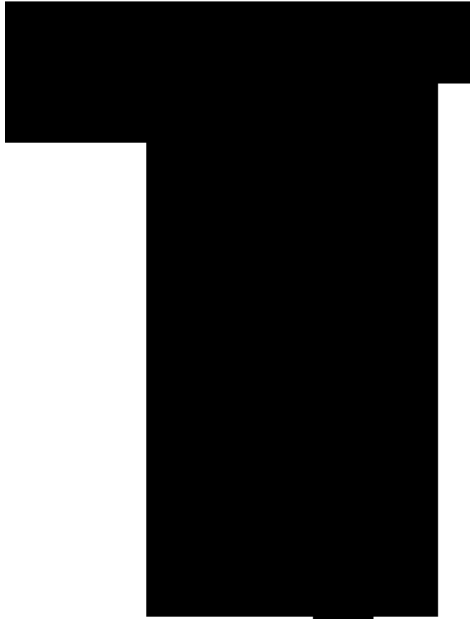
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Jason Cheung  • 2:02 AM

You're welcome!





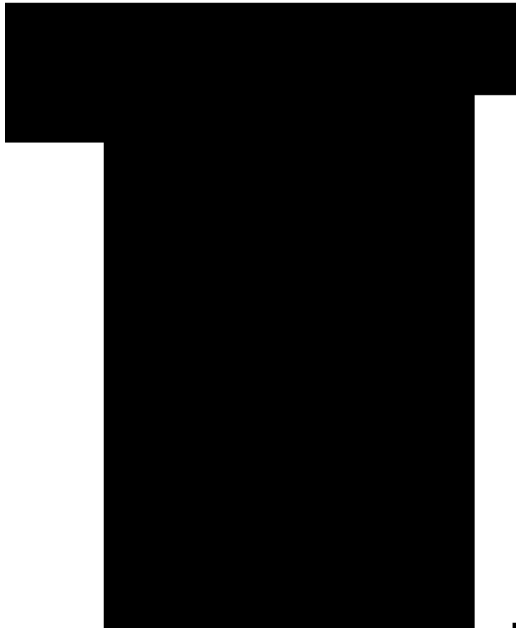
12:15 AM

Hi Jason, [redacted] just confirmed the judging opportunity



Jason Cheung  • 12:48 AM

Great to hear!



9:47 PM

I am in as mentor for [redacted]



Also, you were selected to judge the [REDACTED] hackathon. ✓

[REDACTED] 4:47 PM

I'm open, as long as she feels we can give it a try. I want to try.

[REDACTED]
Just replied to his email.

[REDACTED] 6:08 PM

[REDACTED] has sent an email adding me to the "remote judge" position. 😊



Jason Cheung  • 6:20 PM

Great to hear! ✓

11:22 PM



Jason Cheung  • 11:22 PM

Congrats!



11:39 AM

Hi Jason, thanks for the link to [REDACTED] workshop. I got invited for a review.



Jason Cheung  • 11:40 AM

Congrats, [REDACTED]



1:35 PM

are really great

Going to engage with them

Really great intro!

is looking good, waiting for first paper

Organising guest lectures at my alma mater too, and mentoring some students

Things are moving

• 7:23 PM

Thanks for all your help and support, Jason!



Jason Cheung  • 7:23 PM

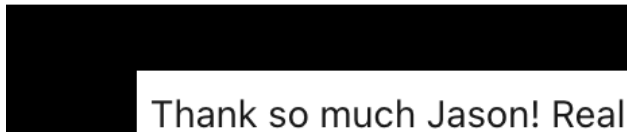
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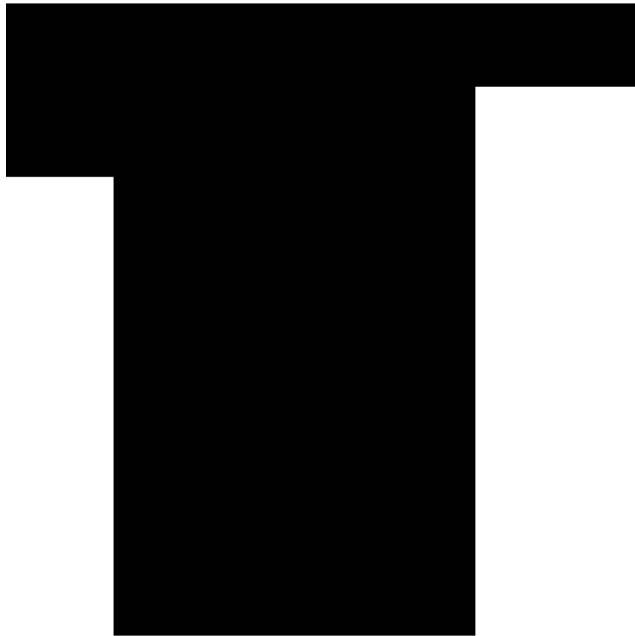
Jason Cheung  • 6:36 PM

Hi [REDACTED] presented your profile for this [REDACTED] hackathon in LA and they are interested in having you as a judge! [REDACTED] If you are interested, feel free to email [REDACTED] for additional details [REDACTED]



7:08 PM

Thank so much Jason! Really appreciate it, will reach out today.

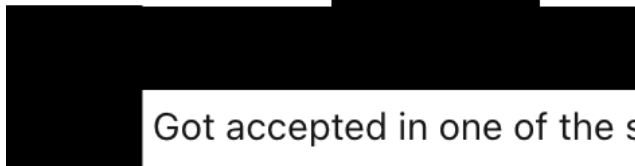


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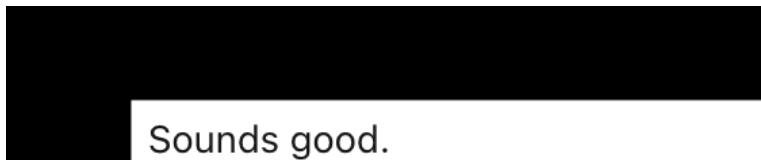
Jason Cheung  • 7:07 PM

Congrats,



7:07 PM

Got accepted in one of the speaking sessions



1:34 AM

Sounds good.



Thanks Jason! Please keep them coming.



Jason Cheung  • 1:35 AM

You're welcome!



[REDACTED] 1:45 AM

Also, the meeting on Monday was good - nice to see some ideas and brainstorming from the group.



Jason Cheung  • 12:42 AM

Sounds good! I have so far been sending opportunities to you directly that are specifically relevant to your profile.



[REDACTED] 12:45 AM

Yup. And they've been very helpful. Thank you!



Jason Cheung  • 12:47 AM

You're welcome! (Edited)



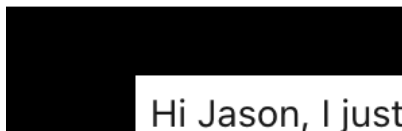


Jason Cheung  • 6:37 PM

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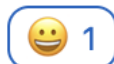


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7:00 PM

Hi Jason, I just sent an email to [REDACTED] Thank you very much for this opportunity. Looking forward for an reply and next steps from [REDACTED]



11:50 AM

Jason, your outreach program has opened up amazing opportunities for me—from judging hackathons to connecting with speaking, peer review, and publication leads. You’ve also helped me overcome one of my biggest challenges by introducing me to the right people, including lawyers, and expanding my network. I really appreciate how you’re continuously improving your outreach and making such a meaningful impact—thank you for all your support and guidance!

1:10 PM

Thank you Jason, you have been an incredibly helpful and detail-oriented guide in building profile.

I’ve close to securing a couple of judging opportunities (finalizing soon). I’d recommend his outreach initiative:: 200%.

1:17 PM

Thank you so much for the kind words!

