# **Ryotaro Kimura**

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Engineer specialising in Human Computer Interaction, Intelligent Machines and Web Development

# Experience

### **Open Source Developer**

WRTN Technologies

🛗 Mar 2025 – June 2025

• Remote

- · Developing Agent OS: OSS for creating AI agents using TypeScript
- · Managing community and supporting users
- Enhancing the developer experience of the project
- · Writing whitepapers and documentation
- R&D for tool-calling and agent creation

# Freelance Engineer

Self-Employed

May 2023 — Present

• Remote

- Teaching and consulting machine learning, web development, and basic Python programming
  - Guided over 40 students
- Built scalable product management systems using TypeScript, React, Storybook, TailwindCSS, and AWS
- Built B2B SaaS products using React, Next.js and Vercel
- Engineered interactive data-visualisation tools using D3.js, SvelteKit, PostgreSQL

# **Cloudflare Engineer**

NOT A HOTEL Inc.

🛱 Jan 2024 – Mar 2024

Japan | Remote

 Developed AI assistant for customer services using Cloudflare Workers, GCP, OpenAI API and React

# **Full-Stack Engineer**

eightis Co., Ltd.

**D** July 2022 – Aug 2023

Japan | Remote

- · Launched and developed SHINTAI: a web and iOS based platform for body-alignment training
  - Web: SvelteKit, Cloudflare Workers and PostgreSQL
  - · iOS app: Swift, SwiftUI and Firebase authentication
  - Machine learning: fine-tuning of pose detection model and run on CoreML
- Collaboration work with athletes and trainers

# **Co-Founder and Chief Research Officer**

# QuantumCore Inc.

**Ö** Oct 2018 – June 2023

**•** Tokyo, Japan | Remote

• Worked on Qore: the core-algorithms to enhance Reservoir Computing(RC)

- 2018 2019: Implement RC and data preprocessing algorithms originally written in Python to embedded devices using C/C++
  - Achieved 120x faster training time compared to LSTM and enabled deployment on embedded devices, including Raspberry Pi and M5Stack.
- 2018 2023: Created and presented a dozens of PoCs using RC, mainly in the field of *time-series*, audio processing, and image processing
- 2020 2023: Launched, developed and operated Sloos: a minute-taking app for remote workers
  - Applied speaker-detection algorithm with RC to automatically generate meeting minutes
  - Built both backend and web frontend using Flask, Angular, MySQL Azure App Directory, and PAY.JP
  - Reached over 1,000 installations in companies across Japan
  - Won Microsoft for Startups partnership
- 2021 Qore Cloud: a web-based no-code tool for fine-tuning RC models using SvelteKit, prisma, and PostgreSQL

# Projects

# Web Development

I created some websites and web applications. Here are some of them:

- ryoppippi.com: My personal website. It is built using SvelteKit, UnoCSS, and custom markdown-it plugins. I wrote all classes by hand. I created this without any AI/LLM tools.
- Vim-JP Radio LP: A landing page for a podcast presented by vim-jp community.
- pr.ryoppippi.com: A personal page to list up my recent OSS contributions.

# **Open Source Projects**

I have started and contributed to many open source projects. Here are some of them:

# AI Tools

- ccusage (合 2.1k): CLI tool for analysing Claude Code token usage and costs from local JSONL files. Features include daily/monthly/session-based reports, live monitoring, real-time dashboard, model-specific tracking, and cost analysis. Built with TypeScript and designed for incredibly fast and informative insights.
- *SiteMCP* (分 500): Fetch an entire site and use it as an MCP Server. This tool scrapes pages from a website, converts into markdown files, cache them, and serves them as a local MCP server. It is useful

when you ask LLMs to ask questions about a libraries/documentation.

• *curxy* (1/2 316): Simple proxy worker for using ollama in cursor. If we want to use local LLM models in cursor, we need to have a proxy between local ollama server and remote cursor server. This tool is a simple proxy worker for that.

#### Web Development / TypeScript Ecosystem

- *unplugin-typia* ( $\bigtriangleup$  62): A plugin for bundlers to use Typia. Typia is a TypeScript validation library which generates logic from TypeScript type. Before this plugin, it was hard to use Typia in bundlers like Vite, Webpack, and esbuild. This plugin made a huge impact on the Typia ecosystem.
- *pkg-to-jsr* (☆ 25): Zero-config tool that generates jsr.json from package.json. This tool is useful when you publish node projects into JSR registry.
- *mirror-jsr-to-npm* (合 15): A tool designed to mirror packages from JSR to npm. It is useful when you want to publish your package to both npm and JSR registries.
- *vim-svelte-inspector* (分 15): A plugin for Neovim and Vim to integrate with Svelte Inspector or Vue Inspector. When you click a component on the browser, it opens the corresponding component in your vim.
- *sveltweet* (☆ 6): A Svelte component for embedding tweets. JavaScript is not required, and it supports both SSR and pre-rendering. It enhances the performance of your website.

#### Zig

- *zigcv* (☆ 118): Zig bindings for OpenCV. This project is a wrapper for OpenCV in Zig. It is a good example of how to use Zig with C++ libraries.
- nyancat.zig (分 23): Running nyancat in your terminal. Written in Zig.

#### **Miscellaneous**

 "影のキャンバス-Silhouette on Canvas" -Interactive art installation with projection mapping. Created with kinect and Processing.

# **Publications**

- Artificial Neural Networks for Realized Volatility Prediction in Cryptocurrency Time Series ISNN 2019: Advances in Neural Networks 2019 (Full papers)
- An Intuitive Interface for Digital Synthesizer by Pseudo-intention Learning Audio Mostly 2019 (Full papers)
- prometheus: A mobile telepresence system connecting the 1st person and 3rd person perspectives continuously SIGGRAPH Asia 2022 (Poster)

### Talks

- vim-jp radio #23/#24 (Japanese): Talking about academia and open source development
- Neovim for Frontend Developers: Boosting Productivity and Creativity VimConf 2024
- Neovim for Web Frontend Developers: Boosting your Dev with some plugins | Neovim Conf 2024 neovimconf.live 2024:
- TEDxYouth@Tokyo 2013

# **Tech Community Activities**

- *vim-jp*: Active contributor writing technical articles and participating in community discussions
- Svelte Japan: Active member contributing to Svelte Tokyo meetups and community initiatives

# **Natural Languages**

- English (IELTS 6.5)
- Japanese (Native)

# Education

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#### **Master of Applied Computer Science**

University of Tokyo	
📩 Apr 2019 – Mar 2022	🕈 Tokyo, Japan

**Applied Computer Science** 

#### **Bachelor of Arts**

International Christian University 🛗 Apr 2015 – May 2019

🗣 Tokyo, Japan

Information Science Major, Economics Minor Dean's List (GPA: 3.86/4)

#### **Exchange Program**

The University of Edinburgh 📩 Sep 2017 – May 2018

• Edinburgh, UK

School of Informatics

# **Other Information**

#### Visa Status

Already have a work permission without restrictions in UK (spouse visa)