VisibleThread Internship
Intern Testimonial

1. Name and dates that you completed your internship:

Clan Nugent McGealy, January-August 2020

2. Reason for choosing the Internship with VisibleThread:

I was looking for an opportunity to work where I could take on responsibility, where my contributions could have an impact on end-users. Once I got to meet the team at VisibleThread, I realized that it was exactly the kind of environment I was looking for.

3. Favourite aspect of the Internship:

The friendly and supportive team at VisibleThread make it a particularly good learning environment. As it is a relatively small engineering team, I had the opportunity to work in many different product areas, knowing that all of my changes would make it into the customer’s hands.

4. What you feel you gained most from completing the internship:

I took on more responsibility in VisibleThread than in my previous internships. I was able to work on customer impacting, production code as soon as I started. This really helped to accelerate my learning and help me develop as an engineer.

5. The biggest takeaway in learning from the internship:

As well as specific technical learnings, I had great exposure to software project management processes, particularly feature planning and writing feature specifications. Of all skills I gained while working at VisibleThread, this was probably the most broadly applicable and useful going forward in my career.

6. Would you recommend Visible thread to current students seeing internship? Why?
Absolutely. Having done internships in several companies, VisibleThread stood out to me as an excellent place to be an intern. I was treated as an engineer, a valued member of the team, and was trusted to design and implement customer-facing solutions to unique problems. I continually felt like I was contributing something valuable to the company and its customers, which is not something that every internship can provide.