# Taking the rush out of the BART rush hour 

Knowing which car<br>will be best to board

Andrew Nelson
Patrick Shaughnessy
Sergio Prada
Learie Hercules
Veda Rogers

## Problem- Random Boarding



## Solution- Distributed Boarding



Platform Indicators
Lights above platform indicate best standing position for boarding.

## Platform- GE Predix core

Occupancy Sensing
Use a GE smart lamp in a
train car to collect video, and
Honeywell software on
Predix to gauge occupancy


## BART Dashboard

## Montgomery Station

## Next Train: Headed to Daly City, will be arriving in 10



49\% Space Available

## Embarcadero Station

Next Train: Headed to Daly City, will be arriving in 8
Car 1
Car 2


Data Aggregation
Transmit data in real time to BART dashboard for occupancy and capacity optimization
github.com/Czechh/bartApp

## Customer Centric

## Mobile Web Application

Inform passengers of optimal boarding car on a train in addition to normal schedule information


## Passenger Rail Market- Volume

## 10.2 billion

passengers transported
All passenger rail services, excludes urban transport

## 635.4 billion

## 2.0 billion

Long distance passengers $>100 \mathrm{~km}$

## 368 million

High speed rail passengers
$>250 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ new high speed tracks $>200 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ on upgraded tracks

## Passenger Rail Market Per Country



Passenger－km volume by country（in billions）

| 584 ［ 111111$]$ | 609 |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\square 85$ |  |
| 256 |  |
| 1788 |  |
| 140 |  |
| 1147 |  |
| － 22 |  |
| $\square 19$ | cou |
| 1251 | ，Ger |
| 118 | min |
| － 18 | ma |
| － 11 |  |
| $\square 211$ |  |
| －111 |  |
| －7 |  |
| － 8 |  |
| － 6 |  |
| 14 |  |
| 13 |  |
| 12 |  |
| 12 |  |
| Cross－border | ■ |
|  |  |
| ャッッロー |  |

## Passenger Rail Purgatory

## Get to the station, and arrive at the platform

Wait around for the train to arrive, maybe walk around

Everyone else had the same idea, and now they're all squeezing in


Check app and boards
for time until the next train arrival

When the train arrives, rush to a car that looks
empty

## Passenger Rail Heaven

Get to the station, and arrive at the platform

Keep an eye on the
occupancy status or
wait for the next train

Have some space to breathe and move in the least crowded car


Check app and boards
for time until the next train arrival

Right before the train arrives, stand at the right platform position

## Questions?

## People to hire:

Andrew Nelson
Sergio Prada
Veda Rogers
andy@andyhub.com
sergioprada@sergioprada.com
mobiappdev123@gmail.com


