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Video: "Why You Should Hire Me" https://youtu.be/\_xss5Dtfvlk

#### SUMMARY

Full Stack Web Developer with a background in science, teaching, computer graphic arts, and digital media.

Problem-solver, critical-thinker that likes to create visually appealing, user-friendly websites.

Known for innovation, divergent thinking, and hardworking.

### **Technical Skills**

Languages: JavaScript, HTML, HTML5, Python

**Applications:** GIT/GitLab, GitHub, React, MERN Stack, CSS, Bootstrap, Tailwind, Coolors, mobile UI design, API's, Object-Oriented Programming (OOP), Express, MVC, NoSQL, JQuery, MongoDB, Handlebars, PWA, relational and non-relational databases, Slack, Discord, Scratch, Codesters, Tynker, PixIr E, PowerPoint, G Suite, FlipAnim, Tinkercad, and Storyboard That.

Software, OS, & Conferencing: PC, Mac, Edison Robots, WeVideo (Digital Content Creation), and Zoom

#### **Relevant Experience**

Title: 7-8th Grade Teacher

2015 - 2022

Company: Tortolita Middle School, Marana Unified School District (MUSD)

Tucson, Arizona

Taught introductory coding (HTML, CSS, Python), introductory computer graphic arts, TV Broadcasting, and 7-8th Grade Science. Designed and authored new content, researched curriculum and made improvements to existing content. Collaborated with others to make curriculum improvements for the learning environment.

Key Accomplishments:

- 2022 MUSD teacher recognized for innovation (2:39 in this video: <a href="https://youtu.be/vL70FDA95YQ">https://youtu.be/vL70FDA95YQ</a>)
- 2021-2022 Project managed 10 or so students, made and delivered the news every morning.
- 2020-2021 Lead Remote Teacher (up to 180 students) and 2019 Culver's Teacher of the Month Award.

**Title:** 6th Grade Teacher 2001 – 2015 Tucson, Arizona

**Company:** Ironwood Elementary School, Marana Unified School District *Key Accomplishments:* 

- Project Manager for the 6th Grade Greek Olympics (130 students, 20 parents, 3 teachers) and promotion photo show (fundraiser created, for children with cancer).
- Love of Reading Week "Who Am I?" display creator.

## **Additional Experience**

**Title:** Content Creator **Company:** Self-employed

November 2022 - present
Tucson, Arizona

Azores Travel & Genealogy: https://tinyurl.com/atgytc

Key Accomplishments:

• Created the logo and YouTube videos about travel and genealogy research in Azores, Portugal.

Title: Assistant Hiking Organizer

2016 - present

Company: The Tucson Hiking Meetup Group

Tucson, Arizona

Key Accomplishments:

 Planned, organized, led hikes, and have earned 5-star reviews. Example:: https://tinyurl.com/43ax7n5h

## **PROJECTS**

Portfolio | https://github.com/123sites/Ballot-Box | https://ballotbox.herokuapp.com/

- Portfolio of apps created
- Created logo, has Coolors, React, JavaScript, CSS, Tailwind, Coolors, ESLint, Heroku, and responsive

## Bark Buddy | https://cf-bark-buddy.herokuapp.com | https://github.com/123sites/bark-buddy

- App that helps people pick the best dog breed for them
- Group project Created front-end: Custom logo & Favicon, CSS (with variables), Bootstrap, JavaScript (including styling), Coolors, Font Awesome icons, dark and light mode version
- Also has JWT, stripe, MERN, API, GraphQL, ESLint, Heroku, installable and uses a web manifest, has a polished UI that has a responsive web design

### Ballot-Box | https://github.com/123sites/Ballot-Box | https://ballotbox.herokuapp.com/

- Voting App
- Group project Created front-end: CSS, Bootstrap, Coolors, JavaScript, Handlebars
- Also has Express, Sequelize, MVC file structure, ESLint, Heroku, polished UI that's responsive

# Command Line App | <a href="https://github.com/123sites/Command-Line-Application">https://github.com/123sites/Command-Line-Application</a> | <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pTnL5LTORCw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pTnL5LTORCw</a>

- Organized business databases
- Back-end project with an attractive display, including color (Figlet and Chalk)
- Node.js, JavaScript, MySql2, Inquirer, console.table

#### **EDUCATION**

Bootcamp Certificate: University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

2022 - 2023

Full-Stack Development certification program that focuses on skills with JavaScript, React, MERN Stack, Bootstrap, Node.js, MySQL, MongoDB, HTML, CSS, jQuery, and more.

**STEM Teacher certification:** University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

June 2019 – 2019

Built an ROV and participated in a competition at the pool at the University of Arizona. I learned how to solder and connect the wiring to get our ROV remote controller to work.

## Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education, K-8 and earned 4 endorsements 2015

August 2001 -

University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

Endorsed in: Middle School, Science, STEM and teaching second language learners.