

KAREN LOBIN PERKINS

FULL STACK WEB DEVELOPER

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SUMMARY ▶

As a design-oriented full stack developer, I bring energy and determination to everything I do. I am an empathetic leader and a creative problem solver. Given my background as a Rower and Crossfitter, in addition to my substantial experience in operations, I have the drive to accomplish goals in fast-paced team environments. Passionate about languages, travel, and fitness, I look to make a positive difference in the world with software development.

EMPLOYMENT ▶

General Assembly, *Software Engineering Immersive | Engineering Fellow* July.2020 to Oct..2020

General Assembly's Web Development Immersive is a 12 week long training program dedicated to prepare students to think like engineers and approach problems creatively in order to build the next generation of web applications and digital products.

Working as an individual and with teams, I thrived in the fast paced of learning multiple languages and building projects quickly.

Jerry Lobin Process Service Inc (JLPS), *Operations Manager/Process Server* Mar..2005 to May.2020

I took over the day-to-day operations of my father's process serving business while building it to a leader in the industry in Metro Atlanta.

- * Managed 2-5 office employees and 5-10 outside contractors as well as separate payroll systems for each
- * Maintained relationships with several attorney offices, large and small, some local, some national
- * Cultivated relationships with courthouse personnel in multiple jurisdictions
- * Knowledge of Georgia law as pertaining to:
 - * Service of civil process
 - * Debt collection
 - * Filing of civil suits, garnishments, and other documents in many different jurisdictions
 - * Explanation of legal concepts to laypersons in a succinct manner
- * Created a training system and trained all employees and subcontractors in legalities of the industry and computer programs
- * Practiced mediation and compromise between employees, subcontractors, clients, courthouses, garnishee recipients, and defendants
- * Notary Public, State of Georgia

SKILLS ▶

TECHNICAL SKILLS: ReactJS, GatsbyJS, CSS, Javascript, Python, Django, NodeJS, ExpressJS, EJS Templating, GoogleOAuth, MongooseJS, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, HTML, JWT, Markdown, Bootstrap, Semanti UI, Materialize, jQuery, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Fireworks

SOFT SKILLS: Notary Public, State of Georgia, Conflict Resolution, Time Management, Decision Making, Training/Communication, Spanish Speaker

PROJECTS ▶

[bilingüe](#)

A full CRUD Django/Python app for maintaining Spanish language skills, designed with pure CSS. Keep vocabulary lists, find movie and other media recommendations, and find Spanish language social media to follow.

[Psychedelic Roulette](#)

A vibrant, digital update to a centuries old table game built in HTML, pure CSS, and Javascript.

[Meet Your Maker](#)

A full CRUD MERN app connecting urban farmers and makers with local buyers. A group project that utilizes AWS-SDK and Semantic UI for React. Buy and sell freshly harvested, home-cooked, and hand-made goods in the Metropolitan Atlanta area.

[wodWizard](#)

A full CRUD ExpressJS/NodeJS app for daily workouts and workout tracking. Get a random workout at each login, add your own workouts, and keep track of your progressions.

EDUCATION ▶

General Assembly

Certificate of Completion Software Engineering Immersive
2020

Georgia State University

BA Spanish for International Business

ACTIVITIES ▶

Atlanta Rowing Club, *Rowing Instruction and Volunteering*

June.2013 to Current

- * Volunteer in timing at the second largest regatta in the U.S. working with referees, regatta officials, and third party timing software companies.
- * Coach new rowers in Learn to Row classes
- * Coaching and training teammates for regattas
- * Competitive teams embolden my ability to take and give constructive criticism.
- * Give seminars on indoor rowing at local CrossFit gyms
- * Competed in Masters competitions including the Canadian Henley and the Worlds Masters Regatta.