# Anthony E Cruz

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**SKILLS**   React, Redux, Ruby, Ruby on Rails, Javascript (ES6), jQuery, SQL, SQLite3, PostgreSQL, Git, HTML5, CSS3, AJAX, Mongoose, Webpack, Node.js, MongoDB, Git, Heroku, Express.js

## PROJECTS

**Pinspiration** (Rails, React, Redux, HTML5, Webpack, Git, AWS, CSS3)                                        **Live Site |Github**
*A fullstack Pinterest clone where users can sign up, personalize profiles, create boards, and upload photos to those boards.*
- Implemented AWS S3 API with Active Storage and React Dropzone to provide a user friendly drag and drop image upload experience.
- Optimized backend requests by utilizing JBuilder with AJAX requests and Rails Associations to efficiently populate the React state which allows for fast scaling and addition of new features.
- Generated user authentication pattern and secured user information by implementing BCrypt library and storing passwords as a hash object.

**CAMP** (Javascript, MongoDB, Mongoose, Express.js, React / Redux, Node.js, HTML, Webpack, Git, CSS)      **Live Site | Github**
*A language learning platform that provides basic english lessons and facilitates the connection between students and teachers.*
- Team lead on collaborative project with three other software engineers, adhering to strict Git workflow to minimize merge conflicts.
- Implemented Mongoose with MongoDB to structure object oriented schema.
- Developed backend routes, models, and validations to store and retrieve data though Axios requests.

**DataViz** (Javascript, HTML, Webpack, Git, CSS, D3.js)                                               **Live Site | Github**
*A single-page plain JavaScript app that provides visual representations of the wealth gap in the United States.*
- Converted data downloaded from Yahoo Finance and the United States Federal Reserve into CSV files interpreted by D3.js.
- Utilized vanilla JavaScript DOM manipulation to create a welcome modal.
- Implemented D3.js mouseover functionality to display tooltip that dynamically tracks mouse position.

## EXPERIENCE

**Lyft Inc,** *Driver*   New York, NY                                                                    2020
- Achieved the rank of Lyft Platinum Partner 4.96, completing over 5,000 trips.
- Implemented Intuit Quickbooks to manage expenses, track miles, and maximize deductions.
- Consistently received above average ratings by delivering exceptional customer service to all clients and assuring complete satisfaction.

**Fedex Trade Networks Transport & Brokerage,** *Accounting Clerk / Accounts Payable*   Queens, NY            2019
- Rectified a vendor account that was over $120,000 in arrears by processing over 100 outstanding invoices in under 4 days as compared to the allotted two week period.
- Aligned objectives and bridged communications with airlines in order to verify freight information and designate the appropriate pick up.
- Efficiently processed over 200 invoices per week, ensuring accuracy and completion.

**Okapi Partners,** *Investor Relations Analyst*   New York, NY                                           2018
- Managed and forged new relationships with over 50 portfolio managers and chief investment officers of domestic and international institutional shareholders, which held positions relevant to current campaigns.
- Collaborated with upper management to integrate feedback and refine current promotional material for Third Point LLC campaign to replace the board of directors of Campbell Soup Company.
- Monitored and maintained the company database in Excel by extrapolating key information from public documents of institutions, certifying all information was current.
- Updated Salesforce database of contacts for a senior partner by referencing current company directory information and corresponding via phone when necessary.

## EDUCATION

**App Academy**   New York, NY                                                                           2020
- Rigorous 1000-hour software development course with <3% acceptance rate

**Queens College**   Queens, NY                                                                          2018
- Bachelor of Arts in Economics