Austin Wang

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SUMMARY

Enthusiastic and detail-oriented Full-Stack Developer with over 3 years of experience in front-end, back-end, and mobile application development. Demonstrated proficiency in building responsive UI/UX designs, integrating RESTful APIs, and collaborating within agile development teams. Adept at transforming business requirements into functional software solutions, backed by comprehensive testing and performance optimization methodologies.

SKILLS

- Front-end: React with Hooks and Redux, Vue.js, Next.js, Angular, SCSS with BEM methodology, Tailwind CSS, Material UI, Bootstrap
- Back-end: Node with Express, Meteor, Django, RESTful API Integration
- Database: MongoDB, Mongoose ODM, PostgreSQL, Firebase Realtime Database
- Mobile: Android Studio (Java), React Native
- Testing & CI/CD: Jest, React Testing Library, Enzyme, Espresso, Junit, Jenkins, Docker
- **Tools**: Git, Github, Figma, Agile methodologies

WORK EXPERIENCE

Antra | Remote | Front-End Developer | Jun 2022 - Jun 2023

Project Name: PatUI Component Library Development

Project Detail: Actively participated in developing the PatUI web suite, focusing on creating reusable React components, refining styles with SCSS, and ensuring rigorous unit testing and CI/CD integration.

- Dove deep into modern front-end development, understanding the intricacies of frameworks such as Next.js for server-side rendering, Vue.js for reactive UI, and advanced styling techniques with SCSS and BEM methodology.
- Contributed to the development of the PatUI project, assisting in creating efficient, reusable, and maintainable UI components using React with Hooks and Context API.
- Supported the team's decision to adopt SCSS as a CSS pre-processor, helping in the utilization of variables, mixins, and nested rules to enhance stylesheet maintainability and modularity.

- Assisted in maintaining strict code quality by participating in unit tests using tools like Jest, React Testing Library, and Enzyme to validate component behaviors and user interactions.
- Participated in the CI/CD process, aiding in the integration of Jenkins and
 Docker to ensure consistent and error-free deployments across different stages.
- Worked alongside UX/UI designers to convert design mockups from Figma and Adobe XD into interactive web pages, striving for accuracy in design implementation.
- Collaborated with the team using Git and platforms like GitHub, facilitating code reviews, and supporting seamless feature integrations.
- Engaged in weekly agile ceremonies, actively participating in sprint planning, stand-ups, and retrospectives, providing feedback and ensuring that tasks were progressing as planned.

Boston Planning & Development Agency | Boston, MA | Full-Stack Developer | Sep 2021 - May 2022

Project Name: Boston Streetwise Dashboard

Project Detail: Participated in developing an interactive map-based dashboard for Boston street management, encompassing front-end, backend, design collaboration, and secure authentication features.

- Contributed to front-end development using React with Hooks and Redux for state management; employed Tailwind CSS with PostCSS plugins for efficient styling.
- Worked closely with an intern designer, assisting in refining design concepts and turning mock-ups created in Figma into interactive web components.
- Engaged in backend development, using Node with Express, and integrated MongoDB for efficient data storage and retrieval; ensured data integrity with Mongoose ODM.
- Assisted in implementing user authentication and authorization processes, leveraging JWT for token-based authentication and Bcrypt for secure password hashing.
- Played a role in deploying and monitoring the application on Heroku, ensuring smooth operation and handling any potential scalability concerns.
- Actively took part in regular code reviews, optimizing application performance and ensuring adherence to best coding practices using tools like ESLint and Prettier.
- Participated in agile development processes, attending daily stand-ups, and collaborating effectively with team members to address project hurdles.

BoardX | Remote | Full-Stack Developer | May 2020 - May 2021

Project name: Collaborative Digital Whiteboard

Project Detail: Assisted in building a dynamic homepage and a collaborative office feature using Meteor, Angular, and PostgreSQL, enhancing real-time multi-user interactions and broadening audience reach with bilingual support.

- Participated in the development of the company homepage using Meteor with Angular, incorporating a responsive design using Material UI components.
- Assisted in the integration of the i18n library, enabling dynamic homepage translation between English and Chinese, ensuring a broader audience reach.
- Engaged in the design and implementation of real-time data models in
 PostgreSQL, powering a collaborative office feature that enhances teamwork.
- Worked alongside the team to utilize Angular, leveraging websockets for realtime mouse tracking, facilitating seamless multi-user collaborative editing experiences.
- Regularly received constructive feedback and mentorship from senior developers and the founder, delving deeper into advanced code optimization techniques and understanding the latest industry best practices.

PROJECTS

Android Rnning App | Coursework Project

Project Detail: Collaboratively developed an Android running app using Java, integrating real-time data synchronization, social sharing, and comprehensive testing methodologies for an enhanced user-centric experience.

- Employed Java in Android Studio, integrating Google Maps API for map rendering and accessing device hardware APIs to capture real-time motion data.
- Leveraged Firebase Realtime Database for real-time data synchronization and SharedPreferences for local data persistence.
- Crafted a responsive UI/UX design using XML layouts, custom views, and
 Material Design principles for a cohesive look and feel.
- Integrated APIs for social sharing, enabling users to boast about their running milestones on platforms like Facebook and Twitter with ease.
- Conducted thorough testing using Espresso for UI testing and JUnit for unit testing, ensuring seamless performance and optimal user experience.

Python Investment Analysis Tool | Collaborative Project

Project Detail: "Auto Monkey" - A multifaceted stock analysis platform, blending technical indicators, fundamental insights, and portfolio backtesting to guide user's informed investment decisions.

- Worked closely with four business school colleagues to craft "Auto Monkey," a comprehensive stock analysis tool enabling both technical and fundamental analysis alongside strategic portfolio optimization.
- Developed a responsive dashboard interface employing Python's Streamlit and
 Plotly libraries, prioritizing real-time data visualization and user interactivity.
- Integrated the power of TA-Lib Python library, providing users with over 150 technical analysis functions, from moving averages to Bollinger Bands, to guide data-driven investment choices.
- Leveraged the Backtrader Python framework for strategy testing and validation, offering users the capability to simulate portfolio performance based on historical data patterns.
- Seamlessly connected to Financial Modeling Prep API using RESTful requests, ensuring users have consistent access to updated stock market insights.

EDUCATION

Boston University

B.S. in Computer Science

Sep 2018 – May 2022