# Benjamin Geyer

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## SKILLS

#### **PROGRAMMING**

Languages:

JavaScript • CSS/SCSS/HTML

Python • SQL • Ruby

Libraries:

Node • React/Redux

MongoDB • Firebase

Cucumber/Selenium

Tools:

Docker • GitHub • AWS

# **EDUCATION**

#### UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

BS IN NATURAL SCIENCE

Dec 16 | Pittsburgh, PA Focus: CS, Math, and Physics

#### **BIDWELL**

ASSOC. IN CHEMISTRY Grad. May 2011 | Pittsburgh, PA

# LINKS

Github: Benjamin-G LinkedIn: benjamin-r-geyer Twitter: @ funktional

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# COURSEWORK

#### **UDEMY CERTIFICATIONS**

Full-Stack Web Apps with Meteor+React React Web Developer Course Advance CSS and SASS

Server Side Rendering with React+Redux Selenium with Java and Cucumber BDD The Complete JavaScript Course

Docker Mastery: The Complete Toolset 70-461 Querying Microsoft SQL Server Docker for Node.js Projects

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

GIS, GPS, and Computer Methods Int. Programming Using Java Data Structures Linear Algebra 1

# HIGHLIGHTED EXPERIENCES

#### LEARN ACADEMY | STUDENT | WEB DEVELOPER

Oct 2019 - Present | San Diego, CA

- Pair programming and executing software projects in teams
- Test driven development using Jest and RSpec
- Collaboration towards projects using Git

## UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH | NEUROLOGY | RESEARCH TECHNICIAN

Jan 2012 - Aug 2019 | Pittsburgh, PA

- Coordinates and trains beginner to experienced lab personnel
- Promotes collaboration between research groups
- Succeeded research with Post-Docs included brain dissections, behavioral studies, and assay completion
- Optimized purchases and insurance of common equipment
- Managed multiple different tasks while going to school during the years at the job

### PLEXTRONICS | STARTUP COMPANY | MULTIPLE RESEARCH POSITIONS

Mar 2011 - Dec 2011 | Pittsburgh, PA

- Adapted in a high paced development with high-output of research
- Succeeded by being trained and researched on three different teams
- Classifies small molecule characteristics in an analytical lab
- Conducts synthesis and formulation of polymers
- Measures device characteristics in a clean room environment
- Communicates all results with in a large team

# **PROJECTS**

# Notes-V2

Self

The orginal notes app was created in a Udemy course using React, SCSS, Meteor and MongoDB. Took the time to refactor the project to use Firebase for both authentication and cloud database management. Tech used Firebase, Yarn, SCSS, and React. Deployed on Heroku.

#### CHAT SERVER

**Coding Interview** 

No database permitted and persisted information with local storage and websockets. Created this with no prior experience with Python Flask or Websockets. Tech used ReactJS, Python Flask, Web-sockets, Bootstrap for styling.

# INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

- Music and circus performances for private/public events
- Slackline and juggling based events and instruction
- Cooking, before scientific research was a line cook and sous-chef