Benjamin Burke

Full Stack Developer

I'm a motivated software developer who is an advocate of continuous learning, and am always looking to improve my skills as a coder. With a background in coaching, I am receptive to change and able to adapt to solve and cater to peoples needs.

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EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering ImmerseiveGeneral Assembly

06/2019 – 09/2019 Stamford, CT

An intensive three-month program focused on common best practices in object-oriented programming, frameworks, and test-driven development

Achievements/Tasks

- Dedicated 40+ hours a week mastering HTML, CSS, Javascript, node, rails among other technologies
- Learned full stack web development with a focus on React, Express & EJS, Ruby on Rails, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, HTML & CSS, JavaScript & jQuery
- BarNone, a website for reading and searching alcoholic drink recipes with a Rails backend and React frontend
- CryptoSeek, a website for looking up top 100 cryptocurrency prices. Built with Express / EJS

Youth Soccer Coach

Blue Wave Kickers Director and Darien Soccer Association

12/2011 – Present Darien, CT

Coaching kids to accelerate their own progress and success in soccer while provide young athletes with the tools to improve and enjoy soccer for life.

Achievements/Tasks

- Organized training sessions, creating lesson plans for children ages 2 to 8 and 16 to 19 year olds
- Managed summer camps and soccer programs overseeing multiple coaches at a time
- Led teams of 3 to 5 coaches to manage time and organize sessions

Health Beauty Care Clerk

Stop & Shop

11/2017 – Present

Darien, CT

Achievements/Tasks

- Duties included ordering, organizing and displaying items in HBC department
- Oversee inventory to make sure the stock is always full, order items when necessary
- Resolved customer questions and issues for products

SKILLS

Customer Care

Coaching

Leadership

Planning

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Front End Development

Javascript, JQuery, AJAX, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, React

Back End Development

Ruby on Rails, Ruby, Express, NODE.js, Java

Database

PostgreSQL, MySQL, Mongo

Other Technologies

Microsoft Excel, Git, Github, Microsoft Powerpoint,

EDUCATION

Certificate of Completion, Software Engineering

General Assembly

06/2019 - 09/2019

Stamford, CT

Bachelor of Arts General Studies

University of Connecticut

09/2013 – 05/2018

ACHIEVEMENTS

Eagle Scout

Completed Eagle Scout requirements for the Boy Scouts of America in 2011. Project included making emergency preparedness kits for seniors. Presented on what to do in case of a natural disaster.

Founding member for the Darien Chapter of SADD (01/2010 – 06/2011)

Helped build a chapter of SADD, Students Against Destructive Decisions, whose mission was to let students say no to drinking. Helped produce award winning PSA video.

INTERESTS

Camping

Comic Book Collecting

Following Current Events

Reading and Writing