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Summary

A career creative with a background in Advertising and Journalism. Years of experience adapting to new technologies and exceeding project expectations, has provided a deep understanding of how user experience drives production.

Team-oriented individual who excels at collaborating across diverse groups.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

JavaScript ES6+, CSS3, HTML5, GitHub, MongoDB, MySQL, Express, React, Node, Handlebars, jQuery

PROJECTS

Synapse — *Data visualization* | https://github.com/Blake-design/learning-tree | https://synapse-learning.herokuapp.com

Synapse is a web application built using MERN that lets users map out their journey to knowledge by building a hierarchical data tree. Since each user builds their dynamic data structure it was not only a great opportunity to explore the limitations of GraphQL but to practice writing recursive algorithms to parse and construct data on the front end.

Space EMS — *Full-Stack Asteroids clone* | https://github.com/Blake-design/Space-EMS | <

Space EMS is a full-stack Asteroids clone that utilizes p5.js for the functionality of the game. The frame was built with MySQL and Express.js, using Express Handlebars and Sequelize.

The I.T. Crowd Quiz — Interactive Multiple Choice Quiz | https://github.com/Blake-design/IT_Crowd_Quiz | https://github.com/Blake-design/IT_Crowd_Quiz | https://blake-design.github.io/IT_Crowd_Quiz |

Test your knowledge of the I.T. Crowd. This is a fun interactive quiz that showcases what can be built with responsive CSS, HTML, and Vanilla JS.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Ackerman McQueen, OKC, Oklahoma —Showrunner / Videographer/ Editor

Sept 2015 - June 2021

Showrunner for BancFirst LoyalTV, a documentary web series spotlighting Oklahoma communities. In addition to directing the production of our award-winning weekly series, I managed a team of creatives to meet the demands of our year-round production.

EDUCATION

UTSA — FullStack Web Development Certificate

July 2021 - Jan 2022

A 32-week Full-Stack Web Development Bootcamp.

This course taught me a wide variety of technologies. From the building blocks of front-end development to database structures on the server, I learned how to implement MERN stack technology to build web applications.