Brendan McGuirk

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Objective

As a results-driven software engineer with 5 years of experience, I excel in developing full-stack solutions that enhance user experience. I thrive in roles where I can contribute to all stages of software development, and I am seeking opportunity to create products that positively impact millions.

Experience

Software Engineer II • Jacobs

May 2019 - Present

- Founded and led the Azure DevOps extensions team, creating custom React applications to streamline metrics gathering and reporting, thereby reducing product delivery time and enhancing Agile processes.
- Developed a full-stack, web-based planning application for the Air Force, serving hundreds of thousands
 of active pilots. Implemented a distributed microservice architecture to ensure minimal downtime and
 effective workload balancing.
- Designed and developed a multi-platform version of the planning application with offline capabilities, emphasizing reconnection synchronization and code reusability.
- Mentored an engineering intern, conducted phone screenings and interviews, and delivered technical presentations on emerging technologies to the entire company.
- Played a crucial role in supporting over 70 developers while on the DevSecOps team, creating, updating, and improving build and release pipelines, and managing git repositories.

Sergeant, NH Army National Guard • 39th Army Band

August 2014 - August 2022

- Led and managed a team of 6 soldiers, providing resources, information, and support to ensure optimal performance and team cohesion.
- Conducted comprehensive quarterly assessments for team members, highlighting individual achievements, strengths, and areas for growth, resulting in enhanced overall team performance.

Education

Master of Science in Computer Science – 2020

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science – 2019

University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH (GPA 3.66)

University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH (GPA 3.69)

Honors & Awards

Published MS in Computer Science Thesis – 2020 (University of New Hampshire)

Top 4 Finalist: UNH Undergraduate Research Conference – 2019 (University of New Hampshire)

Army National Guard Soldier of the Year – 2016 (Army National Guard)

Technical Skills

TypeScript • C# • React • Redux • NodeJS • SQL/NoSQL • Docker • RabbitMQ