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Basecamp

RE: Programmer

Dear Hiring Manager,

As an intermediate Software Engineer, the posting for Programmer with Basecamp piqued my interest. When reviewing the job requirements and your website, I was excited to see that my qualifications and personal traits align with your needs and mission.

I bring a set of talents that I believe will be valuable to Basecamp. During my 2+ years of experience, I have honed the skills necessary to succeed in this position. I honed my abilities in agile development, ruby on rails, python and javascript, providing a solid foundation for the Programmer position. My collaboration, people-centric nature, and eagerness to please have afforded me excellent communication skills.

Please review my resume for a complete collection of my work history. I am very excited by this career opportunity and am interested in meeting with you to discuss further. I'm hoping to discuss how my personality and work history fit the Programmer role.

Thank you for your time and consideration.
Sincerely,

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Profile

Hello! I'm a Technophile and Software Developer specializing in developing web applications, testing and making the internet a more beautiful and positive place. I am a fast learner who loves learning new concepts and technology. Energetic Programmer with a solid history of achievement in Programming. Motivated leader with strong organization and prioritization abilities.

Experience

Software Engineer Fluxx

July 2019 – date San Francisco

- Improved Fluxx Grant management system by adding new features and infrastructure, enhancing customers experience.
- Wrote highly maintainable, solid code in Ruby and Javascript for Fluxx grant system that formed a core framework and has won consistent praise from subsequent developers.
- Modified existing software to correct coding errors, upgrade interfaces and improve overall performance.

Software Developer Andela

Nov 2018 – date Lagos, Nigeria

- Tested websites and performed troubleshooting before deployment.
- Built, tested and deployed scalable, highly available and modular software products.
- Wrote clean, clear and well-tested code for various projects such as VOF and Authors Haven. - Contributed fully to design assessments, code reviews and brainstorming sessions.
- I worked on the engineering team at Andela building an application used to bring prospective talent into Andela. I was part of a team that delivered survey builder initiative and other quality initiatives automating different processes.

Software Developer AppWorkforce

March 2016 – January 2017 Yaba, Lagos

- Implemented utility methods and classes in an existing application
- Refactored existing classes to make it lean and follow the SRP principles.
- Using python scripts to automate manual process

Languages

English Proficient

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Education

Bachelor of Science Computer Science

University of the People 2019 – date

National Diploma Computer Engineering

Yaba College of Technology 2014 – 2017

Skills

Javascript



Ruby



Rails



React



Redux



NodeJs



HTML and CSS



GraphQL



Python



Rspec



Mocha and Chai



Gatsby



Jest



Projects

Portfolio Web Application

Built using Ruby on Rails and JQuery

Author's Haven Web Application

A Social Platform for the creative in the heart just like Medium. Built using React, NodeJs, Redux, Mocha and Chai

VOF Web Application

Andela Internal Product for bringing prospective talent into the company, Built using Ruby on Rails, Selenium, Rspec and JQuery

Fluxx Multi-Tenant Grant Web Application

The FLUXX Multi-Tenant Grant is a fully-featured grant management multitenant software application. Built with Ruby on Rails, Javascript, Elasticsearch, Rspec and other tools.

Portfolio v2 Web Application

Built using Gatsby – graphql and React