

Darren Kwong

Full-Stack Web Developer

User-focused web developer with a passion for integrating technologies to solve problems and improve upon existing methods. I draw on my background in digital marketing and finance to gain unique perspectives on how end-users interact with websites and software platforms. I enjoy approaching programming challenges from different angles and collaborating with others to create meaningful web applications.

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Backend Developer

Geario Inc

03/2018 – 08/2018

San Francisco

Generating comprehensive vehicle history reports with a single VIN search

Achievements/Tasks

- Integrated complex 3rd party APIs into serverside routes for easy clientside consumption
- Developed infrastructure and middleware for logging of serverside activity and error handling
- Developed features in an agile development environment

PPC Account Manger

Fourandhalf.com

02/2015 – 09/2017

Internet Marketing for Property Managers

Achievements/Tasks

- Designed and implemented landing page strategies and A/B tests to optimize conversion rates.
- Implemented time saving automated bidding and url tracking scripts for Google Adwords campaigns.
- Created training documentation to guide PPC team through campaign setups, reporting, and 3rd party integrations.

Frontend Web Developer

Self-employed

07/2013 – 04/2015

San Jose, CA

Achievements/Tasks

- Implemented and customized bootstrap templates for clients using custom HTML, CSS, Javascript, and jQuery.

EDUCATION

Javascript Full Stack Web Development Certification

University of California Berkeley Extension

07/2017 – 01/2018

Berkeley, CA

B.S Business Administration

University of California Riverside

08/2002 – 06/2006

Riverside, CA

TECHNICAL SKILLS

HTML5

CSS3

Javascript

React.js

Node.js

MongoDB

MySQL

Express

Bootstrap

jQuery

GraphQL

Chart.js

Fuse.js

Firebase

Command Line

Github

AJAX

JSON

Heroku

Google Analytics

Jest

PERSONAL PROJECTS

Tregg - <https://tregg.herokuapp.com>
(12/2017 – 02/2018) 🔗

- Scoped out project technologies to aggregate unbiased restaurant data, wireframed UI/UX for end-user, and mapped out project workflow.
- Utilized Javascript, React.js, HTML5/CSS3, Bulma, and Chart.js to create a responsive grid layout and visualize restaurant data.
- Setup Node.js server, defined routes with Express Router, and utilized Axios to make API requests and fetch data from MongoDB.

NBA Stats - <https://nba-app-fun.herokuapp.com>
(10/2017 – 11/2017) 🔗

- Developed backend scripts to retrieve player data from MySportsFeed.com API and stored in MySQL database.
- Utilized Express server to handle API routes along with bodyparser to parse client data.
- Designed Frontend with Javascript, CSS3, and Flexbox Grid along with Chart.js for data visualization.

Run It Down - <https://mdsj-project1.github.io/Running-App> (09/2017 – 10/2017) 🔗

- Utilized Google Maps API to geolocate users and Google Places API to generate unique running routes recommended based on user's input.
- Created mobile friendly design with Bootstrap, Javascript, CSS3 along with CanvasJS for data visualization.
- Stored user data in Firebase database and handled user authentication via FirebaseUI allowing for user friendly single sign-on.