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Summary

Web developer with a background in farm to table fine dining with focus on client experience. Trained at University of Minnesota boot camp and earned a certificate in full-stack web development. Strengths in creativity, teamwork, leadership and communication. Ability to work in a diverse team environment and collaborate to develop software solutions.

Technical Skills

Softwares/Platforms: VS Code, Git/Github, jQuery, MongoDB, Bootstrap, NoSql, MySql2, Heroku, Node.js, Express.js, React.js
Software Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Sql

Project Experience

Asteroids | repo: https://github.com/DevBrent3274/asteroids
deployed: https://asteroids.herokuapp.com
- Developed an asteroid tracker application
- Core responsibilities were to create an interactive website with Node and Express, where the user could sign up for an account to be part of a community that shared and commented on interesting facts about near earth objects
- Focus was on using NASA API to fetch current daily asteroid information with Axios and store in a MySql database managed with Sequelize and Mysql2 and then render to different pages with the use of Handlebars

Music Carousel | repo: https://github.com/DevBrent3274/music -web-app
deployed: https://zachshouts.github.io/music-web-app/
- Developed a music artist search application
- Core responsibilities were to create interactive website with JavaScript and jQuerywhere a user could enter the name of a favorite artist and receive a list of top albums and songs
- Focus was on using API from last.fm to gather artist information and the use of visually interesting Bootstrap carousel to flip through the albums

Weather Dashboard | repo: https://github.com/DevBrent3274/weather-app
deployed: https://devbrent3274.github.io/weather-app
- Developed a daily weather dashboard application utilizing user input and geolocation
- Core responsibilities were to generate current 5 day weather information to the page dynamically and implementing local storage for persistent data for recent city searches
- Focus was on using a weather API to retrieve forecast with Window.Fetch

Work Experience

Golden Valley Country Club, Golden Valley, Minnesota　　　　November 2019 - June 2022
Executive Chef
- Oversaw all culinary operations for member only dining as well as private events ($4M annual revenue)
- Special menus for winemaker dinners, multi day events, board members
- Restructured food programs for multiple property outlets

Red Rabbit, St. Paul, Minnesota　　　　April 2018 - September 2019
Executive Chef
- Opening chef for restaurant specializing in pizza and pasta
- Managed all kitchen operations ($4M annual revenue)
- Successfully operated Grand Ole Day Event 2019 ($80K revenue)

The Village Bakery, Woodside, California　　　　June 2017 - December 2017
Chef Consultant
- Directed opening chef for contemporary American restaurant
- Mentored staff
- Created and implemented artisan pizza program

STEM Kitchen & Garden, San Francisco, California　　　　August 2014 - April 2017
Executive Chef
- Opening chef for Farm-to-Fork concept serving Cal/Mediterranean cuisine ($2M annual revenue)
- Created pizza program highlighting seasonal ingredients
- Awarded Michelin Recommendation
- Collaborated with onsite farm to create cuisine from garden to plate

La Cocina, San Francisco, California　　　　April 2013 - August 2014
Culinary Director
- Mentored 30 entrepreneurs with food start-up businesses
- Consulted on OFF THE GRID (SF food truck) events
- Advanced culinary curriculum development
- Directed all kitchen operations
- Successfully executed culinary operations for San Francisco Street Food Festival with over 35 vendors and 80,000 attendance

Education

Certificate in Full-Stack Web Development:　　　　December 2022 - March 2023
University of Minnesota, Minneapolis MN

- A 12 week intensive program with over 500 hours of instruction and hands-on learning
- Focused on gaining skills in: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, React.js, Node.js, Express, MySQL, MongoDB
- Applied course skills to 20 projects