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Summary

Software engineer and database manager with an enthusiasm for backend- and database-oriented work, familiar with SQL, MongoDB, GraphQL, and upwards of a dozen JavaScript libraries. Successfully graduated and received a certificate from a highly-accelerated remote full-stack development course hosted by Washington University. Natural leader and known for giving assistance and guidance to peers and reaching out for more information. Capable of working on complex, large-scale projects individually or with others.

Areas of Experience

Node.js, Express.js, SQL and Sequelize, MongoDB and Mongoose, Handlebars, HTML, CSS, jQuery.

Skills

Cooperation

- Participated in three group projects during bootcamp course, which all scored upwards of 95 points.
- Maintained continual communication with team members and encouraged regular check-ins and progress reports.
- Supervised a team by delegating tasks, encouraging progress, and coaching team members when necessary.
- Sought advice from classmates when needed.

Problem-Solving

- Skilled bug-fixer due to ability to locate and check all possible points of failure.
- Can swiftly adapt to sudden changes to a plan or new requirements.
- Diagnosed and resolved multiple major bugs in multiple applications.

Database Management

- Familiarized self with MySQL and MongoDB within a week apiece.
- Implemented schemas, models, queries, and database connections for numerous applications.
- Analyzed data needs for an application and drafted a plan for the schema of the database within a day.

Back-end Programming

- Connected back- and front-ends quickly and easily through use of RESTful naming practices.

- Built and kept track of sets of queries, mutations, type definitions, and resolvers for GraphQL-based applications.
- Independently constructed API and queries for an application with a large and complex database.
- Designed user authentication using session tokens and JSON web tokens.

Projects

Lightbox

- Express, Express Session, MySQL, Sequelize, Bcrypt, and Handlebars
- Lightbox is a blogging website with a minimalist UI and aesthetic, so you can focus on what's important.
- <https://lightbox-fs.herokuapp.com> || <https://github.com/FinnStitcher/lightbox>

Endless Pawsibilities

- Express, MySQL, Sequelize, Handlebars
- Endless Pawsibilities is a mock management tool for shelter employees.
- <https://project2-sm.herokuapp.com> || <https://github.com/sameadows/project2>

Deep Thoughts

- React, React Router, MongoDB, Mongoose, JWT
- Deep Thoughts is a social media app where users can share and react to "thoughts" and make friends.
- <https://deep-thoughts-fs.herokuapp.com> || <https://github.com/FinnStitcher/deep-thoughts-two>

APPLY

- React, React Router, MongoDB, Mongoose, JWT, GraphQL, Apollo
- APPLY was built for recent graduates to keep track of positions they've applied to, and positions they're interested in.
- <https://github.com/sameadows/APPLY> || <https://apply-portal.herokuapp.com/>

Experience

Over the course of the Washington University Coding Boot Camp, completed eighteen solo projects, nine of which made use of no starter code, and participated in three team development projects.

Education

<i>Full Stack Web Development Certificate</i>	2022
Washington University Coding Boot Camp	

<i>High School Diploma</i>	2021
Keystone School	