Alec Taylor

Software Engineer

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OBJECTIVE / PERSONAL BRAND STATEMENT

Versatile professional with software engineering expertise, fostering collaboration and innovation. Skilled in Node.js, MongoDB, Django, project management, and problem-solving. Thrives in high-pressure environments, delivering streamlined, customer-centric solutions and driving growth.

SKILLS

Communication, adaptability, teamwork, problem-solving, attention to detail
UX/UI Skills:
Wireframing/ prototyping, Bootstrap, responsive design, user research
Software:
NodeJs,React,HTML5, Javascript, Figma,SQL

PROJECTS

Slot Machine App, Unit 1 SEI 2023

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

NOLS, Outward Bound, 30-60 day mountaineering/ outdoor leadership courses, Summer 2010, Summer 2012, Summer 2013

- Problem Solving in Dynamic Environments: Led teams in 30-60 day mountaineering and wilderness expeditions where adaptability to rapidly changing conditions was vital.
- Planning & Execution: Meticulously planned each day considering miles to be traveled, elevation gain, potential hazards, and safety plans, ensuring timely and safe journey progressions.
- Autonomous Decision Making: Navigated solo during the concluding weeks of the courses, honing personal responsibility and decision-making skills, which are crucial in software debugging and solution architecture.
- Team Collaboration & Leadership: Guided peers with strong communication and leadership skills, creating an atmosphere of mutual trust. This teamwork and communication are directly transferable to software development environments where cross-functional team collaboration is vital.
- Risk Management: Consistently identified, analyzed, and mitigated potential hazards, aligning with the software engineering principles of proactively catching bugs and addressing security vulnerabilities.
- Problem-solving, emergency response: during my Wilderness First Responder Classes managed real-life injury scenarios, mirroring the pressure of critical software malfunctions or server downtimes where rapid and effective solutions are required and

successfully coordinated the evacuation, stabilization, and fire suppression during a lightning-related injury, emphasizing crisis management and quick reflexes, akin to incident management in tech environments.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY, Software Engineering Immersive FELLOW, July 2023 - present
- Completed an intensive 480-hour expert-led Software Engineering Immersive program focused on JavaScript, Python, Django, and Node.js, gaining proficiency in full-stack development with in-demand technologies.
- Slot Machine Game - [Description: Playable slot machine game with 3-tier betting system with up to 4 pay lines. Demonstrated hands on expertise in creating interactive web applications, using Model View Controller approach with data-centered structures.Technologies used: Javascript, CSS, HTML]

Baker, Great Harvest Bread Co., Jul 2018- Sep 2018
- Operated machinery and produced various breads and sweets while maintaining high hygiene standards
- Demonstrated problem solving skills on the fly, teamwork, strong communications on production goals for each day

Lead Line Cook, Longboard Louies, Apr 2016 - Aug 2017
- Managed kitchen stations, prepared food, and delivered excellent customer service
- Sink or swim mentality with time management, fast paced environment, and collaborating with others

Baker, Great Harvest Bread Co., Jul 2015 - Jan 2016
- Engaged in communication, catering, and sales activities
- Developed strong communications and adaptability to each day

EDUCATION
GENERAL ASSEMBLY, **Software Engineering**, July 2023- Present
Central Oregon Community College- **AAoT in Geology- 2019**
Learning Resources Network- **Certificate In Web Design**- April 26th 2023