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People-oriented technologist who brings open and clear communication to each project. Passionate about efficiency and inclusivity both in code and in the workplace. Looking to join a collaborative team as a software developer where I can contribute unique solutions as well as foster my curiosity through experimentation.

Technical Skills

Java | HTML | CSS | JavaScript | Vue.js | Spring Boot | Spring MVC | Responsive Design | Tomcat | Table Design | Git | Visual Studio
Eclipse | PostgreSQL | Unit Testing (JUnit) | Agile | Thymeleaf

Technical Experience

Tech Elevator Alumni Portal -- (See it here: <http://alumni.techelevator.com/>)

- Contributed to the development and deployment of the TE Alumni Portal website using Java, Spring Boot, Thymeleaf, and a PostgreSQL database. Developed the 'Pathway Contacts' page which displays contacts based on user location. Designed and built an analytics tab for admins to see usage statistics, and contributed regularly to improvements and bug fixes.

TENmo (Money Transfer App)

- Produced client-side and server-side money transfer applications utilizing pair programming, PostgreSQL, Spring Boot, and RESTful Web Services. Built on top of a security framework for login hashing, token authentication, and tiered permissions.

FoxChat (Chatbot)

- Co-developed a tech education chatbot with functionality to dynamically respond to user input related to curriculum help and career advice. Built a PostgreSQL database to store triggered responses, a front-end website in Vue.js connected to a Java server through RESTful Web Services, and an authenticated admin page dedicated to displaying usage statistics in a graphical format and allowing limited database manipulation.

Education

Tech Elevator

Columbus, OH | May 2020 - August 2020

- Graduated from this 14-week coding bootcamp having learned how to develop dynamic web-based software systems using the Java programming language among others.

Goshen College

Goshen, IN | August 2011 - May 2015

- Bachelor of Arts in English Writing; minors in TESOL and Spanish; studied abroad in Peru.

Professional Experience

Assistant Teacher, *Dublin Latchkey*

Dublin, OH | August 2019 - May 2020

- Supervised 40-80 children grades K-5 before and after school and implemented an enhanced reading program featuring graphic novels and comics.
- Led a weekly mock game-show for the children featuring pop culture questions and team-based play.

Customer Success Advocate, *Bold Penguin*

Columbus, OH | November 2018 - August 2019

- Guided 200+ small business owners in obtaining commercial insurance utilizing in-house software built with Ruby on Rails.
- Utilized government NAICS codes to classify complex businesses into insurable categories.
- Served as team leader to generate morale and facilitate healthy relationships between members of different departments.

Mental Health Case Manager, *North Community Counseling Center*

Columbus, OH | August 2017 - May 2018

- Partnered with therapists and psychiatrists to provide care for clients both living in poverty and with mental illnesses.
- Managed a workload of over 60 clients on a weekly or biweekly basis to develop positive coping mechanisms, apply for benefits and assistance, and find stable employment.

Writing Correspondent, *The Times Reporter*

Dover, OH | August 2016 - May 2017

- Researched and wrote stories for multiple platforms, including print and digital.
- Crafted factually correct, concise and engaging news stories within tight deadlines.

Program Assistant, MCC United Nations Office

NY, NY | August 2015 - July 2016

- Facilitated UN events for MCC and the NGO Working Group on Food and Hunger.
- Acted as liaison to the North Korean Ambassadors in efforts to build a better relationship and promote sustainable agriculture.