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ABOUT ME

My professional background is primarily in video production and live tv entertainment. Since the mid-1990's, I proactively sought code-centered side hustles. My first experiences with programming languages were seeing C++ and coding in HTML when I was 15. The site my friend Luke and I created was featured in USA Today.

I created nashvillePA.com in 2007 to get my friends and production assistants in Nashville their next gig. In 2010 I was commissioned to build holyvintage.com, a retail site managing an inventory of vintage t-shirts with only my knowledge of HTML. I have a technical mindset and thrive in roles where I wear multiple hats.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Software Developer

Simple Modern | July 2020 - Present

- Technical support and development for website and internal web application.
- Technologies and languages used include git, Github, Terminal, VS Code, IntelliJ, Clojure, ClojureScript, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Shopify Liquid, Datomic, AWS.
- Managed internship curriculum for Technology Department

Manager, Video Content Production

Sony Music Entertainment | Aug 2017 - Dec 2019

- Designed and maintained intake form to process the workflow of project requests from other departments
- Liaised with all departments for video content needs
- Researched and targeted top creatives in Nashville and commissioned video work to independent contractors, sustaining a 20% network growth (active freelancers)
- Found, recommended, trained, and mentored the person who later applied for and was promoted to manager following my departure
- Communicated status and updates to artists and management teams through regularly scheduled meetings, or during projects

Talent Supervisor (Live TV Events)

One Foot Productions | Aug 2014 - Aug 2017

- Led team of liaisons to manage the logistics related to participating and performing artists, and the artists' band, crew, management and label teams for large scale live tv events
- Supervised core team of approximately 30 people, with up-to an additional 100-150 talent escorts for show day
- Worked with project manager to communicate logistics team needs to the software developers
- Annual events worked include Rock and Roll Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony, Nickelodeon HALO Awards, BET Experience, iHeart Radio Music Awards, and more

Producer (Video Content)

AOL StudioNow | Jan 2011 - Mar 2014

- Personally recruited and onboarded hundreds of freelance video professionals into the AOL StudioNow network
- Produced projects inside top tier advertising agencies
- Traveled Internationally (produced projects in France and London)
- Salesforce admin certified (currently inactive/expired)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Event Volunteer, PyTn 2020

Assisted speakers with AV for their slides, and timed presentations

Creative Production Volunteer, Cross Point Church

Served as booth and broadcast director, technical director, camera operator, and various roles as needed since 2006

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Full-Stack Software Developer

Nashville Software School | Nov 2019 - Present

Full-stack bootcamp focused on Python/Django, and front-end languages including JavaScript, React, SQL, CSS3, and HTML5

- Gained knowledge through teamwork and group projects
- Practiced Scrum Agile methodology, sprints, and daily stand-ups
- Technologies learned through bootcamp curriculum include HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, React.js, JSON, JSON-server for API fetch/data storage, GitHub, Python, and SQL
- Remote learning from March 2020 to June 2020
- Workflow for projects included creation of Entity Relationship Diagrams through dbdiagram.com and sketchboard.me
- Mentored students as "little siblings" enrolled in the cohort six weeks behind in curriculum

RECENT PROJECTS

mennanation.com

- Maintain website for Menna
- Lead promotion and music release efforts
- Spearhead video content creation initiatives

Back-end capstone project (NSS): 'SONGWRYTR'

- Web application built with Python, Django, and SQL
- Designed for songwriters or managers manage writers, recordings, and publishing companies information.
- Models, Views, and Templates created in this Django Full-Stack Application to convert information in a SQL database and respond to HTTP requests with HTML output in web browser

EDUCATION

Nashville Software School

Web and Software Development Certificate

Nov 2019 - June 2020

Cohort with emphasis on Python, Django

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

Bachelor of Business Administration, Marketing

Aug 1999 - Aug 2003

Involvement: Campus Activities Council (CAC) Public Relations Chair, CAC Film Series Chair, Vice-President Kappa Alpha Order, Honors Dorm Resident Advisor

Vancouver Film School, Vancouver, BC

Certification, Film Production

Aug 2003 - Aug 2004

Graduated with honours

臺灣大學 National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

Mandarin Chinese Level 1

Feb 2002 - May 2002

Graduated in 90th percentile, established foreign exchange between the University of Oklahoma and National Taiwan University