

# Brendon Jackson

Jr. Software Developer

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## Summary

Innovative and dedicated Software Engineer with demonstrated competency in HTML/CSS, JavaScript, and React. Strong educational background in Architecture with 9 years of professional experience as a licensed Financial Adviser. Highly acclaimed for teachability and ability to quickly grasp concepts. Enthusiastic about collaborating with other developers committed to actively contributing to company's success.

## Technical Skills

- **Languages:** JavaScript ES6+, CSS3, HTML5, SQL
- **Applications:** Visual Studios Code, Git/GitHub, MySQL, MongoDB, Netlify, Heroku, Vercel
- **Tools:** React, React Hooks, Node, Mocha/Chai, Bootstrap, jQuery, Postman, Express, NPM systems, APIs, User Interfaces
- **Soft Skills:** Strong Work Ethic, Initiative, Personal Development, Organizational and Communication Skills, Ambitious  
Dedicated Team-Player, Active Listener & Interpersonal Skills, Goal-Oriented, Passionate about coding

## Notable Projects

- Digital Flashcards** - A web application built in ReactJS to create decks of Flashcards for studying [GitHub](#) | [Heroku Deployment](#)
- Full-Stack project developed using React, React hooks and stateful components
  - Built website routing using React Router and made Fetch API calls using RESTful design principles
- Decoder Ring Project** - A decoder application utilizing 3 encrypting and decrypting methods [GitHub](#) | [Netlify Deployment](#)
- Created a responsive web design by utilizing test-driven development
  - Tech: JavaScript ES6, HTML5, Node.js, Bootstrap, Flexbox, Mocha & Chai testing
- Cloud Hosting Company** – Mobile-first web design to create a, responsive and fast website [GitHub](#) | [Netlify Deployment](#)
- Executed implementation of styling animations, SVG files, reusable components, Typography and Forms
  - Tech: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Flexbox, JavaScript
- Pomodoro Timer** – A productivity timer, enabling the user to set duration of work and break sessions [GitHub](#) | [Vercel Deployment](#)
- Constructed complex algorithms using test-driven development with Mocha and Chai
  - Designed Front-end level using Bootstrap, React and React hooks, JavaScript, and custom HTML/CSS

## Professional Experience

- Qualified Financial Advisor** 2011 - 2020  
Fidelity Investments, Salt Lake City, UT
- Achieved Excellence in Action awards for customer satisfaction and promoted multiple times with manager recognition.
  - Prepared and simplified complex investment plans & maintained project reporting and documentation for clients.
  - Facilitated new client onboarding process and investment account setup via web applications.
  - Obtained Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) licenses Series 7, 63, and 66.

## Education

- Certificate, Front-end Developer Career Path** • [Scrimba.com](#) • Instructor Bob Ziroll and Kevin Powell 2022
- HTML/CSS, JavaScript, React, Responsive Design, APIs, Web Architecture, Web Design, Git
- Certificate, Front-end Development** • [CodeWithMosh.com](#) • Instructor Mosh Hamedani 2022
- HTML/CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript, React, Git: Concepts, functionality, and modern applications
- Certificate, Full-Stack Software Engineering** • [Thinkful Immersive Engineering](#) Boot Camp Mar 2021 - Sept 2021
- Full Immersion training in coding technologies and tools from industry professionals.
  - Worked with creative developers in a team environment to test for functionality, scalability and performance.
  - Accelerated practice through real-world Full-Stack projects, using clean and scalable code.
- Bachelor of Science in Architectural Design (Business Minor)** • [University of Oregon](#), Eugene, OR Sept 2004 - July 2010