

# Jackie Atwood (Takala)

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Section Lead Lambda School

04/2020 - Present

Remote

Lead a cohort of ~100+ students and ~10+ Team Leads through core curriculum in programming and software engineering modalities. Lead staff team implementing Agile Methodology, facilitated with Daily Stand-Ups, organizing goals, work progress, and handle conflict resolutions. Facilitated further learning on varied topics with Mock Projects and code practice challenges related to software engineering.

### Team Lead Lambda School

01/2020 - 04/2020

Remote

Lead a team of ~10 web development students in an entirely remote setting. Delivered 1:1 feedback and code review on a daily basis. Maintained a professional environment that emulates a real work setting using Agile Methodology. Delivered supplemental lectures on various topics related to Software Engineering and Full-stack Web Development.

### Asst. Hospital Manager/Client Specialist Merrifield Animal Hospital

2013 - 2015

Fairfax, Virginia

Managed client communications and book-keeping. Clerical and Administrative responsibilities, and front house staff. Maintained client, hospital records, and employee records. Implemented Democratic style management practices to build employee confidence and productivity. Implemented and lead continuing education meetings and employee training documentation.

### Veterinary Assistant/Surgical Nurse Workplace/Company

2004 - 2008

Germantown, Maryland

Provided pre-op/post-op care for patients. Maintained files, notes, and medical data. As part of a team, assisted in performing medical procedures.

### Teaching Assistant/Co-Instructor D & D Daycare

2003 - 2005

Germantown, Maryland

Led groups in instruction. Maintained student files and assignments. Worked with administration to maintain a safe and cohesive learning environment.

## EDUCATION

### Associate of Arts -Business Administration Strayer University -Manassas, Virginia

2011

### Full-Stack Web Development Lambda School -San Fransisco, California

07/2019 - Present

## SKILLS

Web Design

Git/Version Control

HTML/CSS/Javascript

Student Instruction

Business Management & Leadership

React.js

## PORTFOLIO PAGE

### Jackie Takala Portfolio Website ↗

Work in progress. Uses React.js to build out components. Has a separate landing page with GSAP animations. Utilizes various libraries to create effects and styling done with Styled-Components. Use of Flex-box and advanced CSS methods.

## COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS

### Dev Libs ↗

- Created an application that allows users to input data to create their own mad-lib type jokes. Users can create their own profile as well.

### Med Cabinet ↗

- Created an application that searches through an API of Marijuana strains, returns selections based on user data input. Aids in selecting an appropriate strain for medical treatment.

### TipsEase ↗

- Created an application that creates two separate user accounts and profiles (customer and servicer). Customer can tip servicer directly by selecting the servicer's profile. Servicer can keep track of tip balance via profile.

### LifeLogger

- Created a user-friendly task management application over a 16 week period along with a member of the Lambda Labs team. Tasks can be added, edited, and deleted. Can be marked as completed. Complete with fully functional search and filtering of results

## CERTIFICATIONS

SCRUM Master Certification (04/2020)

## INTERESTS

Music

Teaching

History

Gaming

Reading

Coding

Writing