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SUMMARY

Junior Software Engineer (Web Applications) and Army veteran with a strong background in communication, writing, and business development. Graduate of Harvard Extension School's coding bootcamp with a certificate in **full stack web development**. Known for collaborative mindset, problem solving skills, and building beautiful user interfaces.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

JavaScript | JSON | jQuery | HTML5 | CSS3 | Bootstrap | React.js | AWS | Cloud | Node.js | Express.js | Authentication | Deployment | API Integration | MySQL | MongoDB | Firebase | Chart.js | Heroku | Debugging | Axios | Material-UI | Object Oriented Programming

PROJECTS

FAMCLOUD

Summary: Travel-themed photo storage app for friends and family.

Tools used: MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js (MERN Stack), Drop-Zone (for file uploads)

Link to GitHub: https://github.com/JuanCodeAtATime/famcloud

Deployed Site: https://famcloud.herokuapp.com/

POWERBALLER

Summary: Lottery gaming app featuring dynamic updates, ticket management, and data

visualization tool for jackpot amount changes.

Tools used: MERN Stack, Passport.js (for authentication), APIs (Powerball, ny.gov)

GitHub repo: https://github.com/JuanCodeAtATime/powerballer

Deployed Site: https://powerballers.herokuapp.com/

GOOGLE BOOKS SEARCH

Summary: Search site powered by Google Books API featuring a clean, responsive UI.

Tools used: MERN Stack, Toastify, Fontawesome Icons, Google Books API **GitHub repo:** https://github.com/JuanCodeAtATime/google-books-search **Deployed Site:** https://juan-google-booksearch.herokuapp.com/search

EXPERIENCE

Frontend Software Engineer (Contract): Last Mile Health, Boston, MA May 2020 – Jun 2020

- Principal frontend developer in project to redesign organization's COVID-19 Digital Library
- Responsible for building user interface based on UX designer's comp
- Completed first phase of development work which entailed new landing page and integration of Django backend
- Learned and rebuilt Django frontend html template within 48 hours based on MVT web architecture

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Software Development Student: Harvard Extension School, Cambridge, MA Oct 2019 – Mar 2020

- Completed project-driven, 24-week intensive program in full-stack software engineering (web applications)
- Received Team Award for "Most Disruptive App"
- Received "Duck Award" for student who best demonstrated Can Do Attitude

Founder/Instructional Program Writer: *Primal Platoon, Inc.*, Marlborough, MA July 2014- Oct 2019

- Responsible for all facets of business development and delivery of corporate training services.
- Clients include military, nonprofit, and private sector organizations
- Designed/maintained company website on Wordpress & Wix content management systems

Senior Admissions Recruiter: *Northeastern University*, Boston, MA Jun 2017 – Jun 2018

- Strategic advisor to marketing & recruitment executives for undergraduate admissions, and veteran engagement
- Developed, implemented, and executed the FY2018 recruitment strategy for assigned portfolio
- Identified and cultivated key community and corporate partnerships and recruitment pipelines

Army Recruiter, Program Manager: *Massachusetts National Guard,* Lexington, MA Jul 2010 – Jul 2017

- Advised Army human resources executives on sustained strategies to attract, assess and acquire top talent
- Collaborated with recruiting teams to support current and future staffing needs
- Crafted & delivered strategic messages (written and oral) based on management and organizational goals

EDUCATION

Coding Bootcamp Certificate: *Harvard University Extension School*, Cambridge, MA Oct 2019 – Mar 2020

A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in full-stack web development. Areas covered: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, NodeJS, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, and ReactJS.

Master of Education: Framingham State University, Framingham, MA Sep 2013 – May 2016

- Inducted into *Phi Kappa Phi* Honor Society May 5th, 2015
- Overall GPA: 3.97