

# Amidou Kante

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- **Proficient:** HTML5, CSS3, SASS, JavaScript/ES6, jQuery, React.js, Node.js, Express.js
- **Familiar:** Three.js, Ruby, Rails, Sinatra, PostgreSQL, Google Firebase, MongoDB
- **Frameworks/Tools:** Git, NPM, Gulp, Bootstrap, Foundation, Material Design, Mocha & Chai Testing
- **Other:** RESTful API, Ajax, Heroku, GitHub, UI & Wireframing, Responsive Web Design, SEO, Cross Browser Compatibility, Adobe Photoshop, Google Analytics, AWS

## PERSONAL PROJECTS

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### Link-GA – <https://github.com/KanteLabs/GA-Networking-App>

Material Design, JavaScript, React.js, Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, August 2017

- Served as the lead front-end developer on a team of 4, and provided back-end support when necessary to build a full-stack web application, that followed the Model-View-Controller pattern, and acts as a social media interface for members of the General Assembly network.
- Used Meetup's API to locate the nearest Tech events within a 3-mile radius and also implemented CRUD and authentication for creating user profiles with a messaging system.
- The front-end was designed using React & Material Design, while the back-end, was developed with Node.js, Express.js, and PostgreSQL.

### Armoire Online Closet – <https://github.com/KanteLabs/Armoire>

Bootstrap, JavaScript, Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, July 2017 – Present

- Created and developed a web application that uses the Shop-Style API to help users generate an online closet based on the different articles of clothing that they own. Users can then create and edit individual outfits based on the different article of clothing in their closet.
- Capable of retrieving responses from the front-end, which was designed with Bootstrap, and storing them in a database using Express.js and PostgreSQL.

### KanteCloud Music Player – <https://github.com/KanteLabs/KanteCloud>

Sass, React.js, Node.js, February 2017

- Developed an online music player using SoundCloud's API, that allows users to either search for various audios tracks or requests a certain genre, and deliver over 100 results.
- Built by using the React framework to give users a seamless and rich Internet experience, and designed with SASS to create an eye-catching and functional program across various platforms.
- Users can also authenticate their accounts to load their favorite, liked or uploaded tracks, with an ability to add or remove tracks from their profile.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### WilmerHale – New York, NY

Desktop Support Specialist Intern, August 2016 – January 2017

- Provided front-line hardware and software support for over 300 employees at the desktop, smartphone, and remote access level related to WilmerHale's compliance policies.
- Followed up on calls escalated from the Helpdesk as well as assist in diagnosing and resolving systemic issues with the IT team.
- Set up and managed at least 10 AV conferences daily, while also conducting weekly check-ins in all the conference rooms to ensure rooms are compliant with firm standards.

## EDUCATION

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### General Assembly – New York, NY

Full-Stack Web Development, May 2017 – September 2017

- Attended a 12-week Full-Stack Web Development course on a full scholarship provided by Per Scholas Inc.
- Engaged in peer programming and worked with a team using test driven development and collaboration practices in Git to develop and maintain a full-stack web application.

### Year Up – New York, NY

Information Technology Student, March 2016 – February 2017

- Obtained 200+ hours of hands-on training in Information Technology as part of a one-year career development program, which includes six months of college-level courses and professional training followed by a six-month internship at WilmerHale.

### University of Connecticut – Storrs, CT

Computer Science, August 2013 – May 2015