Kygan Dao

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Highly motivated, knowledgeable, versatile, and continually improving Full-Stack developer dedicated to practicing Agile Methodologies to develop high quality applications

Programming Proficiency

React, Java, Spring Framework, Microservices, REST, JavaScript, ES6, Tailwind, Bootstrap, HTML, CSS, NodeJS, Express.js, MongoDB, Apollo, GraphQL, SQL
Other: GitHub, Git Version Control, Heroku, Netlify, Project Management, Continuous Integration, Object-Oriented Programming

Projects

The Wild Post – Blog site for articles about outdoor activities
GitHub: https://github.com/Kygandao/the-wild-post
Deployed Site: https://the-wild-post.netlify.app/
- Technologies – React, NextJS, GraphQL, Tailwind, Netlify
- Content is managed with GraphCMS so someone with no web development or software engineering experience can create, update, and delete content and moderate comments on posts.

Whiteboard – Frontend Drawing/dry-erase board application
GitHub: https://github.com/Kygandao/whiteboard
Deployed Site: https://whiteboard2kd.netlify.app/
- Technologies – React, Tailwind, HTML Canvas, Netlify
- Top 5% placement among peers in mintbean.io Jr. Dev Hiring Hackathon

Employment History

Insurance Account Representative @ State Farm Insurance 2016 April – Current
Worked independently to service customers, market new products, and develop sales lead
- Trained staff for company rollouts of new procedures, equipment, and proprietary software
- Implemented and maintained new electronic file structure in accordance with local laws/regulations and company requirement
- Maintained state and company licensing requirements for Life/Health and Property/Casualty

Lead Utility Locator @ US Infrastructure Company, LLC 2012 January – 2016 April
Located, marked, and documented critical underground infrastructure prior to excavation
- Achieved the highest locating accuracy in the region
- Lead team of various sizes and assigned workload based on scope of work
- Completed daily time sensitive workload, including emergency and on-call

Education

Southern Methodist University - Cognizant ProActive Java Boot Camp (expected 2022 March)
- 5-week, Full-Time Boot Camp focusing on object-oriented Java and enterprise development concepts including Spring Boot microservices and Test-Driven Development.

The University of Oregon – Web Development Boot Camp
- 24-week, intensive MERN Full-Stack certification course focusing on remote servers/databases, RESTful API, and front-end development.

The Art Institutes International Minnesota – Graphic Design