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SUMMARY

Full-stack Engineer with experience in UI design and managing freelance projects. Skills in JavaScript, React.js, databases, MVC architecture, and MERN stack. Skilled logical reasoner who loves analytical problem-solving. Strong verbal communicator who excels in writing readable, well-documented code. Aims to leverage background in STEM and UI to architect an inspiring experience, for both the front end and back end.

EDUCATION

Certificate in Full Stack Web Development, 2022
University of California Berkeley, Extension - Berkeley, CA
Certificate Mobile & Front End Development, 2021
Santa Rosa Junior College - Santa Rosa, CA
Bachelor of Science in Engineering Physics, *incomplete,* 2002 - 2007
Colorado School of Mines - Golden, CO

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Full-stack web developer, skilled in problem-solving, JavaScript, OOP, declarative and imperative programming, MVC architecture, Git, version control, and the MERN stack
- Front End development including React.js, Vue.js, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Foundation, and JQuery
- Databases including relational, SQL, Sequelize, and IndexDB, and non-relational, Mongo DB, Mongoose
- Back End and server development with Command-Line, Node.js, Express.js, REST API, Apollo GraphQL
- UI/UX design, graphic design for digital and print, with Adobe Creative Suite, WordPress, HubSpot CMS, & Figma
- Skilled in logical troubleshooting, both in broad system-level thinking and attention to small details

EXPERIENCE

WEB DEVELOPER | UI/UX DESIGNER, April 2022 – present
Theia Marketing, Elizabeth, CO
- Writes well-designed code for client websites using HubSpot CMS with mobile and responsive site design
- Builds HubDB data models and populates client sites with Hubl templating language and HubDB data
- Performs technical SEO to enhance site performance and accessibility using Google Lighthouse and Ahrefs

FREELANCE WEB DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT, 2019 – 2022
- Executes entire lifecycle from ideation through the deployment of mobile-first websites for small businesses
- Develops APIs for digital marketing integrations and analytics, increasing revenue & retention
- Creates unique brand identity and designs original logos, labels, and brand assets in digital and print formats

CLIENTS, OPERATIONS & WEB DESIGN 01/2019 - 11/2021
Euphoria Retreats, Sonoma, CA
- Launched two company rebrands. Team designed/developed new websites as the business adapted to COVID
- Implemented digital marketing overhaul with API integrations, Hubspot, Zoho, and reservation software
- Ran client communications, booking, and travel operations for 8-10+ successful international retreats per year

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PROJECTS

NATIVE AMERICAN ART SCAVENGER HUNT GAME

Repo: github.com/LaurenDarrimon/srjc-museum-app
Site: srjcstudentsites.org/museum/

- Interactive e-learning application and scavenger hunt game for the Santa Rosa Junior College Multi-Cultural Museum exhibit of western North American Art, with emphasis on local Indigenous communities
- Mini learning games and educational content designed for 3rd and 4th-grade students on field trips
- Built using Node.js, React, Bootstrap React, React Context API, React Router Dom, and React DnD.

GIT MATCH

Repo: github.com/LaurenDarrimon/git-match
Site: morning-sea-85016.herokuapp.com

- Full Stack MERN social network application for new developers to find collaboration, community, and groups
- Built UI, managed React state, configured type definitions, resolvers, queries & mutations, designed logo
- Utilized React.js, Apollo GraphQL, MongoDB, Node.js, Express.js, and GitHub API

NEIGHBORGOOD!

Repo: github.com/LaurenDarrimon/community-share
Site: hidden-forest-09542.herokuapp.com

- Full Stack free-cycling application where users log in to post items and claim used items offered by others
- Engineered REST API routes to update a relational database. Built server-side templating and cloud-based storage
- Employed MVC architecture, Handlebars.js template engine, MySQL, Sequelize, Express.js, and Express Session