

# Leonel Colina

## Software Engineer

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### SKILLS

React, Redux, Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Sass, SQL, Postgres, Bootstrap, MongoDB, Express.js, Node.js, AWS, JQuery, WordPress, Webpack, Git

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### PROJECTS

**thinkThrough** | *Ruby on Rails, React, Redux, PostgreSQL*

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*Full-stack Medium clone - a website where users can write about any topic.*

- Ensured user privacy through the implementation of Rails validations and PostgreSQL constraints, limiting some functionalities to authenticated users and persisting user data after refresh.
- Integrated modular React Components to create a fast, seamless UI experience, through the implementation of the react-quill library for smooth functionality.
- Managed the state using Redux to create scalable code, reducing dependency and ensuring readability.
- Implemented JBuilder to format data retrieved through rails associations reducing backend queries.
- Created buckets for users to be able to host images using Amazon Web Services (AWS).

**Zuri's Escape** | *JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Canvas, DOM*

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*A vanilla JavaScript interactive game for people to practice and improve their typing skills.*

- Designed a JS typing game incorporating Canvas to render a pleasing aesthetic, creating a moving background with a parallax effect to create depth and animating sprites to render moving characters.
- Incorporated the RandomWords API to fetch words and render them through DOM manipulation.

**Pensive** | *MongoDB, Mongoose, Express, React, Redux, Node.js*

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*A book writing management app that offers organization and distraction-free inspiration to develop ideas.*

- Designed the frontend architecture as the frontend lead, coding the React components alongside three colleagues, ensuring cohesiveness in components design and functionality.
  - Incorporated Redux to avoid props drilling and the use of Redux state to reduce load time.
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### RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

**Contact Tracer Case Investigator** - *NYC Health & Hospitals*

*June 2020 - April 2022*

- Collected and parsed data on symptoms into the Customer Relationship Management System by Salesforce, increasing the success of the outreach program to 90%.
- Dispatched approved information about quarantine or isolation procedures to contacts and, if appropriate, referred them to testing according to protocol and/or COVID-19 resources.

**Junior Programmer** - *Cybernetix Services Venezuela*

*Jan 2015 - Aug 2016*

- Contributed to the development of the website front-end utilizing HTML5, CSS3, Google maps API, and JavaScript for DOM manipulation to create the demos for graphic designers, resulting in better feedback between the design team and the programming department.
- Provided consistent and essential feedback to the design team in order to refine and prioritize site MVPs.
- Applied the best practices to the code created and improved and refactored legacy code by implementing Bootstrap, improving the DRY-ness of the code.

**Telecommunications Engineer** - *ELCA Telecomunicaciones*

*March 2015 - Aug 2015*

- Assembled and installed radios inside the telecommunications shelters to establish microwave communication, expanding the telecommunication radius in rural areas.
  - Created the budget on CCTV systems for different companies, decreasing expenses by over 15%.
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### EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

**App Academy**

*Graduated Fall 2022*

- Full-stack software engineering program teaching web development fundamentals

**Universidad Rafael Bellosillo Chachin (URBE)**

*Graduated Winter 2015*

- Degree in Electrical Engineering with a focus on Telecommunications