MARK ALPERIN

Full-Stack Engineer | Veteran | Austin, TX | (562) 253-5106 | mark.t.alperin@gmail.com https://github.com/MarkAlperin | http://linkedin.com/in/mark-alperin

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Front End | JavaScript (ES5/ES6), Typescript, React, React-Native, Redux, HTML5, CSS3, Babel, Webpack Back End | Node.js, Express, Python, MySQL, MongoDB, RESTful API Development Testing/Deployment | AWS: EC2, Firebase, Heroku, Nginx, Loader.io, Mocha, Chai, Jest

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING APPLICATIONS

Front End Engineer | Project Greene | React, Firebase, Socket.io, GoogleMaps Interactive donation website to connect and broker exchanges between local users.

- Created map components with the GoogleMaps API to provide UI/UX for local-to-user data.
- Built out React functionality for the landing, browse, and item pages for an intuitive user experience.

Front End Engineer | Cradle Mountain | React, Redux, Axios, AWS

Commercial website front page that allows users to shop for clothing products.

- Built custom carousels (vertical, horizontal, nested) with React and CSS that directed users to products.
- Implemented the state management tool **React Redux** to integrate multiple widgets from different developers and reduce refactor times.
- Built API interactivity with Axios to gather product data and persist user shopping data.

Back End Engineer | Ratings-Reviews-API | Node.js, Express, Nginx, MongoDB, AWS Backend system designed to handle production level traffic for 15 million data entries.

- Aggregated 15 million documents to a MongoDB database and optimized to reach API query response times of 14ms.
- Horizontally scaled with NGINX and 3 AWS servers to increase capacity from 500 rps to 1400 rps.

EXPERIENCE

Industrial Electrician | Marine Firemen's Union

2013-2021

- Investigated and repaired 100+ novel electrical failures on 300m cargo vessels, with logic-based troubleshooting.
- Executed dozens of emergency repairs that allowed the ship to depart on schedule, saving many tens of thousands of dollars.

Infantry Squad Leader | 3/75th Ranger Regiment, US Army

2001-2006

- Thrived in a high-stress environment with a demanding schedule and dynamic goals, evidenced by 5 special-operations deployments to Afghanistan and Iraq.
- Planned and executed a program of technical and tactical training for a 9-man squad.
- Mentored 5 junior soldiers to complete ranger school and 2 team leaders through NCO promotions.

EDUCATION

Hack Reactor | Certificate, Advanced Full-Stack Software Engineering2022Seattle Maritime Academy | Certificate, Marine Engineering Technology2013University of California Santa Cruz | B.A. Community Studies: Economic Justice2011

AWARDS

Significant military decorations: Bronze Star Medal with 'Valor' device, Soldier's Medal, Army
Commendation Medal x2, Army Achievement Medal, Ranger Tab. (Please feel free to verify my
military record or contact me if you have any questions)

INTERESTS

Any and all board games, long-distance backpacking, recreational sailing.