# **MICKELL GLADNESS**

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Forward-thinking, highly organized professional with the proven ability to utilize leadership experience to exceed company objectives, support staff and overall culture, and execute various tactical strategies; approaches challenges with enthusiasm and determination

Very accustomed to working and thriving in a team environment to increase the success and progression of the team. Strong desire to continuously learn and a love for problem solving and tinkering; cognizant of the value of hard work, exemplified in professional experience (becoming an overseas all-star and championship winning athlete)

## **Software Development Skills**

 Debugging, JavaScript, Python, Node.js, React, Express, Redux, RESTful API, PostgreSQL, Sequelize, Bootstrap, HTML, CSS

### **Education & Achievements**

DigitalCrafts | Certificate in Software Engineering | Atlanta, GA

June 2021 -September 2021

Software engineering training program covering full-stack development including, but not limited to JavaScript,
Python, including an emphasis on cutting-edge frameworks like React/Redux and server-side technologies including Node.js, Express, and PostgreSQL.

Alabama A&M University | Bachelor of Business Management | Huntsville, AL

Aug 2005 - May 2008

- Athletic scholarship recipient men's basketball (2005-2008)
- Holds NCAA Division I record for blocks in a game (16)
- 2x First-Team All-SWAC (2007,2008)
- Led NCAA in blocks per game (2007)
- 2x SWAC Defensive Player of the Year (2007,2008)

## Software Development Portfolio | http://www.developerkell.com/

#### Remember When

https://remember-whenn.herokuapp.com/ | https://github.com/MickellGlad32/Remember-when

- Capstone/Graduation project made over a 2 week span to demonstrate skills learned during an intensive 4 month cohort.
- Designed to solve the common issue of simple storage and retrieval of user photos by category
- Front-end built using primarily React, Redux, HTML, CSS, and React Bootstrap
- Back-end was a seamless merge of Google Firebase to store the images and send a url to be stored in a PostgreSQL database
- Contributions were setting routes, models, and migrations with Sequelize, compiling information taken from input fields along with url sent back from Firebase to the database (Beekeper). Getting images and collected data and sending it to the front end to be rendered to the user's homepage

#### MusicLink

https://competent-meitner-96b556.netlify.app/ | https://github.com/MickellGlad32/frontend-music July 2021

- Front-end application that puts music videos and wikipedia facts from and about their favorite artist at their fingertips with a single search
- Primary responsibility was to render Youtube videos to the front end with a third party API call
- Assisted in integrating different components of the project together
- Constructed with HTML, JavasScript, and CSS

### lunchTable

https://lunch-table.herokuapp.com/ | https://github.com/MickellGlad32/lunchTable

August 2021

- Member of a 4-person development team
- Primary responsibility setting routes in javascript, authentication, connecting and building databases to store user information, favorites, and recipes
- Built with PostgreSQL, Sequelize, JavaScript, CSS, HTML

## **Professional Experience**

DigitalCrafts | Atlanta, GA

June 2021 -September 2021

Required to understand concepts quickly and adapt to a constantly changing environment in a remote learning setting. Applied said concepts immediately to reinforce newly gained skills. Worked on numerous teams to build out projects and add additional convenience to users.

### Professional Athlete NBA & FIBA Basketball League | Global

August 2008-March 2020

Played basketball at a high level in the professional ranks for over a decade, constantly refining and developing techniques. Remaining in peak physical condition, exercising a disciplined training approach, and dedicating full effort and leadership skills to the team and staff of various clubs across the world

- SeaHorses Mikawa (Japan 2019)
- Miami Heat (Florida 2011-2012)
- Rio Grande Valley Vipers (Texas 2009 -20011)
- Matrixx Magixx (Netherlands 2008-2009)

#### **Key Skills Possessed**

- Advocates for team unity and teamwork; able to work independently
- Competitive drive, succeeding in a range of environments
- Communicates with diplomacy, tact, and persuasion, ensuring positive results among escalated situations
- Extremely fast learner; welcomes new challenges
- Maintains composure under pressure
- Establishes and maintains fruitful professional relationships
- Cultural awareness and sensitivity
- Thinks independently; self-assured in making tough decisions
- Adaptable to constantly changing requirements dictated by random factors
- Analytical skills and abilities

See LinkedIn or contact directly, if more information is needed.