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Summary:

I am a Web Developer working in technologies like: Javascript, Node.js, Express, React, MongoDB, Ruby, Ruby on Rails.

Before being a Web Developer, I used to be a Quality Assurance Engineer in Food manufacturing industry. Being a QA Engineer taught me to prioritize tasks along with problem solving and to develop a strong attention to detail.

Currently I am working on building MERN Stack App that collaborates a Q&A app and a platform for blog posts.

Technical Skills:

Languages: JavaScript, Ruby, HTML, CSS
Libraries & Frameworks: Rails, Node.js, React.js, Express, jQuery, Bootstrap
Databases: MongoDB, PostgreSQL
Version Control: Git & Github
Other: Stripe API, Web scraping, Sockets.IO, JSON Web Tokens, Wordpress, Sass

Projects:

- Turbo Rush   (4-Day Sprint, 2-Player Game)
    TURBO RUSH is built using HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, and the jQuery library.
It is a web based car racing game where 2 players can challenge each other by taking turns and avoiding collision with the moving traffic. Difficulty level goes up with race time and whoever stays on track for more time while dodging traffic wins the game.

- LocalHomes4Sale   (4-Day Sprint, Full Stack App)
    LocalHomes4Sale is built using Ruby on Rails and PostgreSQL.
LocalHomes4Sale is a web application for users to checkout local properties that are available for sale. This web application allows a user to create an account and post one or more properties for sale. It also provides complete description of the property that a user selects. If user wants to add more photos to show different views of the property, he can do that as well.

- Partmint   (4-Day Sprint, Team Project, 3 Contributors, Full Stack App)
    Partmint is built using Node.js, Express.js and MongoDB.
This web application was designed to do a better job of connecting the Owners of different properties (apartment complexes and/or homes) to the tenants. Whether the connection being made is to notify about rent being due, maintenance requests or a complaint. Partmint has the API to do those very things, plus give guests to the site the opportunity to inquire about vacant

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properties. Seeing a need for this application at a local real estate business, certain features for Property Owners were implemented. Logging in as a Property Owner gives you the ability to not only showcase your new properties but also manage current and potential residents. Overall, using Partmint gives owners better control over managing their real estate business.

- Querify   (4-Day Sprint, Full Stack App)
  Querify is built using Node.js, Express.js, React and MongoDB.

Querify is a Q&A application which brings community together to share the knowledge along with blog posts and comments as bonus. It is designed to combine Questions & Answers app and platform for your Blogs. User can share knowledge by asking questions, responding to others' questions, reading and writing some blogs as well as commenting on others' blogs. And as a user, you can vote the answers and like or dislike the blogs. User can also edit their profile, delete account or even delete their content.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Quality Assurance Engineer   **August 2016 – June 2017**
Bar Bakers LLC, Los Alamitos, CA

- Implementation of BRC (Issue 7) standards for food safety and quality program.
- Develop, implement, and manage QA policies, procedures, manuals, and techniques to ensure compliance with product and packaging consistency, safety, and quality standards and to increase production efficiency.
- Identify, investigate, and troubleshoot food processing problems and non-conformances to ensure compliance with GFSI standards.
- Manage assigned staff, including selection, work assignments, training and development, performance appraisal, and motivation to increase regulatory compliance, improve production efficiency, and ensure that QA policies and procedures are correctly implemented.
- Formally and informally communicate with plant personnel to provide QA and safety-related information and to keep internal staff and customers apprised of quality and safety concerns, opportunities for preventive maintenance, techniques, and regulations.
- Participate in team meetings and committees as required to enhance company-wide teamwork and internal communication.
- Validation of methods and procedures to improve the quality and efficiency of existing pre-requisite programs and food safety system.
- Assist QA director in terms of Internal and External audits which includes customer audits.
- Maintain CAPA log and follow up on the corrective actions to stay compliant.

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- Manage customer complaints folder, Investigate, Trend and analyse patterns to implement necessary corrective actions.
- Manage allergen control program documentation-wise and practically during production and warehousing ingredients as well as finished products.

QA Supervisor/Food Technologist   **May 2014 – August 2016**
Felbro Food Products Inc., Los Angeles, CA

- Assist QA manager in implementing SQF (Safe Quality Food) standard for food safety and quality program.
- Research and implement new technologies and methods to improve finished product quality and safety.
- Conduct process capability analysis to improve process.
- Validate processes and methods for product quality and safety compliance.
- Conduct internal audit and create corrective & preventive action requests.
- Responsible for updating policies and procedures under guidance of QA manager.
- Investigate customer complaints. Also, create customer complaints trend and perform analysis to reduce customer complaints.
- Review, verify, and maintain records relating to product safety, legality, and quality systems.
- Assist QA manager in implementing allergen control program.
- Conduct monthly GMP and Food Safety audit.
- Assist QA manager in implementing foreign body control program. Create trend analysis for foreign material incidences, finished product non-conformance, etc.
- Coordinate allergen, microbial, environmental swab sampling for environment monitoring and finished product microbial quality and provide instructions to QA technicians.
- Coordinate and conduct allergen and process validation for HACCP validations.
- Coordinate and conduct finished product shelf life studies.
- Review vendor approval questionnaires, certificates, specifications, as requested by QA Manager.
- Evaluate non-conformance finished products for rework, create report, and release product accordingly.
- Evaluate product specifications and create specifications analysis charts to review product quality.
- Send raw material, package, and finished product samples to laboratory to evaluate and confirm quality.
- Report any process, methods, or documentation deviations to QA manager.
- Conduct quality meetings with management and provide recommendations to improve quality of products.
- Train QA techs on new programs, processes and equipment.

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QA Lead at Ace Bakery, Canada   **Jun 2011-Dec 2013**

- Assisting QA Manager in preparing facility for GSFI and Quality Management Systems
- Investigating customer complaints and quality issues and reporting to QA Director.
- Pre-shipment record review, Preparing and updating pre-op, operational sanitation(SSOPs)
- Product specification development, Label review Program, Allergen control program
- Food Defense program and its assessment, *Listeria* Program
- Keeping track of QA procedures i.e. hold procedures
- Monthly internal audits, product analysis forms
- QA administration (Managing laboratory, communication with outside agencies i.e. pest control, external laboratory)

Quality Assurance Officer at Himalaya International Limited, India   **Jan 2009-Aug 2010**

- Developed a new breaded snack product resulting in reduction of waste from by-product of daily production.
- Quality analysis of the raw material on the basis of specified standards (COAs).
- Testing the product at every critical stage of production.
- Cleanliness and sanitation control of the Food plant including machineries.
- Checking the manufacturing and handling practices of employees (GMPs).

EDUCATION:

- Web Development Immersive @ General Assembly - Santa Monica
  Nov, 2017
- Post Graduate Diploma (Project Management) @ Centennial College, Toronto, Canada
  May 2011
- B.E. (Food Processing & Technology) @ Sardar Patel University, India
  July 2010