MELISSA ABREU

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SUMMARY

Junior Software Engineer | Full-Stack Developer
Motivated software engineer with hands-on experience in JavaScript, React, Node.js, and PostgreSQL. Graduate of General Assembly's Software Engineering Immersive, combining technical expertise with a strong foundation in economics and operations. Skilled in designing efficient systems, solving complex problems, and collaborating in agile development environments.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript (ES6+), Python, HTML5, CSS3, SQL, Tailwind CSS
Frameworks & Libraries: React, Node.js, Express, Django, Bootstrap, jQuery
Databases: PostgreSQL, MongoDB
Tools & Platforms: Git/GitHub, VS Code, Heroku, Render, Netlify, Postman
Concepts: REST APIs, Agile, MVC Architecture, Responsive Design, Test-Driven Development (TDD)
Additional Tools: R, QuickBooks, Adobe Suite, Drake Software

PROJECTS

- Cook 'Up (JavaScript, React, Tailwind CSS, Express, Google Gemini, Postman API) – MERN Stack CRUD App, built to combine AI-powered creativity with a clean, user-friendly interface for food lovers who want to expand their culinary skills or make the most out of leftover ingredients.
- Tellin' (JavaScript, EJS, CSS, Express) – CRUD App, built to save your best photographs, poems, & short stories
- Concentration Game (JavaScript, CSS) – Match the images memory game

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Felipe Tax Corporation – Queens, NY
Tax Preparer | Jan 2022 – Apr 2025
- Automated client filing workflows, reducing turnaround time by 36%.
- Analyzed large datasets in Drake Software and Excel to ensure compliance and accuracy.
- Provided clients with data-driven financial advice based on tax analytics.
- Trained new staff on digital systems and implemented improved documentation processes.

Walmart E-Commerce – Pedricktown, NJ
Logistics Coordinator / Remedy Analyst | Aug 2021 – Dec 2022

- Managed SQL and NOVA databases for logistics reporting and issue tracking.
- Built a dashboard to monitor Fix-It tickets, improving response time by 25%.
- Collaborated with engineers to troubleshoot backend system errors and process automation.

EDUCATION

General Assembly – *Advance Software Engineering Immersive Program* – Oct 2025

Queens College, City University of New York – *Bachelor of Arts in Economics*, May 2020

- Related Coursework: Price Theory, Econometrics, Business & Economics, Statistics
- Member, Alliance of Latin American Students (ALAS)

Borough of Manhattan Community College – *Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts*, Jun 2016

- Member, Freshman Learning Academy (FLA)

CERTIFICATIONS

- Google | Foundation of User Experience (UX) Design – Jun 2024
- La Guardia CC | Accredited Tax Preparer (ATP) – May 2019