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SKILLS

- Ruby on Rails
- PHP
- JavaScript
- jQuery 2.0+
- Node.js 4.*
- Express 4.*
- React
- Git & GitHub
- Ajax & API/JSON
- MySQL 5
- MongoDB 3.2.*
- HTML5 & CSS3
- Bootstrap & Materialize
- Fundamentals of Python, C#, Unity and Java
- Strong communication skills
- Design, layout and typography
- Cross-browser compatibility
- Search engine optimization
- Responsive design

PROJECTS

- The Whispering Manor – A text-based game adventure utilizing a self-made random generator to create a dynamic storyline.
- Captain Caption – An accessibility application that collects videos exclusively with captions to be used in the classroom. Utilizes MongoDB, Express, React, Node.js, Materialize, HTML5, and CSS3.
- Swap Thing – Winner of Most Polished UI/UX – An application where users can post items they want to swap with friends. Utilizes MySQL, Express, React, Node.js, Materialize, HTML5, and CSS3.
- New York Times Search and Save – Full MERN Stack Application to search and save articles.

PROFILE

Highly focused Full Stack Developer who leverages excellent communication, interpersonal and logic skills to produce outstanding and creative applications, with an emphasis on functionality and usability.

EXPERIENCE

Web Developer
DigitalMarketer | Austin, TX | 10/2016 – Present

- DigitalMarketer HQ Team Member
  - Create new features in a 500k/month educational platform, including billing, tag, and access features
- Create sales pages and order forms for events, products, and services
- Utilize Ruby on Rails, PHP, jQuery, JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, and Bootstrap to create dynamic, mobile responsive web pages
- Assist with features and bug removal on DigitalMarketer Lab, an educational platform with over 10,000 members
- Update legacy code with improved performance and speed ratings

Guest Teacher Assistant
University of Texas Coding Boot Camp | Austin, TX | 4/2016 – 10/2016

- Assisted with instruction in JavaScript, jQuery, and HTML5/CSS3 for the new cohort of students in UT Austin's Coding Boot Camp
- Provided in-classroom help to teachers as well as students, answering questions and fostering their learning, while also reviewing past topics and solidifying my own knowledge.

Educational Interpreter
McNeil High School – RRISD | Austin, TX | 9/2013 – 10/2016

- Developed and maintained the McNeil Interpreter website.
  - Consolidated legacy systems into one user-friendly resource.
  - Evolved designs from concept to launch based on usability, analytics, staff feedback and other sources of input.
- Coordinated the technology used in meetings, such as PowerPoints and video streaming, as the technology arm of our department.
- Facilitated communication by interpreting for 26 Deaf high school students, 9th -12th grade, in their mainstream classrooms.

EDUCATION

Full-Stack Coding Boot Camp
University of Texas | Austin, TX | 2016

- An intensive 24-week long boot camp dedicated to designing and building web applications, utilizing the MERN Stack

Bachelor of Science: Radio, Television, Film
University of Texas | Austin, TX | 2009

- Graduated with Honors (top 10% of class), College Scholar (top student in the College of Communication), Dean's Honor List, Member of The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi
- Interned for the TV shows *Battlestar Galactica* and *Party Down*