# **MYKAELA SAENZ**

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### SUMMARY

Dynamic full stack software engineer with a passion for learning and coding. Inventive problem solver with skills to conquer the next problem that pops up. Seeking a challenging role to utilize strengths in creativity, teamwork, and analysis to build projects from ideation to execution.

### **EXPERIENCE**

# University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, TX

YOSA Assistant

January 2019 - March 2020

- Managed volunteers on maintaining music classroom and stage for rehearsals and performances
- Supervised students for the Youth Orchestra of San Antonio during weekly practices
- Trained volunteers on setting up and restoring rooms for sectionals

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October 2017 - March 2020

- Arranged the stage for performances in the music building
- Executed duties such as handing out programs, adjusting the lighting/audio, and cleaning up after performances

# Dogtopia, Alexandria, VA

Dog Supervisor

June 2019 - August 2019

- Trained new employees on how-to properly care for the dogs and play rooms
- Improved relationships between the dogs by reinforcing healthy interactions
- Monitored dogs and maintained a clean environment at play time

# Virtual Reality Ride, Alexandria, VA

Cashier

June 2018 - August 2018

- Improved by actively engaging with customers and creating a positive experience
- Streamlined operations to avoid long wait times for customers
- Implemented and adhered to all safety procedures to prevent incidents
- Prepared and regularly cleaned machine for customer usage

#### **PROJECTS**

### #MoodFlix

GitHub: https://github.com/bjennings90/Movie-Finder

Tools: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Materialize CSS, Two Server-Side API's, GoogleFonts, and GitHub

A website that helps you decide on a movie based on your mood, this was a collaborative project with two classmates

- Integrated backend end API with IMDB for movie recommendations based on Emojis
- Collaborated with classmates to manage the work and efforts for the projects

# **Thought Alert**

GitHub: https://github.com/Mykaelas/Thought-Alert

Tools: JavaScript, Insomnia, MongoDB/Mongoose, Node.js, Express

A backend project that focuses on social media interactions, such as being able to like and comment on posts.

- Created and integrated API for implementing interaction features
- Used Insomnia to ensure the API is working properly

#### **Have You Met Linda**

GitHub: https://github.com/Mykaelas/Have-You-Met-Linda Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Node.js, inquirer, Jest, GitHub

A project that helps to manage all of the employees in a company by department and salary.

- Utilized Inquirer to prompt users to input information
- Incorporated Jest to write and run tests and ensure the app is working as expected

## **CERTIFICATION**

# Rice University, Houston TX

Full Stack Developer Certificate

November 2022

- Completed CRUD and social media-related projects with classmates
- Reevaluated project direction and timelines for team during development cycle
- Provided knowledge transfer to classmates regarding tech concepts and tools

### **EDUCATION**

# American Graduate University, Covina, CA

Masters of Business Administration in Acquisition and Contracting

# University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, TX

Bachelors of Art in Music

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Algorithms
- API implementation and creation
- CSS
- Data Structures
- Debugging
- Express.js
- GitHub

- HTML
- JavaScript
- MERN Stack Development
- NoSQL
- Object Oriented Principles
- SQL
- UI/ UX Design