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FULL-STACK WEB DEVELOPER

GitHub LinkedIn Portfolio

SUMMARY

Creative and dependable Full Stack Web Developer with strong customer service skills and exceptional work ethic. Extremely self-motivated and eager to grow and learn new skills. Highly knowledgeable and proficient in JavaScript, HTML, CSS, and backend web development, as well as strong skills and ability in writing clean and efficient code.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Frontend: JavaScript, React, HTML5, CSS3, Jest, Enzyme, jQuery
- Backend: Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, RESTful APIs, Mocha & Chai
- Dev-Tools: Git, GitHub, Chrome Dev Tools, Heroku, Surge
- Software: Postman API Client, Visual Studio Code, Bash, AdobeCC

PROJECTS

SocietyWeb | GitHub: A full-stack team management web application.

- As Project Manager maintained Kanban board and held regular standups with Team Lead
- Built using responsive web design best practices
- Integrated Twilio SMS and SendGrid for team communication

Technologies Used: React, CSS, Node, Express, PostgreSQL, Twilio

OneLoveRewards | GitHub: One Love Rewards is a full-stack restaurant rewards platform.

- Created a RESTful API with Node.js and PostgreSQL
- Utilized TDD practices to write unit tests for React components
- Deployed a relational database to Heroku

Technologies Used: React, CSS, Node, Express, PostgreSQL

EDUCATION

Thinkful - Full-Stack Web Development MAY 2019 - NOVEMBER 2019

- Learned industry best practices and practical software development standards with a focus on HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Node.js, React, PostgreSQL, and algorithms & data structures.
- Created and deployed mobile-first applications while learning new languages and frameworks by collaborating several hours every week with a senior web developer.
- Pair-programmed with fellow students on a weekly basis to develop interpersonal skills, produce higher quality code, and share knowledge.

EXPERIENCE

Jamaican Jerk Pit, Ann Arbor, MI - Floor Manager

AUGUST 2011 - PRESENT

- Applied customer feedback to improve future experiences and adjust to their needs.
- Utilized effective communication skills to create strong customer relationships which resulted in increased sales every year.
- Successfully implemented a new POS to speed up customer transactions by at least 25%.