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## SUMMARY

A full-stack developer with a boundless thirst for knowledge and talent for tackling complex challenges. Trained at Vanderbilt's premier coding boot camp equipped with a strong foundation in full-stack web development. A seasoned problem-solver, using logic and a can-do attitude to overcome obstacles and deliver results. Excel at independent work, also thrive in team environments and appreciate the power of collaboration.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Proficiencies:  Apollo, Bootstrap, CSS, Express, GitHub, Git, GraphQL, Handlebars, Heroku, HTML, JavaScript, JQuery, Material-UI, MongoDB, Mongoose, MySQL, Node.js, NoSQL, PWA, React, REST API, Sass, Sequelize, Tailwind CSS.**

## PROJECTS

**Title: The Daily Planner**
**Github:** https://github.com/Nmotley92/group-project
**Project link:** https://nmotley92.github.io/group-project/
- **Summary**: The Daily Planner is a tool that gives the user the opportunity to search for local events in any city within the US and add them to a calendar, add their own events, and automatically shows all holidays on the calendar Book Haven (book-haven.herokuapp.com)with a click of a button.
- **Core responsibilities:** Created the calendar using tailwind, programmed all javascript logic.
- **Technologies:** HTML - CSS - JAVASCRIPT - JQUERY - TAILWIND

**Title: Longevity**
**Github:** https://github.com/alexisbenavidez99/workout-tracker
**Project link:** rocky-thicket-55053.herokuapp.com/
- **Summary**: Longevity is a dynamic workout application that simplifies the discovery of suitable exercises for users. With personalized profiles, users can easily search and find tailored workouts to meet their fitness goals. The app emphasizes the facilitation of user engagement, ensuring each individual can identify and embark on optimal exercise routines. It's a user-centric tool, designed to make the quest for personal fitness more streamlined and efficient.
- **Core responsibilities:**  I spearheaded the development of all back-end functionalities of Longevity, meticulously crafting routes, models, and views. Utilizing Handlebars, I ensured the seamless integration of server-side logic into the application's architecture. This facilitated a robust, well-structured back-end that significantly enhanced the application's performance and user experience.
- **Technologies:** HTML- CSS -JS- TAILWIND- MySQL- Sequelize- Handlebars - deployed on Heroku

**Title: Book Haven**
**Github:** https://github.com/Nmotley92/e-commerce-site
**Project Link:** https://book-haven.herokuapp.com/
- **Summary:** Book Haven is an innovative Progressive Web Application (PWA) providing a streamlined e-commerce experience for book enthusiasts. With features enabling users to search, sort, and purchase books via PayPal, it offers a user-centric online shopping journey. The platform empowers administrators with tools for product management, sales visualization, and direct customer interaction via an integrated

chat. It also includes an order tracking system for seamless transaction oversight. As a PWA, Book Haven ensures optimal performance and engagement across various devices, creating a dynamic online marketplace for both buyers and sellers.

- **Core responsibilities**: In developing Book Haven, I led the design and implementation of all front-end components using React, contributed to strategic layout decisions, and conducted thorough testing to ensure optimal functionality and user experience.
- **Technologies:** React - HTML - CSS - JS - JSX - PaypalL - Cloudinary - SocketIO - Redux- - PWA - Node.js - Webpack - Mongoose - Jest - JWT - Axios

## EXPERIENCE

### Shift Leader                                                                                   2019-2022

**Brothers Burgers**                                                                **Nolensville, TN**
**Summary**: Tasked with managing a diverse team within a fast-paced restaurant environment, I oversee daily operations, prioritizing customer satisfaction, and resolving emergent issues swiftly. My leadership role ensures the seamless running of operations and the delivery of exceptional dining experiences, thereby elevating the restaurant's reputation and customer satisfaction.

- Mentored and trained new employees, leading to a 50% reduction in training duration and a significant improvement in overall team efficiency. This impactful leadership directly contributed to the fastest ticket times the restaurant has ever achieved, optimizing service speed and enhancing customer satisfaction.
- Recognized for exceptional performance and leadership by upper management, I was swiftly promoted to Shift Leader after only one month in the line cook position. Currently, I hold the position of Assistant Kitchen Manager, where I leverage my expertise to assist the new ownership in establishing and operating a fresh concept, thereby shaping the restaurant's strategic direction and operational efficiency

## EDUCATION

**Program Certificate: Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN**                          **10/2022-03/2023**
A 24 week intensive web development program focused on gaining skills in full-stack development.

**High School Diploma: Rochester High School, Rochester, IL**                                        **2010**