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SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

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PROFILE

My path to web development has not been a straightforward one. While computers have been a part of my life from a young age I had never tried my hand at programming. The start of the path may have been my college study of Music Business with a focus on Audio Engineering. In the course of my degree I completed an independent study using Pure Data, a graphic programming interface to create a fully software driven effects pedal. At the time, I had no idea I was learning general programming concepts or even what that would have meant. Now that interest has come full circle. Learning web development has given me the opportunity to exercise the logical side of myself as well as employ my creative spirit to solve problems, and to impact and help others.

FDUCATION

Nashville Software School Full Stack Developer

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B.A. Music Industry minor in Audio Arts Production

EXPERIENCE

Nashville Software School Oct. 2018 - Present

Intensive full-time 6-month software development bootcamp anchoring learning with both individual and team-based projects. Tech Stack: Python/ Django; React.js; Javascript; HTML5; CSS3; SQL fundamentals.

Front-End Projects

Welcome to Nashville

- Utilized External API's to gather data about events, restaurants, concerts and parks in the Nashville Area.
- Worked with the team to plan the layout, overall structure, and interface, utilizing user stories.
- Utilized Javascript, CSS and HTML to execute our design of an interactive user experience and automated workflow with grunt to handle linting, and development servers.
- Primary role of handling API interactions with SongKick's API and developing a landing page and navigation system that emulated a single-page layout.

Nutshell

- Created a personal dashboard app utilizing Browserify and Javascript modules with JSON server to handle a database with join tables for linking user data.
- Primary role within group of creating a fully CRUD capable to-do list.
- Utilized Materialize and CSS for consistent styling throughout the application.

ReSpeak

- Used React.js to recreate ReSpeak, personal dictaphone app with full CRUD capability and long term storage of user generated audio files.
- Leveraged React components and Reactstrap to handle authentication layer, single page layout, and modals for a dynamic single page user experience.
- Used Firebase storage for long term storage of user generated sound files.
- Utilized JSON server in conjunction with Firebase to work with user generated data and relating data to audio files in Firebase storage

Server and Bartender

Oct. 2013- Sept. 2018

- · Utilized detailed knowledge of menu, cooking techniques, and classic cuisine to interact with guests and provide a personalized experience based upon their expectations, knowledge, and preferences.
- Created unique cocktails and ingredients for the beverage director to utilize within the bar program.
- · Assisted other servers with wine education and when necessary as a liaison to tables throughout the restaurant to provide formal wine
- Trained new servers and bartenders how to work within the team and communicate effectively with both other front of the house staff as well as the chef and cooks.

VOLUNTEER

Swing Dance Nashville Jan 2015- Present

International Rescue Group

Dec. 2016- Feb. 2017

B.S.A. Eagle Scout 2002-2009