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### **Technical Skills**

Languages: HTML, CSS, & Javascript

Front-end: React, Tailwind CSS, MaterialUI, Apollo Client, HandlebarsJS, EmailJS, JWT Decode

Back-end: NodeJS, ExpressJS, MongoDB, Mongoose ODM, MySQL, Sequelize ORM, Apollo

Server, GraphQL, bcrypt, Express Sessions, JWT, Heroku

Tools & Libraries: NPM, Git, Github, Cloudinary, DayJS

## **Projects**

#### YARDGEMS, PROJECT LEADER - 2 WEEKS (BOOTCAMP PROJECT - FULL STACK)

A community-driven platform designed to streamline the yard sale experience. The application eliminates the tedious need to drive around in search of yard sales by providing a centralized platform where users can find and list yard sales in their area. - <a href="https://yardgems-15b0faee737f.herokuapp.com/">https://yardgems-15b0faee737f.herokuapp.com/</a>

- Led server setup using NodeJS and ExpressJS.
- Utilized React's context API for efficient global state management.
- Integrated GraphQL API, enhancing data querying and mutation processes.
- Implemented <u>JWT</u> to ensure secure user authentication.
- Facilitated the addition of an image upload feature using <u>Cloudinary</u> to improve user engagement.

### MEAL MAPPR, DEVELOPER - 2 WEEKS (BOOTCAMP PROJECT - FULL STACK)

A digital meal planning application designed to simplify nutrition tracking. Offers a recipe search and save feature, enabling users to easily plan meals and monitor nutritional intake. - <a href="https://mealmappr.herokuapp.com/">https://mealmappr.herokuapp.com/</a>

- Styled application elements with <u>Tailwind CSS</u> to enhance the user interface.
- Integrated dynamic recipe search feature via 3rd party API to enrich user experience.
- Developed RESTful API endpoints to extend app functionality.

## Projects - continued

### ESCAPE ME, SOLE DEVELOPER — ONGOING (PERSONAL PROJECT - FULL STACK)

A customizable booking system initially designed for escape room businesses. Features an admin portal for comprehensive management of bookings, users, and escape room details. Scalable for other business types. - <a href="https://escape-me.herokuapp.com/">https://escape-me.herokuapp.com/</a>

- Responsible for the end-to-end development.
- Set up the server architecture using NodeJS and ExpressJS.
- Implemented Express Session middleware to ensure secure authentication and authorization.
- Utilized HandlebarsJS for efficient rendering of views.
- Established a MySQL database using Sequelize ORM to manage data storage.
- Crafted RESTful API endpoints to facilitate CRUD operations.
- Styled the application using Tailwind CSS, focusing on a user-friendly interface.

### Education

UTSA School of Data Science Certificate - Full Stack Web Development (MERN) San Antonio, Texas

# Work Experience

### Field Representative / Vanguard Field Strategies / Jul 2023 - Sep 2023 (3 mos)

Role encompassed grassroots mobilization, data collection, and strategic outreach.

- Engaged with diverse communities.
- Communicated campaign messages.
- Met organizational objectives.
- Adhered to the highest ethical standards.

#### Samsung Certified Advisor / Best Buy / 2016 – Jul 2023 (6 yrs)

Go-to expert for Samsung products within the Home Theatre category.

- Led project for 3 years, driving sales revenue.
- Educated customers on the latest Samsung technology.
- Facilitated trainings for employees on Samsung product features and updates.
- Served as brand ambassador, building personal brand around trust and expertise.

### Freelance Photographer / Omar Zumaya Photography / 2019 – 2022 (3 yrs)

Specialized in concert/live music, studio, and portrait photography.

- Managed all aspects of photography business.
- Client acquisition.
- Post-production using Adobe Photoshop and Lightroom.

## **Licenses & Certifications**

Full Stack Web Development (MERN) Certification - UTSA School of Data Science July 2023