

# Christian Maki

Fullstack Software Engineer

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## SUMMARY

As a disciplined software developer, I am constantly driven to improve and become the best version of myself. I thrive on the challenge of solving complex problems and am deeply fulfilled by my career in programming. Outside of work, I enjoy keeping busy through activities like rock climbing, reading, exercising, and also love engaging in deep, thought-provoking conversations about fascinating topics like tardigrades (They're really cool!). Surrounded by supportive and inspiring individuals, I am constantly motivated to succeed and grow as a software developer.

## SKILLS

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|--------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| ➤ Javascript | ➤ Amazon Web Services (AWS) | ➤ Material UI            |
| ➤ C#         | ➤ Heroku                    | ➤ Visual Studio Code     |
| ➤ React.js   | ➤ HTML                      | ➤ RESTful API            |
| ➤ Redux      | ➤ CSS                       | ➤ Slack                  |
| ➤ Node.js    | ➤ Web Hosting               | ➤ Postman                |
| ➤ Express.js | ➤ Deployment                | ➤ Chrome Developer Tools |
| ➤ Postico    | ➤ Wireframing               | ➤ Google Drive           |
| ➤ PostgreSQL | ➤ DB Designer               | ➤ Multer                 |
| ➤ GIT        | ➤ Database Manipulation     | ➤ AWS S3 Bucket          |
| ➤ GitHub     | ➤ CRUD                      |                          |
| ➤ Figma      | ➤ Fuse.js                   |                          |
| ➤ Axios      |                             |                          |
| ➤ jQuery     |                             |                          |

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| ➤ Type speed: 70-80 words per minute | ➤ Team Oriented         | ➤ Back-end Development |
| ➤ Compromising                       | ➤ Disciplined           | ➤ Repeatable Code      |
| ➤ Compassionate                      | ➤ Respectful            | ➤ Agile Methodologies  |
| ➤ Hard Worker                        | ➤ Adaptable             |                        |
|                                      | ➤ Front-end Development |                        |

## EXPERIENCE

08/2022 - 01/2023 **Full Stack Software Engineer**

-Prime Digital Academy | Minneapolis, MN

- Enhanced my experience and knowledge with a heavy focus on React, Javascript, Redux, CSS, HTML, jQuery, postgresSQL, and their many accompaniments.
- Consistently led my team in group projects which resulted in functional and dynamic applications.
- "[Missing Link](#)" - Independently developed a solution for a world-wide problem regarding the lack of data between patients with diagnosed conditions, diseases, and ailments. Using complex database extraction methods, researchers are now able to draw conclusions from seemingly unrelated attributes between patients with the shared conditions(s).
- Client Project- Collaborated with 4 others to centralize the company's current website's functionalities. Users with different access levels are privy to specific information and accessibilities. We created a smooth experience for users, and administrators can easily and comfortably navigate within the app, create and delete calendar events, and register new users to the platform.
- In addition to the valuable experience I've gained through this program, I also previously had a year of self-study where I became adept with the essentials of Javascript, HTML, and CSS.

#### **01/2017 - 07/2022 Waiter at Various Locations:**

- Locations Included: Mallards, Village Inn, Axel's Bonfire, & Tobies Restaurant and Bakery.
- Mastered time management and pacing tasks during high stress/intense operations. Timed when to check in on guests, placed large, complex orders, warmly greeted guests upon entry, directed and answered phone calls, deployed coworkers' items to their guest's table if unable to, ensured product is stocked and/or refilled, handled customer discrepancies, and managed coworkers when they became overwhelmed ("in the weeds", as they say)- all while personally managing anywhere between 3 to 8 tables full of guests.
- Received exemplary praise from customers and developed "regulars" who would request for me by name during their visit. During my employment, I would receive 20% tips or more per bill, over 90% of the time, with 20% being the standard "best" tip to receive at the time.
- Mediated customer discrepancies in a professional and respectful manner.
- Created a warm and welcoming environment for people of all genders, races, and orientations.
- My excellent attendance rate ensured my team could rely on my consistency, and I would often pick up shifts for the other employees and fill in when and where I was needed.
- Received preferential waiting/serving sections in the restaurant that were known to be the most profitable due to my consistency, ability to upsell product, and maintaining a great attitude towards customers, staff, and management at all times.

#### **EDUCATION**

##### **01/2023 Full Stack Software Engineering Certification**

-Prime Digital Academy | Minneapolis, MN

Achieved proficiency in:

- Managing complex data structures and algorithms.
- Refactoring complicated code to create organized and well managed blocks of code.
- Achieving "Exceeds Expectations" on many projects- going above and beyond to ensure I learned the content and more, even though it wasn't required.
- Utilizing GIT and GitHub to collaborate with group members in completing large projects.
- Performing different methods of code debugging whether on client or server side such as using breakpoints and logs, Postman, and general trial and error to effectively solve issues.

(See hard skills below)

##### **08/2016 Fire Science & Technology**

-Lake Superior College | Duluth, MN

-Associates (Fire Technology & Sciences)

- Performed critical, time sensitive operations in high stress environments. Training included search and rescue operations, fire suppression, and critical thinking.
- Led calm and collected radio and verbal communications with my team, resulting in successful completion of high intensity situations.
- Completed each task effectively and on time under high stress durations.

#### **LANGUAGES:**

- Proficient in English | Native Language
- Moderate in Spanish | 2 Years Of Experience