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EDUCATION

University of California, Irvine - March 2021
Bachelor of Science in Informatics
Emphasis in Human-Computer Interaction
3.4 Major GPA, 3.07 Overall GPA

SKILLS

Frameworks: React, Next.js, Node.js
Languages: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Python, Lua
Tools: Linux, Git, GitHub, REST APIs, Figma

PROJECTS

Dreams for Schools Mentors App

My capstone project team at UC Irvine developed an employee management application with React and Node.js for a non-profit organization. The app improved previous workflows for the directors and helped them to provide necessary resources and announcements to their staff.

Telescope

Telescope is an open-source plugin that I maintain for Neovim, my code editor of choice. I have focused on making the plugin more accessible for users by writing more extensive documentation and assisting them with issues in their configuration.

Array Methods JS

I wrote a few articles as a beginner's guide to the concept of *array methods* in JavaScript. To share them with the community, I designed and built a website with an 80s-inspired aesthetic.

WORK EXPERIENCE

iD Tech Camps - Remote

Online Private Instructor

August 2020 - Present

- Develop lesson plans and projects to teach programming fundamentals
- Teach Python, HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to children ages 8-16

UCI Student Center & Events Services - Irvine, CA

Operations Manager

November 2019 - July 2020

- Compiled a calendar of event bookings into a daily task list for operations staff to complete
- Acted as a liaison between clients and UCI staff to resolve issues and discrepancies

Operations Crew Lead

July 2019 - October 2019

- Supervised setups for special events while managing a team of 10-20 people

Building Lead, Visitor Center Receptionist

April 2019 - June 2019

- Trained new employees in student center operations and policies
- Assisted visitors to UCI with directions and provided information about campus events

Operations Crew

April 2018 - March 2019

- Executed special events setups, including arranging tables, chairs, and A/V equipment