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About Me:

I moved to Portland, OR 3 years ago from North Carolina. In my journey, I have worked in Customer Service, Retail, Fast Food, and Sales. I am currently a full-stack software developer! I love coding with a passion. I code in my off time, I love learning coding and new frameworks and technologies. I also enjoy working in teams, which is something that software development excels at beautifully. I enjoy being able to ask questions to those around me and also answering them. I love the sense of accomplishment that you get when you and your team succeed. I would love a work environment in which everyone knows one another and encourages each other. While I don't have a particular area of focus in the software field, I'm always excited to tackle new challenges, meet new people, and grow while learning.

Experience and Skills:

Customer Service
- Friendly and empathetic, resulting in tailored experiences for clients/customers
- Cash Handling|POS/Terminal Operation
- Ability to quickly assess and identify customer needs, concerns and wants
- Articulate and professional communication
- Multi-line phone use

Computer Knowledge
- Proficiency in MS Office Suite 2016
- Mac and Windows System Experience
- Daily work with/on PC's

Leadership and Teamwork
- Highly motivated and able to motivate coworkers/team
- Respectable and excellent listener
- Motivated from Learning and Education
- Willingness to help others advance when/if they need
- 4 years of leadership training through high school and some college

Software Development
- Programming/Development: **C#, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, MVC 5**
- Frameworks: **jQuery, BootStrap, Sass, Knockout, React, ASP.NET, Entity Framework, .NET Framework,**
- Databases: **MS SQL Server, MySQL**
- IDE: **Visual Studio Professional/Community 2017, Brackets**
- Methodologies: **Agile/Scrum**
- Source Control: **Team Foundation Server, GitHub Repository, GitBash**

Employment History (*in chronological order from most recent*):

- **PROSPER IT CONSULTING** Portland, OR - Full Stack Software Developer Intern
  Aug 2017- Oct 2017
- **CONDUENT (2 Locations)** Tigard, OR Apple Technical Support Vendor | Portland, OR Sprint Customer Retention.
  Feb. 2017- Aug. 2017

- **WITHME Retail Holdings LLC -** Visual/Assistant Manager
  Dec 2016-Jan. 2017 (lost funding)
- **JBC PRODUCT MGMT** Customer Service Representative,
  Sep. 2016 - Nov 2016
- **T-MOBILE TUALATIN** Sales Representative,
  Sep. 2015- Mar. 2016
- **MACY'S CTCM** Beauty Advisor (Seasonal),
  May 2015- Sept. 2015
- **NORDSTROM DTWN PDX** Sales Associate,
  May 2014- Dec 2014 (seasonal)

Education and Training:
- **THE TECH ACADEMY** (Graduate) Portland, OR August 2017 - Oct 2017
  - Boot-Camp style career school for Software Development. With 40-hour week training. Graduated 2 months before expected date of December 25, 2017. In this self-paced environment I've learned the Fundamentals of Computer Science, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, C#, ASP.NET, OOP, RDB and Management. Completed projects that are located on GitHub, including work on a LMS Blog, both front-end and back-end.

- **ART INSTITUTE of PORTLAND**, Game Design and Business Management (April 2016-Sept 2016)
  - Studying game design, I learned the principles of design and aesthetic as well as several 3-D modeling software and an introduction into Web Development with HTML/CSS and JavaScript. Business Management gave me an opportunity to work in groups with other students to develop business plans and requirements, while learning about the industry.

- **WAYNE SCHOOL of ENGINEERING**, Goldsboro, NC, High School Diploma
  - STEM high school in which the focus of education was on Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. I completed college courses while attending this high school, and graduated with a diploma and Competent Drafter's Certificate with training in AutoCAD and 3D SolidWorks. Also trained in hand drawing plans and schematics.
  - Leadership Readiness Certificate
  - Competent Drafter's Certificate

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