TERRA MANNING | Software Developer

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Detailed-oriented Software Developer with experience building, enhancing, and maintaining user-focused web applications, backed by 15+ years in leadership roles across logistics, education, and program management. Excels at collaborating within cross-functional teams and thriving in dynamic environments to produce impactful results.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages and Frameworks: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Ruby, Rails, SQL, React

Testing: Test-Driven Development (TDD), RSpec, Cypress

Tools & Workflow: Git, GitHub, Jira, Postman, Heroku, RESTful APIs, Agile Workflow, Adobe InDesign

PROJECTS More Projects Here

Viewing Party API | Solo Project | View on Github

A Ruby on Rails RESTful API that allows users to explore movies and create Viewing Party Events with invited users

- Built and deployed a Rails API with CRUD functionality, integrating TMDB API for movie data.
- Established a many-to-many relationship between users and viewing parties to track hosts and invitees.
- Utilized TDD with RSpec and VCR to mock API requests, achieving 100% coverage with simplecov

Mood Boost | Group Project | View on Github Front End | View on Github Backend | Deployed Link

A full stack project that provides merchants, their items and coupons and is built to consume data from a Rails API.

- Tracks user actions on the site and shows users a graph of completed activities.
- Used TDD to achieve 100% coverage of data logic, functionality and edge case/sad paths for the backend and full cypress testing on the front end.
- Leveraged two external APIs for jokes and quotes.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Dock Manager | Amazon Sortation Operations | Commerce City, CO

09 | 2021 - 12 | 2023

- Directed teams of up to 110 associates and 4 ship clerks, consistently meeting delivery deadlines while maintaining top safety and quality standards.
- Partnered with Safety, Loss Prevention, Quality Assurance, Reliability Maintenance Engineers, Technical Support and Human Resource team to enhance warehouse efficiency and employee well-being.
- Optimized outbound logistics with over 90% truck utilization, achieving cost savings and reducing environmental impact through process improvements.
- Demonstrated mastery in all Amazon sortation warehouse process paths, including forklift operation, problem-solve department, and trailer dock and release (TDR), while training associates in key processes to enhance team performance.

Early Childhood Educator | Primrose Schools | Longmont, CO

08 | 2009 - 03 | 2011

- Developed and implemented a structured learning curriculum, creating engaging and age-appropriate educational experiences that supported the cognitive and social development of preschool-aged children.
- Led and supervised assistant teachers, fostering a collaborative and organized classroom environment.

Program Manager | Suzuki Music Association of the Americas | Boulder, CO

09|2006 - 12|2008

• Designed and edited for the SAA Journal, maintained the donation database, managed the North America Chapter Affiliate Program, and issued Teacher Training certifications.

EDUCATION

Turing School of Software and Design, Remote(Anticipated Graduation: 05 | 2025)

04 | 2024 - Present

Certificate in Software Engineering

University of Colorado, Boulder CO

Bachelors in Cultural & Physical Anthropology, Minor in Political Science