JO TARANOWSKI

Full Stack Software Developer

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TECHNOLOGIES

Languages: HTML5, CSS, Javascript, Python, C#, SQL

FrameWorks/Libraries: React, ASP.Net, Flask, Jinja, Express.js,

Node.is, Razor, Bootstrap, SASS, Entity Framework Core, Ling

Databases: MySQL, NoSQL, MongoDB

Tools: GitHub, Balsamiq, Figma, EF Core, API integration,

JSON, Bcrypt, OOP, jQuery, Gradle, Postman, MySQL

Workbench, AWS, AJAX,

PROJECTS

Cravelt- Github TECHSTACK: HTML5, CSS, JavaScript, React, Bootstrap

Recipe search website

- Optimized and enhanced the front-end development process with Jquery javascript library to create lightweight, simplified code, increasing readability
- Debugged and tested Spoonacular REST API using Postman, utilizing Axios promise-based HTTP client to speed up the back-end development process by outsourcing data to populate the web application
- Implemented React components for reusability, consistency, reducing overall lines of code, and Increasing readability. Virtual DOM improves site's performance, increasing overall speed and fluidity

CyberPet - Github (private- available upon request)*

Mobile Creature Companion

- Implemented C# scripts that dictate core creature behavior, as well as user-to-creature interactions (naming, feeding, playing, and cleaning your pet), leveraging the Unity Game engine
- Collaborated on an AR creature companion Android App, contributing to the overall design and functionality of the project.
- Utilized Github and git for source control

Only Cats – Github

Cat Photo Sharing Website

TECHSTACK: HTML5, CSS, React, MongoDb, Bootstrap, AWS

TECHSTACK: C#, Unity, Github, Gradle

- Deployed through AWS using Amazon EC2 for cloud server security, scalability, and accessibility of the website. Reduced time spent on deployment. Reduced costs associated with computing usage and maintaining live site
- Optimized flexibility and scalability using MongoDB NoSQL document data model, saving time throughout the development process and building a more flexible application
- Enhanced readability and shortened front end development time using Bootstrap CSS framework, improving conciseness and resulting in more responsive website design
- Created consistency and clarity through predetermined paths and uncluttered page structure using wireframing tool Balsamiq to develop a low-fidelity wireframe

WORK HISTORY

Driving Instructor/Certified Examiner – Defensive Driving School

June 2021-June 2022 | Seattle, WA

- Facilitated and assessed 100's of individuals of diverse perspectives through consecutive lessons, examinations ensuring curriculum understanding, retention through personalized lesson plans
- Navigated dangerous and ambiguous situations while balancing professionalism and utilizing varied means of communication and explanations best fit to each situation and student's learning style
- Responsible for making accurate assessments and final decisions on each student's ability to perform according to WA law and driving school specifications helping 100's of students of various ages and experience, graduate with a 95% success rate

EDUCATION

Coding Dojo Full Stack Development Bootcamp

Seattle University BA English Literature