Desmond Adkins

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SKILLS   JavaScript, Express, NodeJS, React, Redux, HTML5, CSS3, Python, Flask, Logic Pro X, Pro-Tools, Reason

PROJECTS

Never Forget | *(JavaScript, NodeJS, HTML5, CSS3, PostgreSQL, Pug)*   **live** | **github**
- Is an organization focused to-do list tracker web app that allows users to manage their day to day lives.
- Built out this Full-Stack project using JavaScrip, CSS, NodeJs, Sequelize and Pug.
- Greatest challenge was OAuth and back-end implementation of which my team and I overcame.
- My contributions includes CSS, and Back-end route implementation

Query | *(JavaScript, NodeJS, HTML5, CSS3, PostgreSQL, Pug)*   **live** | **github**
- Query is a question and answer based app that allows users with questions to access people with answers.
- Some group organizational challenges at the start of this project, which we worked through as a team to overcome to better execute daily plans.
- The largest hurdle was understanding how to generate real time questions after submitting, as well as implementing a question and answer search feature.

FlavorGram | *(JavaScript, React / Redux, CSS3, Python, Flask)*   **live** | **github**
- FlavorGram is a twist on Instagram that is centered around sharing photos of amazing dishes and their recipes.
- This project came with many coding challenges. From the ability of generating a limitless feed to giving users the ability to follow, comment, like and save other user recipes.
- Designed this apps main page feed and used Python Back-end for routing and model associations.

Pet Portal | *(JavaScript, React / Redux, NodeJS, CSS3 , PostgreSQL)*   **live** | **github**
- Pet Portal allows a user to track and document all their pets health and life events.
- The challenges will be to have built in scheduling as well as graphical displays of pet stats
- Other challenges will be building a scrolling image/caption feature for all pet events for the users viewing pleasure.

EXPERIENCE

Soundtrack Boston
Operations Manager / Sound Engineer   May 2015 - April 2019
- Promoted from Intern to Operations Manager in three years with direct communication with the company Owner.
- Maintained and established client relations while overseeing all departments. Coordinated and collaborated new projects and ideas with the corporate team.
- Hiring and management of all personnel with-in the logistics department.
- Lead event coordinator for all client and corporate events.
- Contacted and organized with vendors and deliveries for all day to day operations.
- Assisted with large post-production recordings, which include advertising, film and television.

Bryan Total Vision Care
Manager / Optometric Tech / Consultant   June 2011 - March 2020
- Oversaw all day to day operations including ordering of all inventory, office and patient related supplies
- Performed eye exams and contact lens fittings on approximately 35 patients a day.
- Interviewed, hired, and trained new optometry technicians/receptionists
- Increased office efficiency with an increased revenue of 30% and made partner of the company.

EDUCATION

New England Institute of Art - *BS Audio & Media Technology, 2011 - 2015*
AppAcademy - 2020 - 2021