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**Summary**

Personable marketing professional with developing skills as a Full-Stack Web Developer. Passionate about communication and problem-solving while supporting a team. Skills including Javascript, React, MongoDB, and GraphQL combined with diverse marketing experience focused on communication and the customer journey. Excited to bring a love of learning, adapting, and evolving through the continuing adventure.

**Technical Skills**

**Technical Languages:** JavaScript

**Applications:** Node.js, React, MongoDB, GraphQL, Bootstrap, jQuery, Express

**Projects**

**Eat Drink and Be Merry** | **github.com/Wir3s/eat-drink-be-merry | wir3s.github.io/eat-drink-be-merry/**

* *Search for an ingredient and a list of food and beverage recipes are presented. Ingredients can be added directly to a shopping list.*
* *Project leader, responsible for API’s and JavaScript*
* *JavaScript, Bulma*

**Experience**

**Marketing Manager** 2009 – Present

**River Market Community Co-op** Stillwater, MN

*Develop and execute strategic plans for communications, support the vision and goals of the General Manager and Board of Directors. Enhance and develop the brand through storytelling. Public face representing the organization. Support the needs of several departments. Point of contact and customer service representative for over 6,700 members. Develop and implement customer service training for staff.*

Key Accomplishments:

* *Implemented and oversee program raising over $40,000 annually for local non-profit organizations*
* *Support and direct impressive growth in sales (64%) and customers (66%)*

**Education**

***Boot Camp Certificate:*** *University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN*A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, Node.js, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, Handelbars.js, and ReactJS.

***Bachelor of Arts in Biology****: University of MN, Twin Cities, MN*