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SKILLS JavaScript, Ruby, React, Redux, Rails, HTML, CSS, SQL/Postgres, Playwright, MongoDB, Express.js, Node.js

PROJECTS

TagAlongs | (Mongodb, Express, React, Node.js, Google Map API)

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A volunteer-based buddy system that allows users to request companionship for a certain route or location.

- Implemented User Auth by encrypting user details via JSON Webtoken library to be sent over HTTP using Axios to then be decrypted via JWT-Decode library on frontend, ensuring secure verification.
- Wrote model level validations to check for inclusion of password/email upon login using Validator.js library.
- Applied Mongoose populate method to fetch underlying related data across multiple collections, thus reducing the volume of call to backend server.
- Spearheaded mobile-responsive design using SCSS's media-query, optimizing the layout of contents across multiple devices.

EweTube | (React/Redux, Rails 5, PostgreSQL, HTML5, CSS, JavaScript, Amazon Web Services S3)

An Ovis-themed YouTube clone.

- Integrated Redux with HTML5 media web components to create customized video playback for users.
- Harnessed power of S3 through creation of cloud functions to upload and delete files while protecting API key and streamlining AWS API interaction through server side programming.
- Optimized backend routes and shape of front-end state to minimize load-time for process-heavy user experience, especially in user login-in, which relies heavily on preferences saved by user in previous sessions.

Octet Stabilizer | (JavaScripts, Canvas, HTML5, CSS)

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An educational game that demonstrates how the octet rule works in Chemistry.

- Engineered layers of gaming complexity through introduction of game state changes that rely on Object Oriented Programming techniques and conditional logic.
- Built custom game engine using JavaScript's eventListeners to manage movement mechanics of atoms with colliding physics that generate visually compelling gameplay experience.
- Incorporated custom drawlmage function to render different frames of source image at calculated timepoints, creating smooth and visually appealing animation for game playable objects.

EXPERIENCE

Junior Instructional Assistant, App Academy

Nov 2021 - Present

- Provide technical and conceptual assistance to students while maintaining responsibility for student success.
- Mentor 10- 12 students per cohort as they move through the course and provide daily small-group instruction.

Science/ Coding Teacher, Ephraim Williams College Prep Middle School

Aug 2020 - Jun 2021

- Served on committee that examined the district's middle school Science curriculum and identified over two dozen issues and designed improvement plan for Life Sciences and Physical Sciences curriculum across 4 campuses.
- Enhanced Apple's Community Education Initiative (CEI) Coding curriculum by being first and only teacher to adopt programming concepts taught in iOS' Swift to JavaScript, HTML, and Dart.
- Created functional apps using Xcode and Android Studio to demonstrate the best practices for app-design, which contributed to 200% increase in completed student App prototype pitches compared to the year before.

High School and Middle School Science Department Chair/ Teacher, Vacaville Christian School Aug 2012 - Jun 2020

- Collaborated with other departments to create cross-disciplinary lesson plans, resulting in over 50% increase in AP Exam pass rate from 2011.
- Organized inquiry labs that teach skills such as population surveying techniques, analytical practices, and calculations, resulting in highest Advanced Placement enrollment in school's history.

EDUCATION

AppAcademy - Full Stack Development Certificate, 2021 UC Davis School of Education - Master of Arts (MA) in Education, 2011-2013 UC Davis - Bachelor of Science (BS) in Biological Sciences, 2007-2011