

Zac Evans

Software Engineer
Atlanta, GA | (770) 940-4252

zacevanscoding.com | github.com/zac-evans | www.linkedin.com/in/zacevanscoding | zacevanscoding@gmail.com

Creative software engineer with the ability to pick up new languages and technologies quickly and an eagerness to learn. Prior to being a software engineer, I worked as a professional musician and educator collaborating extensively with other musicians and privately instructing a wide variety of students from the beginner to college-level.

Software Development Skills

- Debugging, JavaScript, Node.js, React, Express, Redux, RESTful API, PostgreSQL, Sequelize, Bootstrap, Material-UI, Flexbox, AWS, HTML, CSS

Education

DigitalCrafts | Certificate in Software Engineering | Atlanta, GA

June 2020 – Dec 2020

- Software engineering training program covering full-stack development including, but not limited to JavaScript, including an emphasis on cutting-edge frameworks like React/Redux and server-side technologies including Node.js, Express, and PostgreSQL.

The University of Texas at Austin | M.M. Jazz Composition | Austin, TX

August 2014 – May 2016

- Recipient of Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Graduate Arts Award

Kennesaw State University | B.A. in Saxophone Performance | Kennesaw, GA

August 2009 – May 2013

Software Development Portfolio

Simply Budget | simplybudget.co | github.com/Zac-Evans/simply-budget

Dec 2020

- Lead a three-person development team designing and building a budgeting app with minimal UI and straight-forward budget tracking. The user experience allows for the ability to create and edit budgets, easily track their purchases, and see their budget progress throughout each month.
- Responsible for the main dashboard interface, Redux implementation, and UI design.
- Capstone project built with React, Redux, Node.js, Express, Sequelize, and PostgreSQL

Fakeazon | fakeazon.com | <https://github.com/Zac-Evans/fakeazon>

October 2020

- Member of a 4-person development team building an e-commerce site that allows users to sell and buy a fine selection of cured Spanish ham
- Primary responsibility included developing the backend API, designing the main product page and populating it, and developing the checkout system.
- Built using React, Node.js, Express, Sequelize, and PostgreSQL

Date Decider | datedecider.app | <https://github.com/Zac-Evans/Date-Night>

August 2020

- Member of a 3-person development team building a website to help couples decide on plans for their date night.
- Responsibilities included developing the primary “date-deciding” application as an SPA and editing the site for a responsive UI.
- Built with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and jQuery.

Professional Work Experience

Georgia State University, Perimeter College | Instructor | Atlanta, GA

May 2016 – Present

- Instructor lecturing on saxophone performance, clarinet performance, jazz history, and jazz combos.
- Designed and implemented curriculum utilizing

Georgia Symphony Orchestra | Education and Outreach Coordinator | Marietta, GA

May 2016 – May 2018

- Coordinator for the daily operations for a 300+ member youth orchestra with seven unique ensembles.
- Redesigned and maintained the website for the youth orchestra utilizing Wordpress.
- Managed a five-person team of collegiate interns to assist in managing weekly rehearsals and concerts.
- Responsible for organizing rehearsals and concerts, communications via Constant Contact and Mailchimp, social media marketing, and coordinating and promoting intensive yearly auditions.

Freelance Musician | Atlanta, GA, Austin, TX,

March 2010 – Present

- Performed with a wide variety of ensembles including City Springs Theater, Macon Pops, the Georgia Symphony Orchestra, the Joe Gransden Big Band, Sam Burchfield, Monkier, and many more.
- Produced, composed, and recorded multiple albums for large jazz-oriented ensembles. Coordinated the promotion, overall organization, and release of each recording.
- Maintained an active private teaching studio of 30+ students teaching saxophone, flute, clarinet, piano, and guitar