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Junior web developer with a focus on the MERN stack. Experienced with building the frontend and backend of websites from the ground up. Looking to work for a company that will provide opportunities for me to develop and refine my skills in all aspects of web development.

Skills
Frontend: HTML, CSS, Javascript, Typescript, React, Styled Components, Bootstrap
Backend: NodeJS, Express.js, MongoDB
Other: Team Management, Git, Github, Agile Software Development

Education, Experience & Projects
The Complete Web Development Bootcamp 2021 May – 2021 October
React, Styled Components, MongoDB, Express, Axios, CSS, Responsive Design
- Built 4 projects from scratch, each building on the knowledge from the previous.
- Through helping other students with their problems, I was within the top 1% of members in the bootcamp's online community (in terms of activity).

HAIRR @ BRRIDGE, 2021 November – Current | Live Site Github
React, Typescript, Styled Components, MongoDB, Express, Zustand, CSS, Responsive Design
- An open-source project helping individuals find recommended hair salons in their area
- In frontend, responsible for the business details, reviews, and review submission pages.
- In backend, responsible for schema models, and business and review APIs.
- Participated in leading SCRUM meetings and delegating work using JIRA as part of the Agile software development methodology.

Wiki Team Lead @ University of Lethbridge iGEM, 2020 February – 2020 November
HTML, JavaScript, Bootstrap, CSS, Responsive Design
- Team responsible for design and production of the website detailing the and research of my university's genetic research club for the year.
- Led weekly team meetings discussing overall design and delegated development responsibilities to team members.
- Presented my team's work to the larger iGEM team and to judges during competitions.

Convo Messaging Application | Live Site Github
React, MongoDB, Express, Web Sockets, CSS, Styled Components, Responsive Design
- Convo is a web-based messaging application, where users can converse with one another using only an internet connection.
- Designed and implemented UI, UX, and architecture of the application using MERN stack.

Mighty Draw | Live Site Github
React, Typescript, Styled Components, MongoDB, Express, Axios, CSS, Responsive Design
- Mighty draw is a drawing application with a focus on a minimal yet intuitive user interface.
- Built in one week for the 2021 November Mintbean hackathon.
- Awarded the Mintbean star, earned by approximately the top 10% of projects.