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User-focused Junior Full-Stack Developer with a background in education and lifelong dedication to learning. Known for communication and collaboration skills, as well as the ability to solve complex problems and critical thinking skills. Passionate about combining creativity and problem solving skills to develop user-friendly websites and applications. Looking forward to leveraging background in education — patience, communication and critical thinking skills — to solve complex problems as a Junior Full-Stack Developer.

Technical Skills: HTML, Git, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript, jQuery, React, Redux, Node.js, MySQL, Express, APIs and AJAX

APPLICATIONS BUILT

Want To Get Away?

- Helps users learn more about potential travel destinations
- Responsible primarily for creating modals with Bootstrap to display hotel information to users and for creating an opening page with dropdown menu.
- Users can view images and read comments, descriptions and hotel information on each destination.
- Technologies used to make this app are HTML5, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript, JQuery, Firebase, Google Places API and OpenWeatherMap API.
- https://acl447.github.io/Project1-Team-Targaryen/
- https://github.com/acl447/Project1-Team-Targaryen

Train Scheduler

- Helps users waiting for a train calculate when the next train will arrive and how many minutes away it is
- Technologies used to make this app are Firebase, HTML5, CSS, Moment.js, Bootstrap, JQuery and JavaScript.
- https://acl447.github.io/train-schedule/
- https://github.com/acl447/train-schedule

GIPHY App

- Helps users import and view gifs on different sports
- Technologies used to make this app are the GIPHY API, HTML5, JavaScript, JQuery, CSS and Bootstrap.
- https://acl447.github.io/gifTastic-app/gifTastic.html
- https://github.com/acl447/gifTastic-app

EDUCATION

University of Arizona, Gilbert, AZ

Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp

A 24-week long boot camp dedicated to designing and building websites and applications

New York University, New York, NY

Received Masters Degree in Music Education

Hampshire College, Amherst, MA

Received Bachelor of Arts

EXPERIENCE

IMAGINE PREP COOLIDGE, Coolidge, AZ, July 2017- May 2018

Music Teacher, 2017-2018

Used patience, communication and critical thinking skills to teach music to students in grades 6 - 12. Conducted a string orchestra, concert band, and guitar ensemble. Communicated with coworkers, school principal and business manager to organize student musical instrument rentals and to prepare for several student performances.

Selected Contributions:

- Wowed audiences and judges with successful student winter and spring concerts
- Accompanied on piano choir students taught by co-worker Nephi Bunker in choir concerts
- Prepared string trio to perform background music at school's spring art show
- Accompanied on piano choir students and conducted students on handbells in school's annual madrigal dinner musicals