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I write code.
I do design.

I architect Jamstack software.

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● February 2011

EMBARKED ON FREELANCE JOURNEY

After working with computer hardware throughout high school, I built a server in my parents' garage and began developing websites for any clients I could find. This blossomed into a long-lasting freelancing career where I learned about UI/UX, Frontend and Backend engineering, server management, and a LOT about WordPress. Working with new clients on various projects taught me the importance of communication and revealed my talent for teaching myself new things. During this period, I started a niche business and successfully navigated several startup phases. I still manage that business and support it with custom software to this day.

● October 2020

SOFTWARE ENGINEER @ SPARK BUSINESS WORKS

Amidst narrowly escaping entrapment in China during the COVID-19 pandemic, the birth of my first child, and the uncertainty caused by COVID for my business, I began searching for "stable" employment - I found SPARK. At SPARK, I gained experience leading teams and making higher-level architecture decisions for larger web applications. This opportunity allowed me to develop strong communication and leadership skills.

● December 2022

SOLUTIONS ARCHITECT CONSULTANT @ ALLIANCE PT PARTNERS

As a culmination of all of my skills, I began consulting with Alliance Physical Therapy Partners (APTP) to assist them in two main areas. Firstly, to develop a system for their marketing team to centrally manage content and analytics for 23 of their brand websites. Secondly, to design a solution to their disjointed knowledge base and information flow from their Central Services Team to their various remote locations. Through this experience, I sharpened my creative and engineering skills and demonstrated my ability to plan the architecture for solutions to complex business logic on my own.

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