Alex Zdatny

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Full stack web developer with a passion for content creation and building applications, experienced in HTML/CSS, Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, and React. I discovered web development while studying journalism and creating multi-media packages for feature stories. After becoming immersed in coding as an intern for an analytics startup, I decided to quickly expand my skill set through The Flatiron School. I'm excited to to code, collaborate, and learn while helping tech companies evolve.

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

The Itinerary Hub - GitHub | Youtube Demo
An organized itinerary builder for occasional and frequent travelers
+ Developed a Sinatra API for users to create multiple itineraries
+ Implemented MVC framework to structure the user interface
+ Utilized Active Record for validations and storing user information

Renecades Gameroom - GitHub | Youtube Demo
Create and Play Games, Earn Rewards, Climb the Leaderboard
+ Constructed a Rails API for players to build exclusive gaming profiles
+ Illustrated user interface employing CSS for styling
+ Utilized Active Record to manipulate data and perform database operations
+ Engineered OAuth feature to provide access for Facebook logins
+ Incorporated Javascript Features for customization and efficiency

Reel 2 Real - GitHub
Search and Build a List of your Favorite Films
+ Integrated a Rails API with React-Redux FrontEnd through TheMovieDB
+ Created class and functional components to handle user interaction
+ Implemented Actions and Reducers to control user and film functions
+ Designed user interface combining React and CSS styling

TECHNICAL SKILLS

HTML, CSS, Ruby, Rails, SQL, JavaScript, React, Redux, JQuery, Atom, WordPress, Final Cut Pro, Adobe Photoshop

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Bed, Bath, & Beyond, Watchung, NJ
Sales and Replenishment Associate, *August 2017 - July 2018*
+ Managed in-store and online sales and provided friendly customer service
+ Specialized in all areas of the store and covered shifts for several co-workers
+ Replenished and organized merchandise displays with incoming shipment and top stock items

Amy's Hallmark, Livingston, NJ
Sales Associate, *September 2016 - June 2017*
+ Exceeded sales quotas during peak holiday season
+ Provided friendly customer service and handled sales transactions
+ Replenished shelves and card displays for various occasions

KYA, Brooklyn, NY
Content Developer, *March 2016 - June 2017*
+ Published 20+ articles focused on tech trends and consumer applications
+ Curated tech industry data and researched graphics relative for content creators
+ Managed company brand across all social media channels
+ Promoted tech convention appearances through blog posts

EDUCATION

Flatiron School - New York, NY - *2019*
+ Certificate, Full Stack Web Development

Rider University - Lawrenceville, NJ - *2016*
+ Bachelor's Degree: Journalism - *GPA: 3.5, Cum Laude*