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SUMMARY

Full Stack Web Developer and stroke survivor with a background in accounting. Adept at breaking down fine details, organization, and implementing a simple but effective step-by-step problem solving approach. Unrivaled work ethic with an unending passion for engaging new challenges.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Front End: React, JavaScript, jQuery, HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, Tailwind CSS, AngularJS

Server Side: Node, Express, OAuth, REST

Databases: MySQL, MongoDB, NoSQL, GraphQL

Tools: VS Code, Robo 3T, Insomnia, Git, Bash

PROJECTS

Marketocracy - <https://marketplace-project3.herokuapp.com/>

- A marketplace application uniting individual buyers and sellers of goods
- My responsibilities: designation of responsibilities to group members based on strengths and management of backend/queries
- Utilized React framework and GraphQL

Movie Mania - <https://moviemania000.herokuapp.com/>

- An application which allows its users to find movies to watch based off their search criteria
- My responsibilities: setting up the framework and file structure of the project and management of backend functionality
- Utilized Handlebars and MongoDB

My Recipe Planner - <https://philipbrowning.github.io/project1/>

- An entirely front end application which presented users with meal suggestions derived from their input
- My responsibilities: management of fetch requests and movement of data from the API to the UI
- Utilized vanilla HTML and JavaScript

EXPERIENCE

Accountant

Gerald O. Dry, PA

2017

Concord, NC

Utilized critical thinking, attention to detail, and application of the IRC to break down small business records, reconcile bookkeeping data to comply with GAAP, and ultimately prepare the tax returns of both small corporations and individuals

Key Accomplishments:

- Prepared seven years' worth of extensive and arduous of tax returns/bookkeeping records after a client had failed to report in that amount of time. This task was considered too difficult for an accountant with such limited experience.

- Trusted to lead tax appointments with clients after shadowing only three meetings beforehand. First year accountants standardly sit in with their trainer for two weeks before their first solo appointment.

EDUCATION

Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp: The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC

A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, Node Js, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, Handelbars.js & ReactJS.

Bachelor of Accountancy: Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

Licensed Real Estate Broker: North Carolina