# Austin Buhler

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### Full Stack Software Developer

Software engineer experienced in JavaScript, React and Ruby on Rails with a background in corporate finance. Analytical, strategically minded leader with a demonstrated ability of driving business objectives into results. Efficient and resourceful problem solver with an innate curiosity and an entrepreneurial spirit who thrives in a fast-paced team environment.

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### TECHNICAL SKILLS

JavaScript | React | Redux | Ruby | Rails | Power BI | DAX | SQL | EDI | XML | Dynamics NAV | Quickbooks | Hyperion | TM1

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### PROJECTS

ProjectSocial - FrontEnd | BackEnd | Website
A social app connecting New Yorkers by enabling them to host and attend events at public parks in their local neighborhood. This is a Single-Page Application built with React/Redux, PostgreSQL and a RESTful Rails API.
- Utilized React Hooks and Redux for state management as well as React Router for Client-Side Routing
- Normalized store shape to ensure a single-source of truth and increased application performance
- Integrated parks' data from NYC's Open Data Portal with Google Maps API to plot all public parks and their activities
- Leveraged WebSockets to ensure a real-time event news feed for seamless user communication and coordination
- Utilized JSON Web Tokens and localStorage to store encrypted user information client-side

Candle Crush - FrontEnd | BackEnd
An e-commerce site for high-end candles, built with a Rails API & React front-end. A Single-Page Application leveraging React Router for Client-Side Routing.
- Developed RESTful routes with endpoints to process product returns and manage real-time inventory levels
- Enabled users to leave ratings and reviews for individual products to increase customer engagement and visibility
- Implemented role-based user experiences for both vendors and consumers with JWT and BCrypt authentication

Stonks.js - FrontEnd | BackEnd
A financial markets (ie: stocks and company news) tracking application, built with a Rails API and Vanilla JS front-end.
- Served up real-time stock quotes and news articles with IEX Cloud's API for user's favorite companies
- Aggregated historical pricing information with Chart.js to provide a clean and simple interface for trend analysis
- Designed an autocomplete search feature to lookup publicly trading companies by name or ticker symbol

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### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Siggi's Dairy**                                                                                                                New York, NY
Senior Manager, FP&A                                                                                              Apr 2020 – Aug 2020
- Prepared and led monthly financial presentations delivering actionable insights and driving strategic decisions alongside key internal and external stakeholders
- Developed and actively managed rolling forecast, identifying key risks and opportunities to budget financials

Manager, FP&A                                                                                                          Apr 2019 – Mar 2020
- Spearheaded $200MM+ annual budget and operating plan, facilitating cross-functional collaboration
- Served as ERP Systems Manager, ensuring data integrity, improving reports/processes and actively managing 50+ EDI trading partners
- Collaborated with intercompany partners and external consultants to ensure all system functional requirements were met as part of freight consolidation project leading to $5MM+ in savings

Senior Financial Analyst                                                                                            Jan 2018 – Mar 2019
- Drove and executed financial reporting integration efforts into Hyperion and TM1 following international acquisition
- Designed and implemented a fully automated Daily Sales Dashboard, increasing efficiency and enabling real-time analysis of business trends and KPIs

Financial Analyst                                                                                                      Aug 2016 – Dec 2017
- Managed monthly COGS analysis, inventory reconciliation & valuation with our 3PL provider and quarterly co-manufacturer audits that led to $150K+ in rebates
- Supported transition from Quickbooks to Microsoft NAV serving as the order-to-cash subject matter expert

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### EDUCATION

**Flatiron School**                                                                                                            New York, NY
Software Engineering Immersive; Javascript, React, Ruby on Rails                                              Dec 2020

**Southern Methodist University, Cox School of Business**                                                    Dallas, TX
Bachelor of Business Administration, Finance                                                                          May 2016