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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **California State University, Stanislaus**

Turlock, CA

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science** 

December 2020

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Bay Valley Tech Modesto, CA

Full Stack Software Engineer Intern & Info Session Volunteer (Hybrid)

March 2023 - Ongoing

- Accomplished dynamic and responsive user interface as measured by improved user engagement and interaction, resulting in a 30% increase in user interactions.
- Engineered an engaging front-end using JavaScript, HTML, and SCSS, enhancing the overall user experience.
- Integrated the Finnhub API for real-time stock data to provide users with up-to-date investment insights, leading to a 50% reduction in data latency.
- Actively led informational sessions, guiding over 100 applicants in weekly Google Meet sessions, improving applicant understanding and engagement.

## OtterSoft & Bay Valley Tech

Modesto, CA

Software Engineer Intern (Hybrid)

March 2022 - August 2022

- Accomplished efficient data management for medical response applications as measured by a 40% reduction in data retrieval time, resulting in quicker response times for paramedics and EMTs.
- Developed user-friendly applications using JavaScript, C#/.NET, CSS/HTML, SQLite, and React, enhancing usability and functionality.
- Collaborated closely with the product team to align wireframes with project goals, resulting in a seamless integration of design and functionality.

#### **Bay Valley Tech Code Academy**

Modesto, CA

Code Academy Bootcamp Student (Remote)

February 2021 - July 2021

- Accomplished proficiency in web development languages and protocols, including HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Node.js, leading to successful application development.
- Developed applications using Visual Studio Code and Bootstrap, demonstrating practical skills in application creation and design.
- Showcased JavaScript and TypeScript proficiency, contributing to the development of dynamic and interactive user interfaces.

### **SOFTWARE PROJECTS**

# "HobinRood" - Stock Brokerage Application

Tech: HTML, SCSS, JavaScript, MySQL

"RobinHood" Inspired Full-Stack Stock App

- Developed a dynamic full-stack stock app using JavaScript, HTML, and SCSS.
- Designed intuitive wireframes and interfaces with Figma.
- Engineered secure back-end with 100% data integrity, connected to PlanetScale database.
- Integrated Finnhub API for 50% faster real-time stock updates.
- Implemented account management, stock transactions, and interactive data visualization.
- Deployed on Vercel, demonstrating GitHub Desktop for version control.

## **SmartChart Clinician Medical Response App**

**Tech**: React/Remix, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, C#, .NET, SQLite

Remix Full Stack Project

- Collaborated on user-centric wireframes for better engagement.
- Built intuitive React front-end (Remix) for streamlined login.
- Engineered robust SQLite database, optimizing retrieval by 40%.
- Ensure 100% compliance with stringent NEMSIS standards.
- Incorporated feedback for continuous optimization.

#### **Twitch Inspired Live Streaming Database**

**Tech**: MySQL, PHP, E-R, SQL, Web Design, Security Measures

User-Centric Database and Interactive Web Interface

- Designed a robust normalized SQL database.
- Created detailed E-R diagrams for intricate relationships.
- Optimized database efficiency through query refinement and indexing.
- Developed user-friendly PHP interfaces for registration and data visualization.
- Validated outcomes on testing server, integrated 25% faster PHP functionalities.
- Implemented security measures against SQL injection vulnerabilities.

#### **Company Employee Database**

**Tech**: Java, MongoDB, Google Cloud, RESTful API, FileZilla, Apache Tomcat

Java-based RESTful API Integration with Google Cloud Hosted and MongoDB Database

- Designed and integrated MongoDB database in Java app.
- Developed RESTful API for standardized data interaction.
- Deployed on Google Cloud for remote access.
- Efficient data extraction using Redis and Java.
- Enabled seamless JSON data synchronization.
- Utilized Apache Tomcat servlet for secure web access.

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

**Software Development:** Full Software Development Life Cycle, Debugging, Maintenance, Testing, Agile Methodologies, Front-End & Back-End Development.

Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, Java, SQL (MySQL, NoSQL).

**Frameworks and Developer Tools:** Angular, React, Git, GitHub, Git Desktop, Google Cloud Platform, MongoDB, Redis, Linux/Unix, Eclipse IDE, Visual Studio, Visual Studio Code.