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Portfolio:

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Technical Skills:

- Javascript
- Node.js
- Express
- AngularJS
- ReactJS
- Angular Material
- jQuery
- Passport
- HTML 5/CSS 3
- Bootstrap
- SQL/PostgreSQL
- MongoDB
- APIs
- Heroku
- Git
- Python
- Swift
- Adobe Photoshop

Education

Prime Digital Academy

October 2017

Full-Stack Software
Engineering Certification

Japanese Language

Proficiency Test

November 2006

Class 2 Certified.

University of St. Thomas

May 2006

Masters of Arts in Education

St. Olaf College

May 2003

Bachelor of Arts in
Chemistry, Minor: Molecular
Biology

Recent Projects

Project: No More Pain

May 2018

- Finding effective treatment for an injury can be very difficult. This app lets users share what worked for them.
- Objectives: I built this app to learn state management with Redux.
- Technologies used: MongoDB, Express, React.js, Redux, Axios, Node.js, Spectre.css.
- Link: nomorepain.herokuapp.com

Project: MERN Passport Stack Tutorial

February 2018

- When I was learning React, I couldn't find a satisfactory tutorial on adding a server with authentication to a React app, so I made one.
- Objectives: To help myself and other developers understand each part of the MERN stack involved in authentication.
- Link: github.com/b-bly/simple-mern-passport

Project: Simon game clone

December 2017

- Simon was a handheld memory game in the 1980s. It flashes colors in increasingly long sequences and the user tries to repeat it back.
- Users play the game in the browser.
- Technology used: ReactJS.
- Link: <https://b-bly.github.io/simon/>

Experience

Osmosis

June 2018-Present

Frontend Development intern

- Discussed web design ideas with coworkers.
- Created features for the osmosis.org site, using Knockout.js, Fusion, Mysql and Bootstrap.
- I worked remotely, communicating with coworkers daily to keep each other updated on our progress.

Prime Digital Academy

June 2017-October 2017

Full Stack Software Development Student

Individual Project: Pirate Storytime, a web application that allows you to store and search for story ideas to tell young children.

- Making up stories for children on the spot is both enjoyable and challenging. This app allows you to store story ideas for later and share them with other users.
- Users can add ideas in five categories of story elements. They can choose to make these public or keep them private. They can also search through the public cards and add them to their favorites.
- Technology used: MongoDB, Express, AngularJS, Node.js, Javascript, SweetAlert2, Passport, Angular Material and Filestack.
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Group Project: Belwin Outdoor Science

- The teachers currently distribute data sheets for students to fill out during their research. This makes it difficult to process the class data for the day. They do not save student research because it would be too much work to enter the data from the 10,000 students that visit each year.
- We built a mobile web app that allows students to enter their data on a mobile device and save it. Teachers can generate reports that allow them to examine class data.
- Technology used: MongoDB, Express, AngularJS, Node.js, Javascript, Angular Material, Passport, Google OAuth.
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Minnetonka High School

September 2014-August 2015

Chemistry Teacher

- Managed students in small instructional groups during laboratory activities with an emphasis on understanding one another's perspective.
- Assessed student work with apps such as Schoology, Explain Everything, Socrative, Notability and Kahoot.

Dubai International Academy, Dubai, UAE

January 2014-June 2014

Chemistry Teacher

- Managed classes of thirty or less students with diverse backgrounds, establishing an environment of appreciating one another's culture.
- Supervised independent student research and placed third in the MEF International Research Competition in the chemistry category.

Tamagawa Academy, Tokyo, Japan

September 2011-August 2013

Science Teacher

- Collaborated with coworkers to create inquiry-based curriculum.
- Guided independent student research.
- Incorporated data logging devices in laboratory assessments and taught students to analyze data with spreadsheets.

American International School

April 2009-August 2011

Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Chemistry Teacher

- Taught grades 10-12 Chemistry courses.
- Collaborated with coworkers to write curriculum.
- Developed common assessments with other teachers in my department.
- Designed classrooms and chemical storage for classrooms at the school's new location.

Gakubun Jr. High School

August 2008-March 2009

Kobe, Japan

Assistant English Teacher

- Collaborated with Japanese English teachers to create communication and fluency-focussed lessons.