BRANDON BATTEN

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SUMMARY

I am a front-end web developer with expertise in the insurance industry. My portfolio includes HTML, CSS, JavaScript and responsive web applications.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

LANGUAGES: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript

FRAMEWORKS/LIBRARIES: Bootstrap, ¡Query, Knockout.js, Jasmine

OTHER: Git, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Chrome Dev Tools, Atom IDE

PROJECTS

FEED READER TESTING - https://github.com/ba-batten/frontend-nanodegree-feedreader

SEPTEMBER 2017

Developed 4 test suites and 7 tests for RSS feed reader using Jasmine JavaScript testing Framework

NEIGHBORHOOD MAP - https://github.com/ba-batten/NeighborhoodMap

AUGUST 2017

- Single page responsive web application built with Knockout.js framework
- Displays information for selected points of interest on a map retrieved via AJAX request from Foursquare API

ARCADE CLONE - https://github.com/ba-batten/ClassicArcadeGameClone

JULY 2017

- Programmed logic for HTML5 Canvas powered game using a provided game engine and graphical assets
- Demonstrated proficiency with Object Oriented JavaScript principals

WEBSITE OPTIMIZATION - https://github.com/ba-batten/frontend-nanodegree-mobile-portfolio

JUNE 2017

- Optimized critical rendering path of existing site to achieve a PageSpeed score greater than 90
- Corrected inefficiencies in site's scroll animation to allow the site to scroll at 60 frames per second

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

STATE EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION (SECU), RALEIGH, NC

OCT 2014 - PRESENT

INSURANCE SPECIALIST

- Top producer in department with 15-20 policies sold each month
- Processes more than 500 policy servicing calls monthly in the form of policy change requests, billing inquiries, and document requests

NORTH CAROLINA FARM BUREAU, CHAPEL HILL, NC

MAY 2014 - OCT 2014

INSURANCE AGENT

UDACITY

- Managed \$550,000 book of business by reviewing clients' insurance portfolios, and developing customized insurance plans covering life, homeowner, automobile, liability, and commercial risk exposures
- Won 2014 Sportsman Award for outstanding sales performance

STATE EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION (SECU), GOLDSBORO, NC / CHAPEL HILL, NC SENIOR FINANCIAL SERVICES OFFICER

JUNE 2008 – MAY 2014

- SENIOR I INANCIAL SERVICES OFFICER
- Analyzed loan applicants' finances, credit, and collateral to determine eligibility for mortgages and personal loans

• Reviewed clients' investment goals and risk tolerance to make appropriate mutual fund recommendations

EDUCATION

FRONT-END WEB DEVELOPER NANODEGREE

2017

WAKE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

2015 - 2016

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING COURSES

Java | Advanced Java | Operating Systems | Database Concepts | Intro to Programming with Python

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA WILMINGTON

2008

B.A. COMMUNICATION STUDIES, DESKTOP PUBLISHING CONCENTRATION