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Full stack web developer leveraging background in accounting and automated spreadsheet design to produce efficient, elegant mobile-first applications. Earned a certificate in Full Stack Web Development from the George Washington University Coding Boot Camp. Mission-focused problem-solver who is passionate about developing apps, the Linux ecosystem and FOSS.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript ES6+, CSS3, HTML5, SQL, NoSQL

Applications: GitHub, MongoDB, MySQL, Insomnia, Postman, Robo3T

Tools: Linux, Git, Express, React, Node, Handlebars, jQuery, Bootstrap

PROJECTS

Sprinter | https://github.com/balokdecoy/Sprinter-React | https://vibrant-pasteur-087033.netlify.app/

- Summary: Project management and tracking app for administrators
- Role: Back-end development, NoSQL database construction
- Tools: MERN, JavaScript, Tailwind, Moment.js, Axios, Bootstrap

Weather App | https://github.com/balokdecoy/weather-app | https://balokdecoy.github.io/weather-app/

- Summary: Weather app that provides current and future weather forecasts in cities.
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, RESTful APIs, Bootstrap, Font Awesome

README Generator | https://github.com/balokdecoy/readme-generator

- Summary: CLI program accepting user inputs to create customized, Github-ready README.md files
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: JavaScript, jQuery, Node.js, Inquirer

EXPERIENCE

Junior Accountant 2016-Present

The Financial Edge – Catonsville, MD

- Built automated spreadsheets using logical formulas to generate timely, informative reports for business and tax clients
- Managed everyday books and payroll for multiple small and medium-sized companies
- Prepared tax returns and tax forecasts

Oaklea Security Services, LLC 2015-2016

- Built Oaklea Security Services website.
- Assisted with payroll and invoicing procedures.
- Edited and revised corporate documents for clarity and precision.

EDUCATION

George Washington University - College of Professional Development

Full-Stack Coding Bootcamp | 2020 - 2021

- Computer Science applied to JavaScript
- Databases (SQL, NoSQL)
- Server Side Development (MERN Stack, Progressive Web Applications)
- Browser-Based Technologies (React, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, HTML5, CSS)
- Deployment/Command-Line Fundamentals (Git, Heroku, Github Pages, Netlify)
- API Interaction (API, JSON, AJAX)
- Quality Assurance (Unit Testing, Linting, Continuous Integration)

University of Maryland, College Park

Graduated Class of 2011 | Cum Laude

- B.A. English Language and Literature, focus in American Literature
- Jimenez-Porter Writers' House