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SUMMARY

Software Developer

Enthusiastic full-stack developer seeking a full-time position in software development. Strong analytical skills and mathematics background. Collaborative team player and problem-solver who creates detail-oriented and efficient code. Hard working and eager to contribute to the company's success.

SKILLS

Proficient in C#.NET, MySQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Ajax, React, Redux, Node.js, Express and Visual Studio Code.

PROJECTS

My portfolio with GitHub links can be found at my website: <https://benjaminkalish.github.io/>

Birdwatching Web App

- Built a React app which gets user location from geolocation, local storage, or user prompt. It then retrieves data from several APIs via AJAX (eBird, Google Maps, National Weather Service, Wikipedia, and GeoNames) which is used to display information about current weather and sightings of bird species in a ten-mile radius along with an image of the bird species. The user's location and location of the sighting are displayed on an adjacent map.

Blog Site

- Built a mock blog site using React which utilizes React Router with a loader. Posts and comments are populated from an API via AJAX. Posts of an individual user can be selected, and comments shown or hidden.

EDUCATION

The School of Evolving Technology, Lakewood, NJ
Software, Web, and Application Development Course

October 2021–April 2023

- Completed an intensive and comprehensive program focused on developing critical, real-world web and application programming and design skills.
- Developed practical applications in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, React, and AJAX.

Touro College: Lander College for Men, Queens, NY

- Bachelor of Science in **Mathematics**
- G.P.A.: **3.86**

June 2014

- **Dean's List**; *summa cum laude*, Recipient of Touro's Academic Scholarship

Yeshivat Kerem B'Yavneh, Israel

August 2002–June 2004

- Advanced studies in Talmudic theory and jurisprudence

WORK EXPERIENCE

Camp Counselor

Summer 2003–2004

NCSY Camp Sports, Baltimore, MD

- Responsible for safety and wellbeing of high school teenagers 24/7.
- Directed junior counselors in the performance of their duties.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Volunteer Advisor

September 2005–June 2007

National Conference of Synagogue Youth, Long Island, NY

- Prepared for and participated in educational discussions with high school-aged students on the topics of history, faith and ethics.