

# Birna Dam

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Adaptable, bold, and creative Full Stack Software Engineer whose passion for technology paved the way to earning a coding certification at UC Berkeley. Experience in communication driving results and collaboration in diverse environments. Passion for using code to develop innovative solutions and bring concepts to life.

## EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley  
California State University, Fullerton

Certification in Full Stack Web Development  
Bachelor of Arts in Communication

Summer 2019  
Spring 2017

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Javascript, jQuery, Node, MySQL, MongoDB, React, Django, Python, Express.js, Git, Bootstrap, Heroku, RESTful APIs, Redux, AJAX, HTML5, CSS3

## PROJECTS

### True Hermit Essentials | Javascript, MERN stack, Braintree, DigitalOcean

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- \* Created an E-commerce site with authentication which allowed for both admin and user controls
- \* Distinguished controllers and models for functionality with back end and data stored in MongoDB
- \* Impacted site's responsiveness by using CSS, Bootstrap & React to create meaningful components
- \* Introduced a working payment process using Braintree, which was designed by Payal, to accept payments

### VIDI | Javascript, MERN stack, APIs, Redux

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- \* Developed a chat with user authentication and real-time bi-directional communication for film enthusiasts
- \* Implemented Mongoose to create, read, update, and delete users, channels, messages, films, and more
- \* Integrated modules such as Passport and Socket.IO to achieve a user database which can interact together
- \* Designed an explorer where users can discover films mainly through the use of OMDb API

### GunDam. | Javascript, HTML5, CSS3, D3.js

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- \* Served static files through Express and made sure all files and folders were properly linked and routed
- \* Integrated a high volume of data regarding incidents of gun violence from Kaggle.com using MongoDB
- \* Monitored team progress via active communication and ensured tasks were completed to meet deadlines
- \* Used the technologies above plus Node and Leaflet to dynamically depict the prevalence of gun violence in the United States with data visualization via map layering

### Wanderlust | Javascript, HTML5, CSS3, APIs

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- \* Computed an optimal destination based on user inputs using for loops and conditional statements
- \* Leveraged Ticketmaster API and Yelp API using AJAX calls to create travel recommendations for the user
- \* Presented interactive map through the use of Google Maps API and its Places library
- \* Scraped Tripadvisor website for details on our generated location and populated our page with the results

## EXPERIENCE

### Apple

Sales Specialist

Costa Mesa, CA  
July 2017 – June 2018

- \* Effectively kept up to date with new tech providing a dependable resource to my customers and peers
- \* Ranked highly in Net Promoter Score (NPS) due to satisfied customers based on experience