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   Certification in Full Stack Web Development   Summer 2019
California State University, Fullerton   Bachelor of Arts in Communication   Spring 2017

TECHNICAL SKILLS

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

PROJECTS

VIDI | Javascript, MERN stack, React, Redux   Github
* 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
* Modeled UI to be sleek and simple for the user to navigate between dashboard, explorer, profile, and search
* Designed an explorer where users can discover films mainly through the use of OMDb API

GunDam. | Javascript, HTML53, CSS3, D3.js   Github
* 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   Live | Github
* 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

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EXPERIENCE

Apple   Costa Mesa, CA
Sales Specialist   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

Associates in Counseling & Mediation   Santa Ana, CA
Visitation Monitor Specialist   May 2016 – January 2017
* Efficiently identified clientele with legal visitation arrangements for non-custodial parents to see their child(ren)
* Authoritatively monitored and documented the interaction during visitations to be used by a judge