# Cameron Bisca | Front End Developer

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An expressive frontend developer with a background in service and performing Arts. Employers would benefit from my creativity, high standards and customer experience focus in conjunction with my hard technical skills in JavaScript, React and web design to contribute to the synergy and productivity of the work environment. I actively seek opportunities to best connect with clients and target audiences and look forward to collaborating with my future team.

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

JavaScript | React | HTML | CSS | Semantic | Ruby | Ruby on Rails

# **TECHNICAL PROJECTS**

### I Got Next - Frontend | Backend | Demo

Provides real time activity for basketball courts so users can find a court that fits their needs on a given day.

- Employed React components, hooks and state variables to optimize forms and button behavior.
- Built a custom backend Rails API and database with ActiveRecord, Postgres, and Ruby on Rails.
- Developed a map by querying Leaflets map API so users can find courts via a responsive map.
- Utilized JSON Web Tokens and localStorage to store encrypted user information client-side.
- Formatted and styled using CSS flexbox and Semantic.

### Discourse - Github | Netlify

Users who are at odds regarding polarizing topics can connect based on common interests with the hope that these connections will establish a common ground between "enemies" and lead to meaningful discourse.

- Utilized controlled forms, components and hooks with the React framework.
- Built an algorithm with Ruby on Rails that pairs users with similar interests in conjunction with differing beliefs.
- Implemented a chat via Chatstream's API offering expressive messaging and edit/delete capabilities.
- Styled using CSS Flexbox and Grid. Entirely vanilla CSS.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# **Full-Stack Software Developer**

Flatiron "Nurturing Differences" Hackathon

04/2021 New York, NY

- Collaborated with 4 developers to build "Discourse", a chatting app that connects users with social and political differences based on common interests to encourage meaningful discourse.
- Integrated Stream Chat API with token authentication for secure and expressive messaging between users.
- Recognized by StreamChat in "15 Stream Maker Account Projects We Love".

Bartender

10/2014 - 03/2020

The Finch, The Tasting Kitchen

Brooklyn, NY / Los Angeles, CA

- Increased liquor sales by 8% through crafting seasonal cocktails informed by locally farmed products, and upselling premium spirits.
- Collaborated with wine makers, brewers, distillers, and chefs to produce exclusive tasting events.
- Reduced spending by 4% by managing inventory and tracking sales/trends.
- Organized and led staff training sessions to elevate the team's knowledge regarding higher end spirits.
- Offered a salaried position with benefits thanks to recurring bar guests, an increase in overall volume and displaying leadership skills.

Element Music

Sound associate

New York, NY 06/2011 - 09/2014

- Slashed spending by 5% by negotiating sound equipment contracts with music rental vendors.
- Assembled technical teams and kept all events within budget.
- Crafted stage plots, built call sheets and organized equipment specifications for events.
- Coordinated on behalf of Element music with event producers and third party vendors such as florists, photographers/videographers, catering, lighting designers, and miscellaneous entertainers to reach a common goal.

#### **EDUCATION**

Flatiron School

New York, NY

Full Stack Web Development, Ruby on Rails and JavaScript/React program

11/2020 - 04/2021

Long Island University

Brookville, NY 05/ 2013

Performing Arts