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Experience

Systems Development Engineer *July 2017 - Present*
Amazon Web Services - Intelligence Initiative

Systems:
Working on a team that positions engineers to be government-account facing. Daily operations in handling sensitive data in a secure region while supporting a number of services.
Created automation to help improve region-build time by 75% .
Set up metric logging, testing and configuration updates to better improve action latency and operation tracking.
Continuously communicate with team and customer to create programmatic consistency between government and commercial regions.
Report and mitigate bugs during and throughout development process to deploy code in a safe, controlled and tested environment.

Development:
Daily participation in design, scoping and prioritization of both medium and large projects.
Communicate directly with UX designers, copy writers and senior engineers to produce a large-scale front-end redesign for a Tier 1 AWS service.
Regularly adopting service-specific languages, system tooling and best practices.

Team:
Engage with interviewing processes, intern training and mentoring.

Cloud Support Engineer *April 2017 - July 2018*
Amazon Web Services
Worked directly with individual and enterprise customers to remedy architectural challenges, scale projects for success and strategize architectural decisions at the beginning of system adoption.
Resolved 60 customer issues, reported and tracked 9 service issues over the course of 90 days

Freelance Graphic Designer *2013 - Present*
Self Employed

Specializing in typography, layout design and branding. Working with magazines and small businesses to create synchronized design standards from logo development to collateral design.

Education

Galvanize *2016*
Web Development Immersive
Industry immersive program covering HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Express, Node, Angular, PostgreSQL, web architecture, and Agile

Art Institute of Colorado *2013*
Bachelor of Arts - Graphic Design
Magna Cum Laude

Skills

React
Node
Angular, PostgreSQL
JavaScript
HTML5 / CSS
Linux
Networking
Bash
AWS
Ruby / Rails
API Integration
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Sketch
Continuous Deployment
TDD
Kanban
Agile
Customer Service

Community

Mentor *2017 - Present*
Built By Girls
Weekly sessions to help develop mentee's portfolio, and understanding of the industry. Providing support and advice as well as pair programming and strategizing sessions.

Denver Startup Week

AIGA Colorado

Interests

UX/UI
After Effects / Animations
Lino Printing
Data visualization
Marketing