Kevin Chan

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SKILLS Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, TypeScript, Node.js, Express, React.js, Redux, Mongo, PostgreSQL, SQL, Git, HTML, CSS, Jest, Playwright, AWS

EXPERIENCE

Live Site | Github

A LinkedIn cloned social media platform that allows users to create profiles, connect with other users, and share content, April, 2023 Skills: Rails, PostgreSQL, JavaScript, React, Redux, HTML, CSS, Clearbit API, AWS

- Integrated Clearbit API to auto-complete company names and logos, improving efficiency and reducing database overhead by 20%
- Streamlined data management by selectively exposing routes and transmitting only necessary information to the state.
- Improved search bar accuracy by implementing synchronous filtering, reducing backend calls and improving response time by 25%
- Optimized image uploads using AWS S3 for scalable cloud storage, reducing server load and improving application performance
- Implemented responsive design principles, ensuring seamless functionality across devices and screen sizes, enhancing accessibility and user retention

ARTifacts Live Site | Github

A MERN stack web application developed with 3 other engineers for users to explore artwork from throughout history, April, 2023 Skills: MongoDB, Express, ReactJs, Node.js, Leaflet Library, Cleveland Art API, CSS

- Designed and implemented a custom layout and animations, increasing user engagement by 30%
- Collaborated with backend engineers to manage data access, ensuring efficient integration of visualizations on the page
- Optimized page performance while maintaining a clean and user-friendly appearance
- Created a unique profile page where users can explore others' favorite artworks, fostering community engagement and exploration
- Followed agile methodology to ensure timely delivery of features and continuous improvement throughout the development cycle.

The Adventure of Gary the Snail

Live Site | Github

March, 2023

A JavaScript Game that is a 2D interactive puzzle game,

Skills: JavaScript, HTML, Canvas, CSS

- Built a unidirectional data flow architecture to prevent state mutation, ensuring reliable DOM rendering
- Reduced game lag by repainting only necessary tiles during level updates
- Developed a collision detection system for managing object interactions, improving game performance
- Implemented asynchronous functions and loading screen to ensure a seamless user experience by avoiding abrupt object transitions that may result in visual inconsistency.

Al Testing Engineer United States

ScaleAI, June 2023 - August 2023

- Created algorithm, system design, and JavaScript prompts based on scenarios from large language models
- Implemented RLHF (Human Feedback Loop in Reinforcement Learning) to assess and enhance the quality, readability, and comprehensiveness of code responses generated by a Large Language Model (LLM), resulting in improved model performance and accuracy
- Developed meticulously reasoned JavaScript code to illustrate how to effectively guide and elicit responses from the language model through prompts

Finance Associate Hong Kong, China

Gold East Trading Hong Kong Co., Ltd, Nov 2020 - Feb 2022

- Managed daily receivables and payables using SAP, ensuring accurate financial transaction tracking
- Streamlined financial operations, improving efficiency by 20% through process optimization and collaboration with cross-functional teams
- Prepared financial reports and presentations for management, maintaining a high level of accuracy and detail.

EDUCATION

App Academy - Immersive software development course with focus on full stack web development

Completed: Spring 2023

University at Buffalo - Bachelor's Degree in Economics

Completed: Summer 2018