

# Christopher Steffen

## Full Stack Software Engineer

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I am a self-motivated Software Engineer, passionate about solving puzzles and finding the most effective solution possible. I use my background in self-learning to remain flexible and make the most of new situations while remaining a dependable part of any team.

### SKILLS

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Javascript | React | Node.js | Express | MongoDB | Python | Django | PostgreSQL | Material-UI | Bootstrap | Git | GitHub | HTML | CSS | Agile Principles | Design Thinking | Effective Communication | Problem-Solving

### RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

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**Software Engineering Immersive Fellow | General Assembly** | Remote | August 2022 - November 2022

- Successfully completed 500+ hours of expert-led instruction in JavaScript, CSS, and Html with hands-on learning of Full Stack fundamentals and the industry's most in-demand technologies
- Participated in collaboration with colleagues in order to develop and execute class projects
- Maintained active communication with course instructors and teaching assistants in order to discuss constructive feedback and personal progress

### PROJECTS

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- [Fit \(GitHub\)](#): Built with JavaScript, React, CSS, Html, MongoDB, and the Edamam API. [Link](#)
  - Created a team MERN stack application to utilize the Edamam API with the goal of users being able to track their favorite meals and exercises
  - Managed main branch of the GitHub repository and reviewed all pull requests
- [Pokemon Team Tracker \(GitHub\)](#): Built with JavaScript, CSS, Html, MongoDB, and Google OAuth. [Link](#)
  - Individually built a MEN stack application with my own REST API
  - Utilized EJS templates
- [Classic Snake Game \(GitHub\)](#): Built with JavaScript, CSS, Html, and Bootstrap. [Link](#)
  - Dynamically created the game using vanilla JavaScript and the virtual DOM

### ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**731 Laborer | Hallen Construction** | Flushing | June 2019 - July 2022

- Actively communicated with customers in order to explain the project objectives in a cohesive and understandable fashion
- Achieved goals for project progress with careful management of crew activities and supplies
- Participated in collaboration with fellow laborers in order to execute projects in the most efficient manner
- Controlled pedestrian traffic in high-pressure situations to ensure safety for both workers and the public
- Accomplished individual tasks in a timely manner leading to increased production
- Furthered education on the topics of safety standards and best practices in order to advance knowledge of industry topics and increase job responsibility

**Contractors Apprentice | Baldauf Contracting | Merrick | June 2014-June 2019**

- Planned, designed, and executed aesthetic layout of domestic features
- Reviewed and modified projects with customer feedback until they met satisfactory levels
- Worked directly with the general contractor to learn and perform required skills

**EDUCATION**

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**General Assembly | Software Engineering Immersive | Remote**

**Coursera | Google Ux Design Certification | Remote**

**Coursera | Google IT Support Professional Certification | Remote**