Cindy Qu

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SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Full stack developer experienced in Ruby on Rails and React/JavaScript based programming with a background in financial accounting, working in fast-paced environments with tight deadlines and strong technical and research skills. Seeking to help create innovative solutions for diverse industry organizations.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Javascript, React.js, Ruby, Ruby on Rails, CSS, HTML

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Hangry - Github | Demo
Allows a user to input a price range and restaurant category and receive a random restaurant from Yelp fitting the criteria.
- Utilizes Yelp API to show restaurants and provide the option to bookmark the restaurants and geolocation to search based on the user's IP address location.
- Built Rails API backend with user login authentication and authorization
- Allows users to save restaurants to a bookmark and created a custom bookmark database with Ruby where the user can add/edit comments

Endless Eats - Github | Demo
Allows a user to search a recipe database API and save favorite recipes.
- Utilizes an API to show recipes and provide the option to favorite the recipes
- Allows users to search through the API database to find recipes matching keywords
- Uses a free API called Edamam for the backend and the frontend was created using React

Plantastic - Github
Allows a user to share photos of their plants and add/edit descriptions. Users can also view other plant posts and leave comments.
- Created custom Ruby backend APIs for full CRUD functionality to allow users to create, edit, delete posts.
- Implemented user interface by employing React, HTML, CSS
- Built signup and login features using cookies and Bcrypt to authenticate users

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Moss Adams   San Jose, CA
Tax Senior   1/2021 - 5/2022
- Prepared current and deferred income tax provisions for both private and publicly traded corporations to ensure their compliance with GAAP, ASC 740, and other accounting codifications and standards
- Prepared over 50 federal and state tax returns from tax workpapers using CCH Access and SurePrep.
- Communicated with clients on what information needs to be provided for tax return and provision preparation.

Ernst & Young   San Diego, CA
Tax Associate   7/2018 - 1/2021
- Audited income tax provisions of publicly traded corporations to ensure their compliance with GAAP, ASC 740, and other accounting codifications and standards
- Performed tax services for a large range of clientele, including high-net-worth individuals, S corporations, C corporations, partnerships and trusts
- Assisted managers in engagement management, such as preparing invoices, planning budget and staff resources, and drafting Master Service Agreements/Statement of Works

EDUCATION

Flatiron School   Online
Full Stack Web Development, Ruby on Rails and JavaScript program   8/2022 - 12/2022

University of San Diego   San Diego, CA
Bachelor of Accountancy   5/2018