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Fearless innovator with extensive experience building diverse teams and sustainable software. Specifically intrigued by complex problems and defined by consistent resilience to find creative and pragmatic solutions.

ONLINE PORTFOLIO
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SKILLS

React/Redux, Testing Automation, Git, Javascript, Node JS, Angular 4, CSS3, HTML5, Ruby on Rails, SQL; Business Development, Account Management, Leadership Development

WORK EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer | Product Management | Business Development

ALPHONSO INC., New York, NY March 2017 - Present

- Spearheaded establishment and coordination of testing automation infrastructure that resulted in 23% less bugs per deployment.
- Completed code reviews and managed remote developer teams to ensure DRY code.
- Trained new hires in both front end and back end infrastructure through pair programming to create a web application team who delivered 6 SAAS products over 9 months that increased revenue by 70%.
- Built data-driven models and workflow protocols to increase web application team efficiency using agile methodology.
- Established relationships with potential data partners and agencies in order to sustain business development pipeline
- Assisted in event coordinating, documentation of events and promotion of media

Community Organizer | Account Management

Brown University, Providence, RI June 2013 - May 2016

- Established community of university students and created a leadership development infrastructure to train them in mentoring skills, service values, and community vision.
- Initiated local development network for organization, increasing donor base by 70 new contacts each year.
- Manage existing donor accounts through marquis events, personal meetings (for key accounts), and social media campaign updates, lowering account dropoffs by 55%.

EDUCATION

Web Development

App Academy, New York, NY
October 2016 - January 2017

- 1000 hour intensive coding academy focused on CS fundamentals, JavaScript
- Programming academy with < 3% acceptance rate for software developers

B. A. in Linguistics

The College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA
August 2009 - June 2013

- Coordinated volunteer network of 100 students to tutor local elementary school

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Community Organizer for *Direct Action for Rights and Equality*
December 2015 - July 2016
Cause: Civil Rights and Social Action

Youth Mentor/ Family Advocate for *Hartford Park*
October 2014 - June 2016
Cause: Poverty Alleviation

INTERESTS

Dancing, Prison Reform, Biking, Queer Theory, Soccer

PROJECTS

Programmatic Planning React · Redux live
Media Planning tool for agencies to plan programmatic buying

- Security encrypted API implemented to interpret front end requests to database
- Modular react components meta programmed for easy reusability throughout product

Insights React · Redux · Highcharts live
Realtime Ad Insights for TV

- Optimizes data visualization filters with simple algorithm for cross-page usage
- Modeled clean infrastructure for how to structure front end applications, allowing company to iterate on products easily in the future

Testing Automation Jenkins · Selenium · Mocha · Jest · Enzyme
Automated system to test code

- Collects integration, unit and sanity testing together in order to wholistically address potential issues
- Implements Jest promise tests that handle asynchronous API call errors