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SKILLS

Ruby ◆ Rails ◆ RSpec ◆ JavaScript ◆ jQuery ◆ React ◆ Redux ◆ SQL ◆ HTML5 ◆ CSS3 ◆ Git

PROJECTS

Giles ◆ library-management app built with Rails and React/Redux

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- Implemented local data caching through custom Redux middleware in order to retain previous query results for seamless user experience
- Redux cycle renders reusable React components from AJAX query of Google's Books API
- Engineered rigorous front- and back-end user authentication including password hashing (using BCrypt), session management, and redirection
- Effectively handled backend errors and null responses from external API through Redux reducers and conditional rendering

Bubble Jam → Zuma-based match-three game built in JavaScript

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- Doubly-linked list allows for constant-time insertion and deletion of nodes
- Reduced collision-checking from n² to linear time complexity with doubly-linked list
- Recursively matched nodes to select for deletion
- Achieved 60 frames per second rendering with HTML5's Canvas API
- Employed principles of OOP to keep code modular and DRY

starDOM ◆ JavaScript library for intuitive DOM manipulation

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• Authored library to wrap DOM nodes in a JavaScript class for easy manipulation, traversal, and event handling; flexible AJAX interface allows for function chaining

EXPERIENCE Co-Founder & CFO • Forgotten Language Herbs (2015 - 2016)

• Formed LLC, implemented bookkeeping best practices, prepared partnership tax return, and managed marketing and sales logistics for a line of herbal teas

Director of Operations ◆ Salty Road (2012 - 2015)

• Modeled seasonal demand for capacity planning and designed and implemented scalable fulfillment processes, leading to 270% revenue increase

Senior Tutor ◆ Inspirica (2013 - 2017)

• Coached students to measurable improvement on tests ranging from middle school to graduate admissions by designing and implementing personalized curricula

EDUCATION

App Academy, New York, NY ◆ 2017

• 1000-hour full-stack web development intensive with < 3% acceptance rate and emphasis on TDD, OOP, pairing, and best practices. Achieved 98% across exams

St. John's College, Annapolis, MD • BA Liberal Arts 2009

 Relevant coursework: analytic geometry, calculus, chemistry, and physics including electromagnetism and optics