DANA ROCHA

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RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Allen Institute Seattle, WA

Software Engineer Intern – GitHub | PyPI

Sept 2022 – Present

- Built a website that contributes to open source science by sharing neuroscience data with the public
- Designed a front-end user interface of four React components that queries the Code Ocean REST API
- Contributed to an open source Python package that allows users to easily access the Code Ocean REST API
- Implemented unit tests, test automation, and continuous integration through GitHub Actions and Jest
- Established and updated project documentation to improve communication within a 6 member team
- Integrated with a team of five engineers and product manager by participating in Agile practices

Merck & Co. Boston, MA

Informatics Intern

Jan 2020 - Aug 2020

- Utilized SQL, Pipeline Pilot, and Pilot Script to query data from public and internal databases
- Trained machine learning models to identify and predict relationships between 500,000+ compounds and genes
- Created interactive Spotfire data visualization dashboards for 200,000+ compounds and genes
- Delivered compound sets to three drug discovery research programs in Chemical Biology for initial testing
- Presented data insights to 50+ chemists and data scientists within Chemical Biology and Informatics

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, SQL, R

Libraries & Frameworks React, Material UI, Google Firebase, Flask, Materialize, Bootstrap

Tools & Environments Visual Studio Code, Git/GitHub, UNIX/Linux, PyCharm, DBeaver, Oracle DBMS, RStudio

Databases Google Firestore, MongoDB, PostgreSQL

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Room Reservation System, Ada Capstone project – GitHub | Demo

Aug 2022

Web application to track room reservation information created with JavaScript, React, Google Firebase

- Constructed back-end logic, endpoints, user authentication using Firestore and Firebase
- Implemented algorithms to create and delete reservations, and prevent reservation double-booking
- Built a responsive user interface of three pages with Materialize and React Router
- Collaborated in a team of two to deliver web app

Inspiration Board, Ada Group project – GitHub | Demo

Jul 2022

Web application where users can leave inspirational "sticky notes" on digital boards using JavaScript, React, Python, Flask

- Teamed with three classmates to deliver an interactive web app to create, read, delete boards and cards
- Developed two React components to display notes for a selected board and allow users to like or delete a note
- Configured and deployed the front-end code base to Heroku

EDUCATION

Ada Developers Academy

Seattle, WA

Full Stack Web Development & Computer Science Fundamentals

Mar 2022 - Jan 2023

Northeastern University

Boston, MA

B.S. in Biochemistry, M.S in Bioinformatics

2018, 2020

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Northeastern University

Remote

Student Facilitator Volunteer Feb 2021 – Dec 2021

Led 40+ graduate students through weekly online workshops and discussions around leadership competencies

Facilitated bi-weekly virtual meetings with a team of four to plan workshops, activities, and presentations

Orig3n Inc. Boston, MA

Research Assistant Intern

Jul 2017 - Dec 2017

- Maintained and characterized stem cell cultures with fluorescence microscopy and flow cytometry
- Promoted products at four external events resulting in 50+ new clients