Damien Darko

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SKILLS   JavaScript, React, Redux, Express, Node, PostgreSQL, Python, Flask, Jinja2, Pug, Sequelize, HTML5, CSS3

PROJECTS

Unpopuhorroropinion | *(React, Redux, Javascript, Express)*   **live** | **github**
A catalog for horror film collectors
- Integrated TMDB API into the application's search feature to render a list of films based on user's input.
- Utilized Redux Hooks to dynamically render a list of collections allowing the user to select a collection to remove.
- Optimized PostgreSQL database tables, to heavily DRY up the backend allowing the user to make queries to the TMDB API to provide a faster user experience.

Cheonjae | *(React, Redux, JavaScript, Flask, Python, Jinja2)*   **live** | **github**
Genius clone for K-Pop.
- Designed a clean UI by simplifying navigation features to create a seamless user experience.
- Utilized Python on the backend to create communication routes with the frontend to render dynamic pages.
- Leveraged Flask-WTF's FlaskForm to generate session secure form fields to pass user data to the application.

Horrorflow | *(React, Redux, JavaScript, Express)*   **live** | **github**
Stackoverflow clone for asking questions about horror.
- Integrated Sequelize querying functionality on the backend allowing the user to upvote/downvote a response and immediately render responses in relevant order.
- Integrated user authentication using JWTwebtokens on the backend to verify a user is logged in and allowing user access to specific features using authentication routes on the frontend.

EXPERIENCE

Home Depot
Deliveries Associate   Mar 2018 - Apr 2020
- Managed orders via Home Depot's custom digital ordering system as rendered through personal handheld device, picking purchases lists, and fulfilled item requests.
- Operated all store and warehouse machinery in order to effectively fulfill order requests and subsequently increase team productivity and output.
- Trained new employees to succeed in daily routines and tasks allowing for an improved customer experience.

Sun Rise Technologies
Shipper   Nov 2014 - June 2015
- Prepared orders for shipment by printing paperwork and labels for UPS or Fedex to ship out in a timely manner.
- Processed orders through Exact Alliance, an invoice system, in order to keep inventory as accurate as possible.

Wal-Mart
Deli, Dairy, Cake Decorator   Sep 2011 - Aug 2014
- Provided customers with timely and quality service by taking and fulfilling orders in respective departments.
- Stocked floor accurately and efficiently by rotating dates and pulling merchandise forward as needed.

EDUCATION
AppAcademy - An intense 24 week Software Engineering program with <3% acceptance rate   **2020-2021**