DONNIE REESE

FULL STACK DEVELOPER

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SKILLS

- MERN Stack
- Node.js
- React
- MongoDB
- System Mgmt.
- Design / Brand Design
- Progressive Enhancement
- HTML5
- CSS / SCSS
- User Experience

ABOUT

I'm a tinkerer and a learner, driven by a passionate urge to learn more and better my skills so that I can give others the same tools. Coming from a life of self-education, I bring a huge toolbox of unorthodox ideas and processes. I'm a father and, until recently, a stay-at-home dad. I speak Swedish like a toddler.

PROJECTS

LEVELED | GITHUB.COM/LEVELD

Leveld is a social platform that connects advertisers and content producers to enable more honest and engaging partnerships. Advertisers get more engaging access to communities and know where their ads are going, while content creators have more say over the ads they run.

- Secure authentication and data flow with a multi-server auth scheme and Auth0 integration.
- Designed the visual framework top accompany the component-based React app.
- Tech used: Node.js, Express, MongoDB, React, Redux, Auth0

POINTLESS BUTTON PROJECT
github.com/donniereese/pointless-button-api

The Pointless Button Project is an API & service designed around letting users easily create actions and events from standard API endpoints. The nomenclature was planned around normal noun/verb pairs to make events as logical as their real-world analogs.

- Friendly API designed with noun/verb pairs used in normal physical action references.
- Secured through API Key/Secret pair generated from user authentication.
- Tech used: Node.js, Express, MongoDB

VARIOUS FREELANCE

When not currently working, I'm taking on various freelance projects that I'm approached about. These vary from small shops needing a website to startups looking to up their branding on user experience.

- Work independently, setting my own goals, pace, and deadlines to complete tasks by myself and with a remote team.
- Produce mockups, documentation and design sketches for the client to illustrate the path suggested.
- Work with various libraries (Reach, Angular), languages (Javascript, PHP, SQL) on the different preexisting code.

LS8-16
github.com/donniereese/LS8-16

LS8 was originally part of our Computer Architecture lessons in which we learned to emulate, with some flexibility, 8-bit system architecture and process binary and CPU instructions. I've since then spun it into a passion project with the goal to create an emulated, networked system with an emulated screen that can teach people to interact with older computers in a fun, flexible way.

- Written in JavaScript & emulates components of a computer with standard data structures & binary.
- Tech used: Node.js, Javascript

EXPERIENCE

LEAD UI/UX DESIGNER | PERFORMING ARTS PRODUCTS | MAY 2018 - CURRENT

- Responsible for brand creation, product roadmap planning, and product development leadership.
- Worked in teams as much as I worked individually to complete requests efficiently & learn from one another.
- Used the MEAN stack, applying other libraries and technologies when needed.
- Worked with TDD and how to apply it to existing code bases and build processes.

FULL STACK DEVELOPER | LAMBDA SCHOOL | SEP 2017 - MARCH 2018

- Completed workload routinely while adhering to code standards and implement new features or meet code tests before submitting pull requests.
- Worked in teams as much as I worked individually to complete requests efficiently & learn from one another.
- Used the MEAN stack, applying other libraries and technologies when needed.
- Studied computer science and how it applied to standard code flow and efficiency.
- Worked with TDD and how to apply it to existing code bases and build processes.

GOURMET DEPT. HEAD | COSTPLUS WORLD MARKET | SEP 2009 - MID 2014

- Managed influx of new stock and minimized loss of old stock with features and sales.
- Raised customer engagement and return with demos to push information and sales increases.
- Managed customer satisfaction with honest communication about products.