

# Desiree Pelletier

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## Technical Skills

**Languages:** Python, SQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS  
**Frameworks:** FastAPI, Flask, Django, React  
**Operating systems:** Linux, macOS, WSL, Windows

**Other:** AWS, REST APIs, Git, GitHub, microservices, bash scripting, network troubleshooting, relational databases, Docker, Kubernetes, CI/CD

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## Education & Certifications

**AWS Certified Solutions Architect - Associate** | October 2023

**Coding Dojo** OAKLAND, CA | Full Stack Developer Certification - Python & Web Fundamentals | Spring 2021

**University of Rhode Island** KINGSTON, RI | Bachelor of Science, Applied Mathematics | Spring 2016

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## Experience

### Pearson

Software Developer | June 2022 - May 2023

- Lead efforts in researching, implementing, and knowledge sharing of best practices for project structure and dependency management when utilizing the AWS Python CDK framework.
- Created an API Gateway to collect and parse JSON and XML response data from other internal APIs as part of a team effort to convert a monolithic Java application to a serverless Python application.
- Automated a severely manual process, saving internal users hours of manual file manipulation, by implementing an AWS serverless web app which generated zipped Excel files for download based upon user form input.

### TechnologyAdvice

Junior Software Engineer | October 2021 - June 2022

- Optimized a form data processing application by improving data parsing techniques, reducing total processing time as well as manual developer intervention time from hours to minutes.
- Increased observability by implementing various Slack alerts and scheduled notifications through monitoring database metrics and data processing jobs, reducing the need for repeated manual and complicated queries.
- Reduced processing time for a brittle legacy application by improving decoupling of services through the conversion of synchronous Flask endpoints to FastAPI asynchronous endpoints.
- Improved scalability for a CSV generating process by moving rapidly growing reference data from a local json file to a MySQL database table.

### Warren Rogers Associates, LLC.

Manager, Technical Support Services | August 2021 - October 2021

- Managed a small support team, responsible for internal data analytics assistance and technical support both internally and externally in order to facilitate 24/7 leak detection for over 3,000 petroleum retail sites.
- Oversaw remote device installation and upgrades to ensure deadlines were met with efficiency and all required documentation was collected.
- Initiated the addition of several Linux aliases to the in-house device build process for tedious commands used exceedingly often which greatly improved support team happiness.

Systems Engineer | May 2017-August 2021

- Provided on-call support for critical data streaming issues and leak detection alerts, mitigating several potentially catastrophic petroleum leaks and helping clients remain in regulatory compliance.
- Created a Python GUI to automatically generate configuration files using data pulled from AWS S3 as well as enable editing of existing configuration files.
- Utilized bash and Python scripting to automate repetitive tasks such as pushing software updates to thousands of remote Linux devices or manipulating hundreds of CSV and XLSX files at a time.

Data Analyst | June 2015-May 2017

- Performed statistical data analysis on hundreds of petroleum retail sites daily to monitor for leak detection and other revenue impacting site issues.
  - Generated compliance reports and communicated findings directly to clients in easy-to-understand terms.
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## Personal Projects

### Handy Helper

A web application to create and assign jobs amongst users. The objective was to practice developing and deploying a full stack web application using the Django framework, AWS EC2, and Nginx.

- [app.desireepelletier.com](http://app.desireepelletier.com)
- [github.com/dpelli/handy\\_help](https://github.com/dpelli/handy_help)

### Fibonacci Calculator

A web application to calculate the Fibonacci value for a given number. The objective was to practice developing and deploying a full stack React app using a multi-container Docker configuration, Travis CI, and AWS Elastic Beanstalk.

- [react-app.desireepelletier.com](http://react-app.desireepelletier.com)
- [github.com/dpelli/complex](https://github.com/dpelli/complex)