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Summary

Full Stack Web Developer with a background in Library and Information Science, defined by continuous learning and new skill acquisition. Known for attention to detail, innovative thinking and perseverance necessary to bring projects to fruition. Combination of responsible leadership and broad technical experience. Creative thinker with problem solving skills, and deep desire to see processes evolve.

Technical Skills

Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL | Tools: Node, React, Express, Bootstrap, jQuery, Drupal
Applications: GitHub, Mongo DB, Dreamweaver, Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Acrobat Pro

Projects

Google Books | https://github.com/drkittendorf/21_google_books
| <https://dales-google-books-app.herokuapp.com>

- Project to search and save selected titles from Google Books API
- Solo project, beyond project requirements additional functionality to save title(s) not found in Google to a separate list.
- React, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, MongoDB, Express, Node, Heroku

Workday Scheduler | <https://github.com/drkittendorf/05-work-day-scheduler>

| <https://drkittendorf.github.io/05-work-day-scheduler>

- Schedule that saves daily items to local storage, color delineation for future, current and past timeframes.
- Solo project, beyond project requirements, included dynamic generation of time slots based on times in an array, so it could be easily expanded to fit whatever extended timeframe is desired.
- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, moment.js, GitHub

Space Portal | <https://github.com/drkittendorf/totallyNotTheDarkSide>

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- Developed a source for news and images related to space travel. Updates image automatically on daily basis; Connects to 6 different Third Party APIs.
- Ideated original project concept, group project worked primarily on back end setting up APIs.
- HTML, CSS, Materialize, jQuery, AJAX, API calls, GitHub

Current Role

COGNIZANT

Java Developer

REMOTE

(2021 - Current)

Responsibilities: Assigned to a major healthcare client. Developed RPA (Robotic Process Automation) routines to check mainframe reports and email updates using Automation Anywhere. Monitored help desk tickets for Application Support. Assist Application Support team in React and Java Springboot applications.

Additional Experience

AUSTIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Austin, TX

Media Selector/ Sight & Sound Curator

(2014-2020)

Responsibilities: Lead Electric Lady Bird streaming music project. Selected Adult Media for 22 branch locations. Created and monitored Excel budget tracking spreadsheets for multi-million-dollar material budget. Monitored collections using Collection HQ. Trained staff in the use of Collection HQ. Assisted with setup of electronic vendor records, adding fund and hold codes in electronic ordering systems.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY LIBRARY

Port Huron, MI

Main Library Coordinator / Marketing Coordinator

(2011 - 2014)

Responsibilities: Supervised and hired for all departments of the Main Library. Coordinated system-wide policies and budgets as part of the administrative team. Maintained schedules and records for library personnel. Served on library technology committee, collaborated with County IT for website revamp. Assigned Main Library materials budgets. Responsible for implementation and development of Overdrive eBook collection. Lead implementation of electronic scheduling / payroll system. Developed marketing materials using Adobe Creative Suite. Lead library's initial moves into Social Media.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY LIBRARY

Port Huron, MI

Branch / Adult Services Coordinator

(2006 – 2010)

Responsibilities: Coordinated the operation of 10 branch libraries across St Clair County. Oversight of system-wide policies, and procedures. Maintained scheduling, payroll and hiring for 10 branches (approximately 60 employees). Monitored branch material budgets. Served on technology committee.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY LIBRARY

Port Huron, MI

Technical Services / Web Specialist

(2001- 2006)

Responsibilities: Designed, created, and maintained the library's website. Troubleshooter for website and database problems. Ran system backups on Unix server. Original and copy cataloging using MARC metadata protocols for centralized library system catalog. Made online databases available from the library's web page, acted as primary liaison with database vendors. Assisted with conversion from Dynix terminal ILS to Horizon GUI ILS. Worked regular shifts at reference information desk providing computer assistance, as well as general information services. Served on library technology committee. Customized Horizon electronic card catalog. Conducted authority file cleanup of database.

Education

University of Texas

Austin, TX

Full Stack Web Development Boot Camp

A 24-week intensive Certificate program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, Bootstrap, Node JS, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, & React.

Austin Community College

Austin, TX

Course: ITSE 1301 Web Design Tools

Wayne State University

Detroit, MI

Master of Library and Information Science

Wayne State University

Detroit, MI

Bachelor of Arts in History

Central Michigan University

Mt. Pleasant, MI

Coursework: Political Science & Business