# Dylan Aldrich

A well-traveled, multilingual software engineer with a background in web development, education and the music industry. As a creative problem solver, I am passionate about using technology to bring people together, and closer to achieving their dreams.

#### **RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

## **Encanto Squared** — Junior Software Developer

Los Angeles, CA | April 2021 - Present

- Develop a new and improved version of enterprise data visualization software that facilitates logistics and risk management operations
- Create helpful new features that support a more intuitive UX and improve customers' ability to design and implement their own no-code workflows
- Use best practices while developing in Angular, Node.JS, AWS

# **Self-Employed** — Freelance Web Developer

Los Angeles, CA | November 2020 - April 2021

- Produced a fully responsive, dynamic podcast landing site for a client using Python, Django, PostgreSQL and Materialize CSS
- Personally managed every stage of development from planning, UX/UI design and implementation, to testing and deployment

# **General Assembly** — Software Engineering Immersive

Los Angeles, CA | August 2020 - November 2020

- Gained experience using a wide range of frontend and backend programming languages, methodologies and technologies
- Applied a user-empathetic mindset to develop a portfolio of individual and collaborative in-class projects that offer thoughtfully designed, easy to use solutions to complex problems

# ${\bf Great\ Shake Out-\it Junior\ Web\ Developer/Translator}$

Los Angeles, CA | March 2012 - March 2016

- Maintained HTML content of 25+ different Great ShakeOut regional websites, annually visited by millions of people worldwide

#### **RECENT PROJECTS**

### A Garden of Terrible Blooms — Podcast Website

- A beautiful podcast landing site where users can stream or download episodes and learn about the podcast's creators, actors and contributors

# **Foodbook** — Recipe Collection Web App

- Deployed React SPA (MERN stack) that uses a third-party API to serve millions of recipes that a user can search, save and organize in many ways

#### **EDUCATION**

## University of Southern California — BA Spanish

Los Angeles, CA | August 2010 - December 2013

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#### **SKILLS**

JavaScript/TS HTML/CSS React Node.js Django Python Angular **PostgreSQL** MySQL **Express** MongoDB Heroku **AWS Bootstrap j**Query Mongoose Postman REST API

#### **LANGUAGES**

Fluent in Spanish Proficient in French

#### **ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### **Educarte School**

#### **Head of English Department**

Tamarindo, Costa Rica August 2019 - June 2020

Managed a team of 7 teachers, providing immersive English language arts education at a private international school

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#### Junior Talent Buyer

Los Angeles, CA December 2015 - June 2018

Researched and curated artist lineups for an independent music festival promoter, repeatedly selling out 30,000+ capacity events