EMILY RODRIGUEZ

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

SUMMARY

Software developer transitioning from a diverse background in media communications and public relations. Passionate developer of real world applications that create solutions with the user in mind.

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SKILLS

HTML/CSS		_
JavaScript		_
PHP		
jQuery		
Git		
MySQL		_
Laravel		_
Bootstrap		_
Java		
React		

PERSONAL SKILLS

Productivity	
Leadership	
Creativity	
Teamwork	
Project Management	

EDUCATION

Codeup 2016

Certificate of Completion

Completed 535+ hours of a 16-week intensive program with hands-on training in modern software technologies, Linux command-line coding, MySQL, PHP, Laravel, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery and Twitter Bootstrap. Learned programming concepts including relational databases, Object Oriented Programming, JSON, Model-View-Controller pattern and the Software Development Life Cycle.

Texas A&M University - San Antonio
Bachelor of Arts in Communications

2015

WORK EXPERIENCE

Frontend Developer (Contract)

2016

Shimberg Center for Housing Studies - University of Florida

- Worked remotely on a 3+ month contract to redesign and complete the Opportunity Housing Locator, a web application for those who receive Section 8 housing assistance to gather information for a study.
- Developed website wireframes for client to ensure quality and client satisfaction before project development phase.
- Designed user interface, tools and web pages with HTML, CSS, jQuery and JavaScript to meet employer guidelines and best practices.
- Documented existing JavaScript for ease of understanding and future reference for maintenance.
- Refactored and contributed new JavaScript code to work with a NodeJS backend and a PostgreSQL database.
- Implemented Twitter Bootstrap to achieve mobile responsiveness to ensure those without computer access could use the application.
- Regularly attended planning meetings with senior developers and other stakeholders to ensure a balance between gathering required information for the study being conducted while maintaining user friendliness.
- Tested frontend code in multiple browsers to ensure cross-browser compatibility.

San Antonio Express-News

2014 - 2015

Editorial Assistant

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PROJECTS

CollegeGo.co

HTML5 | Bootstrap | CSS3 | JavaScript | jQuery | PHP | MySQL | Laravel

- Worked with a partner to design a full-stack application for a company that assists Chinese students apply to American colleges by creating a portal where students and counselors can come together in one place to ease the application process
- Managed the creation and upkeep of a MySQL database with 10 tables to store user information such as essays, personal information, extracurricular activities and relationships between 5 types of users
- Used a combination of Laravel controllers, PHP and MySQL for CRUD operations to manipulate database information
- · Wrote MySQL queries to search schools by city, state and university name based on user input
- Overcame China's internet restrictions on Google and other APIs by creating a calendar and user generated tasks list from scratch using Laravel packages
- · Created streamlined user interface using custom CSS and Bootstrap for a simple and clean user experience
- Used Model-View-Controller pattern to separate methods and presentation of data for easier front and back end development

Sawit

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- Created a message board site similar to Reddit to learn the workings of the Laravel framework and its differences from vanilla PHP
- Used Laravel's authentication controllers to allow users to create an account, login, logout and post dependent on their status
- Created and managed a MySQL database with 3 tables that contain user information, post content and associated up-votes and down-votes
- Wrote MySQL queries to allow user to search for posts based on username
- Used a combination of Laravel controllers and models, PHP and MySQL for CRUD operations to manipulate database information

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HTML5 | Bootstrap | CSS3 | PHP | MySQL

- Led a group of three to take broken and incomplete code and turn it to a functioning Craigslist-like application
- Delegated and managed tasks using Trello to ensure major site functionalities were completed by deadline
- Spearheaded database design, creation and management to hold user information and item inventory in two related tables joined together by username
- Used Model-View-Controller pattern to separate methods and presentation of data for easier front and back end development
- Used PHP to set up user authentication functions such as creating a new account, logging in and logging out, which controlled what pages could be viewed
- Also used PHP to control functions such as image uploads and inventory display
- · Wrote MySQL gueries to allow users to search for items by name or by seller