# **ASHLEY TATE**

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Full-stack developer with a longtime editor's eye for detail and an academic's talent for critical thinking, creative problem solving, and bringing complex projects from idea to completion. Skilled in designing, developing, and successfully executing projects using a wide range of technologies. Eager to bring unique talents and professional background, coupled with strong technical skills, to a career in web development.

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

**Languages:** JavaScript; CSS; HTML; JSX; SQL; NoSQL **Applications:** GitHub; MongoDB; MySQL; GraphQL

Tools: React; Express; Apollo; Node; Handlebars; jQuery; Bootstrap

### **OTHER SKILLS**

Program management; editing (copyediting, line editing, proofreading); grant writing; copy writing; website management; research; teaching (higher education);

#### **PROJECTS**

**Reader Set Go** | https://github.com/endlessashley/reader-set-go-clean | https://pure-dawn-95351.herokuapp.com/

- **Summary:** Challenges users to read the 100 books in select genres, keeping track of their progress toward the goal.
- Role: All but concept and data entry of initial seeds
- Tools: React, HTML, JSX, CSS, JavaScript, API, Bootstrap, Mongoose, MongoDB, Apollo, GraphQL

**Fitness Tracker** | https://github.com/endlessashley/fitness-tracker-2 | https://aqueous-anchorage-97607.herokuapp.com/?id=61c7350bfba81e00165728b3

- Summary: Allows users to quickly and easily log their workouts and track their exercise goals, including relevant details for both cardio and weight training. Exercise progress is displayed on the dashboard with handy charts and graphs.
- Role: All back-end
- Tools: Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, Mongoose

**Weather Dashboard** | https://github.com/endlessashley/Weather-Dash | https://endlessashley.github.io/Weather-Dash/

- Summary: A weather app supplying a 5-day forecast for searched cities, storing search history and allowing re-search with a click of a button
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, third-party API, Bootstrap

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Managing Editor: Journal of Scriptural Reasoning and Journal of Textual Reasoning, Charlottesville, VA (2013-2021)

Oversaw the digital publication of more than a dozen issues of two peer-reviewed academic journals

# **Key Accomplishments:**

- Ensured a polished, high-quality product content and copyediting each essay with precision, accuracy, and adherence to established style guides
- Managed all aspects of the website, including formatting articles for both web and text publication
- Streamlined the digital publication process by implementing the transition to a new web platform, digitally integrating more than a decade's worth of archived issues

# Special Projects Coordinator: Religion, Race & Democracy Lab, Charlottesville, VA (2018-2021)

Organized, planned, and secured funding for research and educational initiatives in the University of Virginia's Department of Religious Studies

# **Key Accomplishments:**

- Researched, developed, and coordinated the application process for grant proposals totaling more than \$500,000
- Produced detailed, exploratory research for three seasons of the Lab's podcast Sacred & Profane
- Coordinated multiple public-facing events such as workshops, lectures, and seminars

# Adjunct Professor: University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA (2017-2021)

Designed and implemented dynamic college courses, which have enrolled more than 400 students

#### **Key Accomplishments:**

- Communicated learning goals and expectations clearly and effectively, and outlined plans for their achievement
- Provided detailed and constructive feedback to ensure the best learning outcome for each student
- Created collaborative, engaging learning environments to inculcate strong critical thinking and analytical skills

#### **EDUCATION**

Certificate, Full Stack Web Development – University of Richmond, Richmond, VA PhD, Religious Studies – University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA MA, Religious Studies – University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA BA, English, Religious Studies – Kenyon College, Gambier, OH