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PROFILE

I'm a software engineer with engineer management experience, passionate about building collaborative, multidisciplinary teams, and delivering the best user experiences.

EXPERIENCE

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Jopwell - New York, NY
July 2019 – October 2022

- Participated in concept development iteration, partnered on projects from ideation and design through implementation
- Collaborated with product managers, visual and UX designers, and sales & marketing and expanded on ideas for tactics and processes, with a meaningful and active contribution in reviews and retros
- Owned hands-on technical development, from prototypes coming out of ideation through to final release
- Contributed to and wrote technical plans for new features
- Presented ideas or prototypes to mixed technical audiences
- Identified limitations and challenges of designs and codebase to create the best customer experiences without delays
- Managed remote engineers on different projects and ensured they had tickets and clarity on their direction for current and for upcoming sprints

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Freelance - New York, NY
June 2017 – July 2019

- Worked with distributed teams in Berlin and New York
- Independently managed client engagements & project timelines including coordinating with client stakeholders and strategists
- Continued all client work for active Dressler clients
- Projects included: Private Collection CRUD app to catalog pieces and generate reports, legacy support for scripts scraping data from Google Sheets, research group website and proposal collection form, CJSX depercolation, Optimizely A/B testing, Gusto helpdesk transfer from Zendesk to WordPress, SpringBank site maintenance, drmoomjy.com

WEB DEVELOPER

Dressler - New York, NY
September 2014 – June 2017

- Developed and maintained 27 client sites and web applications
- Projects included: Magento CE sites, custom WordPress themes/plugins, Kiosk Web App, large-scale A/B and multivariate user experiments to optimize front-end designs and increase revenue

WEB DEVELOPER

Complex Media - New York, NY
January 2014 – September 2014

- Projects included: production ready enterprise site for marketing recap database with multi-level user login, skinless video comment widget, branded content generator, 3D World Cup soccer ball

EDUCATION

CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
Interactive Media Technology

CONNECTICUT COLLEGE
BA - Environmental Studies
SCHOOL FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAINING
Quito, Ecuador

SKILLS

JAVASCRIPT • REACTJS • REDUX • TYPESCRIPT • HTML5 • CSS3
LESS/SASS • PHP • PYTHON • MYSQL • APACHE • NGINX
AGILE/SCRUM • NODEJS • ADOBE CREATIVE SUITE • SKETCH