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PROFILE

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

EXPERIENCE

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Jopwell - New York, NY

July 2019 – October 2022

- Participated in concept development iteration, partnering on projects from ideation and design through implementation
- Took creative direction and expanded on concept ideas for tactics, with a solid and active contribution in creative reviews
- Owned hands-on technical development, from prototypes coming out of ideation through to final launch
- Contributes to discussions about the digital aspects of marketing campaigns
- Presented ideas or prototypes to mixed client marketing / technical audiences.
- Identified limitations and challenges of designs and codebase to create customer experiences.
- Managed contractor team Lithuania
- Created and assigned tickets for other engineers

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Freelance - New York, NY

March 2018 – July 2019

- Worked with distributed teams in Berlin and New York
- 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

JUNIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Warby Parker - New York, NY

December 2017 – March 2018

- Built and improved the software systems for fast-growing, disruptive e-commerce company
- Projects included: CJSX depercolation, Optimizely A/B testing: variable frame quiz questions and weighting, persistent filters from quiz answers, quiz match tooltips
- Worked cross-functionally with Design, Product, and Consumer Insights teams to deliver delightful user experiences
- Participated in design and code reviews to help maintain high standards of both user experience and code quality

WEB DEVELOPER

Freelance - New York, NY

June 2017 – December 2017

- Continued all client work for active Dressler clients
- Managed all project communication, planning, and development
- Projects included: 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
- Led all aspects of development: ideation, development, documentation, QA, server setup, deployment
- Managed client relationships and junior web developers while working closely with developers, project managers, and designers
- Adhered to project schedules and effectively reported progress to meet deadlines while working remotely

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

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