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**Objective:**

Self-motivated and creative Web Developer looking to utilize passion for coding, fascination with logic, and history of service to transition from design to development in the tech industry.

**Education:**

* **Eleven Fifty Academy, Web Development Immersive Learning Program, Indianapolis, IN, May 2021**
  + 12-week immersive learning program for Web Development taught with industry-guided curriculum, real-world project-based learning, and 500+ hours of logged coding time and training
* **Delta State University, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Cleveland, MS, 2005**
* Photography and Design focus

**Competencies & Functional Skills:**

Creativity, design, customer service, Agile methodology, management, public speaking, group communication, quick thinking, problem solving, cool under pressure

**Technical Skills:**

**Languages:**  JavaScript, Node.JS, React, C, Python, Heroku & Firebase deployment

**CI/CD:** Agile, Scrum, Git, Trello

**Databases:** PostGres SQL Server

**Web Technologies:** HTML, CSS, APIs, stateless components, session validation, responsive web design

**Software:** Adobe Photoshop, Figma, vsCode, Postman, Excel

**Technical Projects:**

* **Beast:Mode website beastmode-client.herokuapp.com**
  + Utilized React, HTML 5, CSS 3, Bootstrap 4, Node.js, Express, Sequelize, PostgresSQL, JSON Web Token to create a full-stack website with authentication and all CRUD functionality
* **Pokémon Party Builder pokemonpartyapi.web.app** 
  + Utilized PokéAPI, HTML 5, CSS 3, and JavaScript to create a Pokémon party builder with built in user error handling and optional randomization
* **The Owlery Restaurant website www.theowleryrestaurant.com**
  + Utilized HTML 5 and CSS 3 to build a new website on legacy tumblr setup, including integration with their online store and online ordering. Currently in use by business.

**Professional Experience:**

**Office Manager/Bookkeeper, The Owlery Restaurant, Bloomington, IN, March 2011 – Current**

* Manage all financial operations for a restaurant grossing $860k yearly with 30+ employees.
* Account for every incoming and outgoing dollar through Quickbooks accounting software and Excel.
* AR/AP with over 30 regular vendors.
* Advise business owners on financial planning, cash flow, payroll issues, and tax issues.
* Processing payroll and troubleshooting employee issues with Aatrix Payroll software.
* Prepare and file federal and state sales tax and payroll tax returns.

**Financial Coordinator, Boxcar Books, Bloomington, IN, Feb 2010 – December 2017**

* Manage all financial operations for 501©3 organization and its corresponding bookstore presence.
* AR/AP with 60+ book and textbook vendors.
* Complete and submit federal and state tax forms including non-profit specific returns.