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EXPERIENCE

Amazon: AWS Solution Architecture
SDE Intern | Seattle, WA | 2017 – Present

Wrote thorough, peer-reviewed design document for intern project. Independently drove changing frameworks from Knockout to AngularJS, to enable greater customization, and refactored all code accordingly to precisely mimic original functionality.

Ada Developers Academy
Student | Seattle, WA | 2016 – Present

Worked in an environment emphasizing CS fundamentals, industry best practices, collaboration, leadership, and diversity and inclusion training. Used HTML, CSS, Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, jQuery, and Backbone.js to complete both individual and pair/team projects on a weekly basis. Used Agile methodology to distill complex requirements into actionable, achievable commitments prior to and throughout each project. Used Flask, Python & React to independently write API and front end for small-scale animal shelters to track the needs of their residents during 3-week capstone. Engaged in tech community through regular attendance at events and conferences.

Founder and Owner
Flawless Execution Events | Pittsburgh, PA | 2012 – 2016

Established and cultivated sole-proprietor event planning business. Planned and executed numerous social events, including baby showers, birthday parties, bridal showers, and weddings. Specialized in month-of coordination for weddings, including working closely with clients to create a detailed timeline, as well as day-of responsibilities and management of all vendors. Experienced at trouble-shooting in the moment and making magic.

Veterinarian
Emergency Hospitals and Shelters | Pittsburgh, PA | 2007 – 2012

Effectively communicated diagnostic and treatment plans with owners during stressful situations. Maintained detailed documentation and records. Supervised veterinary technicians with varying degrees of experience.

EDUCATION

Ada Developers Academy
Certificate from Bellevue College

University of Minnesota
Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine and
Bachelors of Chemical Engineering

SKILLS

Ruby
Rails
JavaScript
jQuery
React
AngularJS
Backbone.js
Python
Flask
HTML
CSS3
Git/Github
TDD
RESTful APIs

AWARDS

Opportunity Scholar:
    RailsConf 2017
Full-ride scholarship recipient:
    CascadiaFest 2016