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ABOUT ME

As a bilingual Full Stack Web Developer, my purpose is to collaborate with a diverse community who seeks to pursue excellence, build strategic alliances, and enhance people's lives through the development of pioneering applications.

TECHNOLOGIES & CHARACTERISTICS

HTML5	AngularJS	Ruby	MVC Frameworks
CSS3	Express.js	Ruby on Rails	Heroku
JavaScript (ES6)	Node.js	PostgreSQL	Adobe Photoshop
jQuery	React	MongoDB	Algorithmic Reasoning
AJAX	Sinatra	Git & GitHub	Native Spanish Speaker

RELATED EXPERIENCE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY *Web Development Immersive Student - Washington, D.C.*   October – December 2016

An ambitious 12-week web development course where I prepared for a career in full stack web development. A series of individual and group projects demonstrate the ability of students to develop web applications with a one-week deadline.

- Tower of Hanoi: Used HTML, CSS, JavaScript & JQuery to create a fully functional web-based game
- Emoji Tracker 3000: Utilized the MVC framework design to implement a Ruby on Rails application with full CRUD functionality
- Diddy: Team-orientated M.E.A.N stack project developing a full-stack application
- Personal Blogs: Immigration Memoirs & Scribe Traveler – two personal projects built on Ruby on Rails

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ross & Moncure, *Administrator - Alexandria, VA*   December 2015 – June 2016

• Reviewed over 1,200 tax returns for any numerical inconsistencies and administrative errors
• Executed clear, effective, documents and memos daily for intra-office and external communication to ensure effective office management, which resulted in a record-breaking tax season in revenue.
• Consistently worked under pressure and tight deadlines in a fast-paced environment for which I received the max bonus incentive
• Managed company supplies under budget and administered organizational procedures for indexing client files that resulted in optimization of work flow

EL PAÍS US Bureau Office, *Executive Assistant - Washington D.C*   July 2014 – October 2015

• Applied my fluency in Spanish to act as a liaison between Spanish Journalist and US Governments, businesses, and institutions
• Constant correspondence with staff in Congress, the White House, State Department and international organizations
• Accurately executed office and travel expenses for five journalists with monthly expenditure ranging from 30k-50k dollars
• Delivered timely, accurate, and impacting work as part of a top-performing news source

Virginia Commonwealth University, *Student Ambassador - Richmond, VA*   September 2013 – May 2014

• Developed and executed creative initiatives to engage with students which resulted in increase of participation the following year
• Advocated on behalf of the Education Abroad Office to promote study abroad programs through various outreach programs
• Public speaking experience with presentations to upwards of 150 people where I promoted study abroad programs
• Advised the Education Abroad Department on how to improve the promotion of the international educational initiative

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EDUCATION

General Assembly   *Washington, D.C.*

- Full-time Web Development Immersive   Graduation December 2016

Virginia Commonwealth University, **School of Arts and Sciences**   *Richmond, VA*

- B.A. History with Minor in Economics GPA 3.4   Graduation May 2014

University of the West Indies   *Cave Hill, Barbados*

- Atlantic Slave Trade and Caribbean History and Culture GPA 3.0   Summer 2013