

## CAREER SUMMARY

With a diverse background encompassing Web Development, Education, Guitar Performance, and Hospitality, I offer a unique fusion of talents to software roles. Recognized for architecting creative solutions for customer-facing platforms, I excel in driving the software development lifecycle with precision. My adaptability and analytical prowess make me a valuable collaborator, adept at working across teams to achieve significant outcomes. I maintain a proactive learning mindset, consistently expanding my skill set and staying abreast of emerging tools and technologies to inform strategic business decisions and foster growth.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** HTML/CSS/SASS, JavaScript, Python, SQL, Java

**Frameworks/Libraries:** Node.js/Express.js, React/React Native/Redux, Bootstrap, jQuery, Flask

**Databases/Tools:** MongoDB, VS Code, IntelliJ, Android Studio, Command Line, VIM, Jenkins, Docker, Postman, GoDaddy, AWS (S3, EC2, CloudWatch, Lambda), WordPress, Squarespace, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Lightroom, Adobe XD, Figma, JIRA, Mailchimp, Splunk, VMware

**Operating Systems:** Linux, Mac, Windows

**Certifications:** CompTIA Security+ | AWS Certified Solutions Architect Associate | AWS Certified Developer Associate | CompTIA A+ | AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner | ISC2 Certified in Cybersecurity | Google Certified in Cybersecurity | Google UX Design Certificate

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Audacy | New York

#### Web Developer | June 2021 – May 2023

- ◆ Worked within the subsidiaries of both Cadence13 and Pineapple Street Media, contributing to various projects and initiatives under their respective umbrellas.
- ◆ C13features.com – Spearheaded the development of a high-visibility podcast movie concept website using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. Collaborated with designers on wireframe iterations, oversaw the entire process from concept to deployment, and maintained the static site manually via FTP and cPanel. Hosted and ensured uptime on GoDaddy.
- ◆ Managed, updated, and maintained the company's listener-facing homepage for podcasts. This involved building individual podcast single-page feature sites using Jinja templating, Flask, Bootstrap, Sass, and Python. Static content was managed via Amazon S3. The sites were deployed via Docker containers to Jenkins and hosted on AWS EC2 instances, with Nginx serving as the web server.
- ◆ Managed, updated, and maintained the company's WordPress website, which utilized a Themeco theme. Responsibilities included UI and UX redesigns, integrating press release information, publishing blog articles, and sharing company news. Notable podcast collaborations included shows featuring Steven A. Smith, Glennon Doyle, Demi Lovato, Ellen Pompeo, The Goop, and Kevin Durant.
- ◆ Pineapple.fm – Built and managed Pineapple Street Studios' website on Squarespace to facilitate easy updates by the team. Notable podcast collaborations included series created for prominent companies such as Nike, Hulu, Netflix, HBO, and The New York Times
- ◆ Updated and managed a React-Redux-based podcast player and CMS for editing podcast data, along with a third-party iframe embeddable player. Responsibilities included troubleshooting issues with third-party integrations, administering privileges to clients, debugging third-party website issues, and managing Amazon CloudWatch logs and SNS notifications.
- ◆ Managed and updated the dedicated influencer website for Ramble Media with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. Notable podcasts include Emma Chamberlain and the D'Emilio Sisters.
- ◆ Sofiafranklyn.com – Responsible for conducting CSS maintenance and implementing updates on the client's Shopify store.
- ◆ Managed and created pixel-perfect Mailchimp and custom email templates used in company marketing campaigns and monthly newsletters. These templates were based on Adobe wireframes provided by the graphic designers
- ◆ Wecandohardthingspodcast.com – Leveraged a Cornerstone Theme in a WordPress environment to update and maintain the site.
- ◆ Made edits to websites to ensure adherence to ADA and GDPR Compliance standards. Identified issues such as inaccessible content and data privacy concerns. Provided cybersecurity advice, including geofencing and addressing security flaws. Implemented Trust Cookies and performed various edits across all sites to address these issues
- ◆ I collaborated extensively with the graphic design team, focusing on tasks such as optimizing images for the web, ensuring color contrasts for ADA compliance, and conducting basic image and wireframe editing using Adobe Photoshop, Lightroom, and XD.

## **ThriveDx | Remote**

### **Associate Instructor | May 2022 – Present**

- ◆ Facilitate co-teaching programs as part of a software development bootcamp for American universities, including New York University, North Carolina State University, University at Buffalo, New Jersey Institute of Technology, Old Dominion University, and the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.
- ◆ Serve as a subject matter expert for website development tools and technologies as well as Agile methodologies/frameworks.
- ◆ Promote a professional learning culture grounded in adult learning theory and cutting-edge web development instruction.
- ◆ Offer instruction, guidance, and advisement to students throughout the Software Development Bootcamp, covering topics such as HTML and Web Accessibility, CSS and CSS Frameworks, User Experience and User Interface Design, JavaScript and Front-End Web Development, Back-End Development and APIs, React and Redux, SQL and Data Modeling, Cybersecurity, Python, and Cloud Computing. Additionally, oversee the completion of three separate capstone projects

## **NYU – School of Professional Studies | New York**

### **Associate Instructor | September 2022 – February 2023**

- ◆ Assist the Lead Instructor with managing classroom learning and the creation of teaching materials.
- ◆ Provide instruction, guidance, and advisement to students on HTML, CSS, Full-Stack, and Capstone Projects.
- ◆ Create and deliver student assessments, testing, and analysis of progress performance.

## **Jamal Rizki | Remote**

### **Web Developer (Freelance) | Jan 2021 – Present**

- ◆ Managed, updated, and created WordPress and Squarespace websites for local political campaigns in New York, USA, and Melbourne, Australia, addressing stakeholder needs and ensuring a seamless user experience.
- ◆ Developed an e-commerce store for an online fashion label headquartered in Madrid, Spain, utilizing React, Redux, and Node.js. Integrated PayPal API for seamless payment processing.
- ◆ Crafted a one-page website for a small smoke shop in Melbourne, Australia, employing HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and jQuery.
- ◆ Developed numerous websites for artists and musicians, utilizing React, JavaScript, Python, and platforms including Wix, Squarespace, and WordPress. Also proficient in audio editing using Logic Pro and video editing via Final Cut Pro.

For more projects, please visit [jrizki.com](http://jrizki.com)

## **PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

---

### **Musician (Guitarist) | Multiple Cruise Lines, International Hotels (Dubai & Abu Dhabi), & Private Clients | 15+ Years**

- ◆ Previous employers include Helen Clark (Former NZ Prime Minister), Holland America Line, Carnival Cruise Lines, BB Kings Blues Club, Seabourn Cruise Lines, Crystal Cruise Lines, Royal Caribbean, Princess Cruise Lines, Ramee Hotels, and various corporate and wedding events
- ◆ Demonstrated versatility and adaptability in entertaining diverse audiences across different venues and cultural settings.
- ◆ Taught privately and through educational institutions in New Zealand, Australia, the UK, and the United States of America.
- ◆ Extensive experience in recording and editing sound in both commercial and home studios.
- ◆ Collaborated seamlessly with band members, event organizers, sound engineers, and other professionals to deliver exceptional performances and ensure smooth execution of live shows and recording sessions, demonstrating strong teamwork and communication skills.

### **Hospitality Professional | Multiple Cafes, Bars, Pubs, Restaurants, and Nightclubs | 5+ Years**

- ◆ Leveraged expertise as a Bartender, Sommelier, Server and Barista in diverse settings ranging from small businesses to large multi-level establishments
- ◆ Exhibited exceptional multitasking abilities, prioritization, problem-solving, and a commitment to delivering a high level of customer service.
- ◆ Acquired extensive experience across Melbourne, London, and Sydney, contributing to the success of various venues.

## **EDUCATION**

---

**Postgraduate Certificate in Information Technology**, University of Auckland, NZ, Expected October 2024

**Full Stack Web + Mobile Development**, NuCamp Coding Bootcamp, USA, 2021

**Bachelor of Music in Jazz Performance (First Class Honors)**, Victoria University of Wellington, NZ, 2005-2010