

# James Kim

## Full Stack Developer

A Full Stack Web Developer with an innate ability for solving algorithms and writing **clean, modular and efficient** server-side and client-side code. Seeking a position as a Full Stack Developer where I can leverage my problem-solving capabilities to positively impact application design, development and efficiency

## Featured Applications

### Chat Application [Live](#) | [GitHub](#)

- A Full Stack Real Time SPA where authenticated users can broadcast global messages, chat in private conversations, and update their profile photo and account information.
- Built with React for its reusable components and flexibility of JSX. Incorporated React Router to navigate between UI pages without page refreshes.
- Utilized MongoDB, Express, and Node.js to design REST API Endpoints that stores and retrieves user accounts, messages, and conversations.
- Integrated Socket.io to create real time communication, and implemented persistent authentication by validating JWT's and storing it in local storage.
- Implemented message notifications via notistack, photo adding via multer, and designed API endpoints to CRUD unread message count and active status in the user-specific document and render it to the UI.

### Weather Now [Live](#) | [GitHub](#)

- Accessed multiple public API Endpoints, such as Mapbox and WeatherStack's API's via AJAX requests in Node.js to display real time weather data in React.
- Applied dynamic styling to JSX based on the time of the searched location, and enabled responsive web design by combining Media Queries and Flexbox.

## Work Experience

### Jayu Real Estate | Freelance Web Developer November 2019 – March 2020

- Designed and Developed the service landing page for Jayu Real Estate, a small land retail business.
- Improved customer satisfaction by creating an online business platform that utilizes simplicity and professionalism to enhance UX.

### Pacific Elite Collision Centers | Staff Accountant September 2016 – August 2017

- Maintained records of assets, liabilities, profit and loss, and other financial transactions
- Analyzed Monthly Financial Reports and assisted with the maintenance of the general ledger accounts
- Managed the AP for four collision centers
- Assisted the CFO with the Month End Close by analyzing gross profit and labor reports to ensure accurate financials

## Education

### University of Southern California | BA in Economics and Business Finance

- Additional Coursework: HarvardX CS50 Introduction to Computer Science

### freeCodeCamp | Full Stack Web Developer Certification

- Completed 1800 hours of coursework in full stack web development.

## Interests

### YouTube Content Creator | How to Solve Coding Challenges

- Upload Biweekly tutorial videos to YouTube on solving different types of coding challenges.
- Videos at: [youtube.com/channel/UCYFBD7Bk\\_rkwskc3cYtoJmQ](https://youtube.com/channel/UCYFBD7Bk_rkwskc3cYtoJmQ)

## Personal Info

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## Technical Skills

### Strong

JavaScript (ES5, ES6)

REST API's

Functional Programming

OOP

Node.js

Express

React.js

MongoDB

### Experienced

SQL

CSS3

HTML5

Data Visualization with D3.js

UI/UX Design

Information Security

### Tools

Git/GitHub

npm

Webpack

Babel

Chrome Dev Tools

Visual Studio Code

AWS

Sketch