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SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

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ABOUT

Growing up, I had always been fascinated with learning and trying to solve the most challenging puzzles that my mind could handle. After graduating high school, I went on to get a degree in Global Studies & Cultural Geography from university in order to understand the most critical issues impacting the world today. Soon, I discovered that the best way for me to make a difference was the field of technology and software development -- not only do I get to learn new things every day, I get to apply my knowledge directly towards solving practical problems.

EDUCATION

Nashville Software School Full Stack Software Developer

Middle Tennessee State University B.S. Global Studies & Cultural Geography Minor in Japanese Language Linguistics Club Treasurer

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Nashville Software School

Software Developer

- Learned in a full-time, 6 month intensive environment for full stack development
- Hands-on experience building CRUD applications with React, JavaScript, CSS & HTML

Nov. 2019 - May 2020

Dec. 2016 - Jul. 2019

- Used & created API's
- Utilized Agile methodologies such as SCRUM for team projects
- Used Git & GitHub for version control

Projects

CodeHub

- Front-end capstone built with React and JSON-Server
- Utilized Cloudinary for image uploads
- Social hub with a theme of users sharing coding achievements
- Full CRUD capabilities
- Users can view, add, edit, filter, and delete posts and comments
- Planned with Figma, styled with CSS & Material-UI

Nutshell

- Utilized React, HTML, CSS and JSON-Server
- Group project building a social media-like application
- Users had chatroom functionality
- Add and Remove friends
- Post and view articles and upcoming events based on friends list
- Make a task list

Holiday Road

- Utilized JavaScript, HTML, CSS and JSON-Server
- Created a travel itinerary builder application for a specific client persona
- Worked in a group environment for development while focusing on individual components
- Individually responsible for incorporating Open Weather API and Graphhopper API into application

WORK EXPERIENCE

DaVita Kidney Care

Patient Account Specialist

- Collected payments from insurance companies on outstanding patient balances while developing and maintaining positive relationships with representatives of companies
- Identified trends and performed root cause analysis on unpaid and underpaid claims
- Researched, appealed, and resolved claim rejections, underpayments, and denials
- Wrote, directed, produced, and starred in skits for company social events and educational videos for company's Green Team recycling initiative

WORK EXPERIENCE CONT.

MTSU Business & Economic Research Center Jan. 2016 - Jul. 2016

Research Associate

- Collected, analyzed, interpreted, and presented economic data concerning various Tennessee public and private institutions
- Composed literature reviews concerning employment trends and industry trends
- Researched and acquired data using public databases such as the Bureau of Economic Analysis, the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and Business Insights: Essentials

The GOAT

Jun. 2015 - May 2016

Barback / Server Assistant

- Served as a restaurant jack-of-all-trades in a fast-paced environment by assisting the bartenders, servers, and kitchen staff during peak hours
- Ensured customer satisfaction by managing requests, running orders, and restocking supplies
- Performed closing duties such as counting inventory and cleaning