JULIAN BROOKS

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SUMMARY

A self-motivated, entrepreneurial developer with strong problem-solving skills, a versatile background in Legal, Aviation and Banking industries and ten years of operational military experience. Proficient in the latest front-end (MERN Stack) development technologies.

Effective communicator in a collaborative, cross-functional team environment of diverse technical proficiencies.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: HTML, CSS (CSS3, LESS, SASS), JavaScript (ES6, jQuery, Express.js, Node.js), React, C#, MongoDB, NoSQL,

SQL, MySQL

Software/Tools: MongoDB Compass, MongoDB Atlas, Mongoose, Mongo Shell; MySQL Workbench; Postman; Git, GitHub;

Squarespace; Unity; Adobe Creative Suite: Photoshop, Illustrator, Dreamweaver, InDesign, Acrobat, Bridge, Adobe XD; Figma; Microsoft Office Suite (MO365): Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook; Visual Studio Code;

3D Modeling: Maya, ZBrush, Substance Painter

Proficiencies: Full Stack (MERN) Web Design/Development, Version Control, REST/RESTful API Design/Development,

Relational Database Design/Development, UI/UX Design, Graphic Design, 3D Modeling, Digital Illustration

Operating Systems: PC (Windows 10, 11), MacOS (X+, Linux)

FEATURED PROJECTS

XWORD PUZZLE xword-app-beta.netlify.app

React, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, MongoDB

A crossword puzzle application built on an original grid-based architecture for creating and playing trivia-based puzzle games.

POKÉSQUAD APP

pokesquad.netlify.app

React, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

A companion app that queries the RESTful *PokéAPI*, enabling users to build their custom Pokémon teams for use with popular Pokémon games by Nintendo.

STORY (TEXT FILE) READING APP

worldsofepoch.com/anthology/the-boy-who-dreamed

JavaScript, HTML, CSS

An original reading application developed for viewing dynamic story content and metadata on independent publishing websites.

WEB DEVELOPMENT AND GRAPHIC ARTIST EXPERIENCE

EPOCH STUDIOS | Smyrna, GA 03/2016—Present

Chief Editor

Designed and created company to express the creative ideas of myself and other artists and authors.

- Authored and published Arcan: The Missing Nexus novel
- Designed and developed company website (wireframe, layout, structure) for various platforms (desktop, mobile, tablet)
- Designed company brands and sub-brands, logos, wordmarks, icons, color palette, and other graphics
- Manage merchandise/product inventory
- Product development and marketing
- Order fulfillment; packaging and shipping
- Proofreading, editing (copyediting, line editing) prior to publication

EDUCATION

Per Scholas, Software Engineering Bootcamp, Technical Diploma

05/2022-09/2022

- Acquired hand-on experience with MERN full stack development, demonstrating high proficiencies in JavaScript, React, Node.js, and practical experience in database technologies including MongoDB and MySQL
- Bridged the gap in understanding of end-to-end development process and solidified abilities to deploy full stack applications in an agile team environment

Kennesaw State University, Computer Game Design & Development, BS (pursuing)

06/2022-12/2022

Transferred to school that provides more technical/development courses

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WORK EXPERIENCE

EPIQ | Atlanta, GA 10/2018—03/2021

Workflow Coordinator

Management of workflow and delegation of work requests in a high-volume, fast-paced environment

- Corresponded with clients to assess requirements and establish deadlines for work requests
- Managed queue of work request tickets, prioritizing and delegating tasks to operators

Document Specialist

Prepared and converted official documentation for legal firms/law offices.

- Converted various poor-quality/resolution documents (scans, sketches, etc.) into editable, dynamic documents utilizing various Microsoft Office tools and plugins
- Peer reviewed work request documents for quality assurance prior to delivery to the client
- Troubleshooted errors with "broken" documents, providing client with instructions remotely
- Maintained document organization and versioning via iManage document management system

LOCKHEED MARTIN | Hurlburt Field, FL

10/2016-03/2018

Word Processor III

Performed all tasks pertaining to maintenance computing and documentation in support of Air Force Isochronal inspections.

- Computed all aircraft discrepancy documentation for Air Force transient aircraft
- Created and scheduled tasks for aircraft maintenance and inspections
- Prepared 600-page transcripts of Isochronal inspection for Air Force transient aircraft

U.S. AIR FORCE RESERVE | Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA

08/2016-09/2020

U.S. AIR FORCE | Hurlburt Field, FL

08/2010-08/2016

Aerospace Maintenance Journeyman (Crew Chief)

Performed the duties of Crew Chief in support of the C-130 and MC-130H Special Operations cargo aircraft.

- Ensured aircraft fleet was fully mission capable (FMC) for real world and training missions
- Responsible for maintaining documentation of aircraft discrepancies
- Managed specialist personnel and ensured their participation in restoring aircraft to FMC status

CHASE BANK | Chicago, IL

05/2010-08/2010

Bank Teller

Rendered financial services and other banking needs to a variety of branch customers

- Provided excellent customer service while accurately and efficiently processing financial transactions
- Opened customer accounts and sold bank products and services
- Responsible for opening and closing lobby and cash operations including balancing of cash drawers and vault