

# J.D. Shaeffer

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Junior full stack developer proficient in JavaScript, specializing in React/Node applications.  
6'9" tall, strong work ethic, passionate outdoorsman.

## Experience

**The Luminosity Lab** - Full Stack Developer (Part Time) - *Aug 2018 to Present*

- Leading a MERN stack app with Next.js that lets users research camping gear easily.
- Scaled a Gatsby.js site for a project contributing to consumer robotics. <https://kipkit.io/>
- Contributed to a TDD React/Node/TypeScript app meant to help caretakers of disabled citizens. <https://rayocares.com/>

**NASA Psyche Mission** - Full Stack Developer (Senior Capstone) - *Aug 2019 to Present*

- Building out the frontend and some backend for a vanilla JavaScript/Node and MySQL app designed to help experts identify inclusions in meteorite images.

**Hughes Network Systems** - Full Stack Developer (Intern) - *May 2019 to Aug 2019*

- Enhanced a MEAN stack app backed by Python that helps several teams in the company test critical functions surrounding its bandwidth allocation and traffic software.

**Google** - GCP Student Ambassador - *Oct 2017 to May 2018*

- Led events teaching complexities of the Google Cloud Platform along with engineers at Google to help students and faculty launch personal applications (recruited via Vaco).

## Education

Bachelors in Computer Science - Arizona State University - *May 2020*

## Achievements

**Appalachian Trail** - Thru-Hiker - *May 2018 to Aug 2018*

- Hiked the entirety of the Appalachian Trail (2,190 miles) in 103 consecutive days, crossing 14 states on foot.

## Volunteer Work

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints - Service Representative - *Sep 2013 to Sep 2015*

- Taught 1000s of citizens and local leaders, giving service in 5 separate urban areas.
- Gained proficient skill in professional written and oral Spanish.