# **James Dugard**

## Full Stack Software Developer

#### Profile

Results-oriented Full Stack Software Developer with a proactive approach to problem-solving and a passion for continuous improvement. In my past experience working within start-ups, I have thrived in collaborative environments leading different initiatives and teams to drive success for the company. Equipped with a strong analytical mindset and a knack for quick learning, I excel in dynamic settings where adaptability is key.

#### **Skills**

Javascript | UiPath — RPA Automation | HTML & CSS | SQL | Python | Flask | React | Node.js |
Bootstrap | Jest | SQL Alchemy | Git | Git Hub | Rest APIs | Command line / Terminal | OOP |
Team Leadership | Performance Evaluation | Project Planning & Execution

#### **Projects**

#### Miami Music Works Website, Web Developer □

11/2024 - 02/2025

- Designed and developed a modern website for a local music store.
- Ensured mobile responsiveness and SEO optimization for better visibility.
- Integrated product listings and contact forms to enhance user engagement.

#### **Connection Warmer - Smart Contact Manager,** *App Developer* ☑

01/2025 - 01/2025

Developed a mobile app for tracking interactions and managing follow-ups with contacts.

- Built with React Native + Expo, AsyncStorage, Expo Notifications, Native UI Components
- Contact integration, interaction tracking, visual timeline, smart follow-up system
- Push notifications for reminders and follow-up status tracking

#### ScreenQuest - Gamified Screen Time Tracker, App Developer ☑

11/2024 – 12/2024

Designed an RPG-style digital wellness app to make screen time tracking engaging.

- Built with React + Vite, Tailwind CSS, Recharts, Lucide React, Shadon/ui, Local Storage
- Time tracking system, achievement unlocks, daily quests, progress visualization
- Custom goal setting and real-time tracking dashboard

#### **Investment Opportunity Cost Calculator,** *App Developer* □

09/2024 - 10/2024

Developed a financial tool to help users visualize the long-term investment potential of daily expenses.

- Built with React + Vite, Tailwind CSS, Recharts, Lucide React, Shadon/ui
- Interactive expense input system with real-time investment growth calculations
- Dynamic line chart visualization for compound interest projection
- Responsive design for desktop and mobile

#### Hoop Legend Sneakers, Team Lead ☑

07/2024 - 07/2024

Led the development of an e-commerce platform for purchasing NBA SuperStars' sneakers using JavaScript, React, Python, SQLAlchemy, Flask, JWT, third-party API, Jest, HTML5, CSS3, and Bootstrap. Within my responsibilities:

- Engineered a robust authentication system using JWT, for the log-in and orders page.
- Optimized backend with Flask and SQLAlchemy, resulting in an average response time of 147ms.
- Integrated third-party APIs for real-time inventory updates, handling 500 requests.

### **Professional Experience**

#### **Lending Spot LLC (StartUp)**

Disclosure & Lock Desk Manager / Closing Department Specialist

02/2024 - Present

- Optimized disclosure and closing processes, reducing turnaround time.
- Led a team of 3, achieving a 90% on-time disclosure rate and enhancing client satisfaction.
- Trained team members, resulting in an increase in procedural accuracy.
- Managed company pipeline, ensuring loan funding accuracy and timely closings.
- Conducted team evaluations, improving overall performance.

## Loan Officer / IT Support

01/2023 – Present | Miami

- Facilitated a seamless transition for the branch during the company's shift, collaborating with IT to set up all company computers, resulting in zero downtime.
- Utilized technologies such as Microsoft Office Suite, CRM software, and loan origination systems.
- Managed a pipeline of over 20+ monthly active applications carried the applications from start to end in a timely manner.
- Successfully calculated income for 500+ applicants, enhancing the pre-approval and application process.
- Analyzed and submitted 100% of applicant documentation to processors and underwriters, ensuring accuracy and efficiency.
- Maintained continuous communication with borrowers and relevant parties, improving customer satisfaction by 30%.

## **Education**

**Full Stack Software Developer Certificate,** 4Geeks Academy

02/2024 - 07/2024 | Miami

Bachelors of Arts - Sports and Fitness,

08/2015 – 05/2019 | Miami

Florida International University

## Languages

**English** — Native • **Spanish** — Native