# Joseph P. Pasaoa

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## **SKILLS**

## **Technical**

Javascript, React, Redux, Express.js, CSS3, HTML5, vanilla DOM manipulation, Node.js, PostgreSQL, Python, AJAX, and Angular. Experienced in data structures, algorithms, Git/GitHub version control, team flow control (Trello + Slack), code review, whiteboarding, pair programming, coding standards and practices, utilizing APIs, and tech culture.

## **PROJECTS**

# SuitApp

A full-stack social media app devoted to uniting the cultural world of cosplay and costume fashion.

- As UI/UX Lead, I was the primary designer and features manager
- Praised as one of the best overall and fully-formed apps created by our class after we demo-ed to the other Pursuit cohorts and faculty
- Asked to re-demo SuitApp once we learn and subsequently implement full user authentication

#### holDing

A full-stack social media network app that empowered users to create and thrive in their own micro networks.

- As Tech Lead, I was the primary coder, program architect, and version control manager
- Ultimately managed over 50 non-master branches and 150k lines of code
- Completed a widely-lauded minimal viable product in a week's time
- Honorably selected as the lone group to demo our app in front of a visiting group of Pursuit's funders

#### HangXx

A fully-fledged purely-Javascript command line interface hangman game to be played in Node.js runtime.

- Wrote over 1,000 lines of organized code in just over a week
- Actuated an interactive and responsive visual and audible play environment
- Proud to detail HangXx as my first major solo project at Pursuit

# **EXPERIENCE**

Joseph Chen Studio New York, NY

First Assistant & Producer

June 2019 - present

- Chiefly supervise full-scale high fashion & e-commerce photography/film productions, as essential proxy of the photographer in more than 40 successful shoots, managing teams of varied personalities in dynamic settings while carrying out a creative process with critical attention to detail
- Developed the company's current professional standard workflow which optimizes multitasking and has proven vital to operations and delivering results in the fast-paced, high-stress high fashion industry

#### Joseph Pasaoa Photographer

New York, NY

Manager & Photographer

Jan 2008 - present

- Fulfills high-standard commissions for photographic imagery, using a creative toolbox built in over ten years of photographic study and experience in expression, motion, and style, along with a deep understanding of art history and photographic theory
- Produced an extensive portfolio of thousands of dance and portraiture images including dozens of photos that have been published nationally and globally

## **EDUCATION**

Pursuit: 6.2 Full-Stack Web Development Fellowship

Long Island City, NY

12-month Full Stack Web intensive coding program with a 9% acceptance rate.

June 2019 - 2020

New York University: Gallatin School of Individualized Study

New York, NY

**B.A.** International Relations

2000 - 2003

City University New York: Queensborough A.A. Liberal Arts: Social Sciences & Humanities

Bayside, NY

2012 - 2013