Joshua Nakatani

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Experienced software engineer with 3 years in coding, specializing in full-stack development with a front-end emphasis. Expertise in relational database management, RESTful API design / integration, and object-oriented programming. Committed to creating scalable, user-friendly applications.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Soundry AI (YC W24) – Software Engineer Intern

Sept 2023 - June 2024

- Improved public-facing online presence of Soundry utilizing React, TypeScript, HTML, CSS, and JavaScript
- Collaborated with designer to ensure alignment between visual concepts and technical implementation
- Translated Figma design into functional landing page, assisting in the redesign of the company landing page

Bobalust – Team Lead Jan 2020 – July 2024

- Enforce systems, procedures, and quality standards as manager overseeing teams of 2-5 staff per-shift
- Ensure all building operations ranging from store inventory, kitchen prep, to customer satisfaction are satisfactory
- Mentor staff members to improve productivity and improve team ability to work in varying team environments

PROJECTS

Soundry Al: Landing Page | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, GitHub

March 2024

- Developed/deployed a new landing page contributing to an increase in new user downloads of 37%
- Implemented interactive JavaScript carousels and animations, optimized for desktop and mobile users
- Led design implementations to provide a smoother visual experience for users browsing the landing page

Soundry AI: Sample Pack Selector | JavaScript, Azure, TypeScript, GitHub

June 2024

- Refactored sample pack selector feature contributed to a 12% increase in feature usage with reduced load times
- This refactor contributed a smoother UI user navigation and enabled infinite context expansion for future growth
- Managed project scheduling, ensuring timely testing and deployment of the finished web-application feature

Personal Project: CRUD API Application | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL, Java Springboot

March 2024

- Developed a full-stack Spring-based web application and a RESTful API to direct its data manipulation
- Implemented seamless CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations of API to edit back-end data
- Project integrated with an H2 SQL relational database for efficient and scalable data management of user data

EDUCATION

Green River College - Auburn, Washington

June 2024

- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Software Development
 - Courses: Data Structures, Software as a Service, Full Stack Development, Relational Databases, Agile Dev Methods, Al
- Associates in Arts Degree (DTA)

SKILLS

Languages: Java, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, PHP, SQL

Frameworks and Tools: Git, React, NodeJS, Spring, Linux, Google Cloud, Agile, RESTful APIs, Docker, Kubernetes, Springboot, Tailwind, Bootstrap

Personal: Management Experience, Strong Communication, Familiar w/ High-Stress Environments, Self-Motivated **Hobbies and Interests:** Bouldering, Volleyball, Music Production & DJing