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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I am a full stack developer with a passion for learning new software technologies and building dynamic web applications that exemplify intuitive, user-driven experiences. I aim to holistically apply the skills I've developed from my previous business experience with the technical skills I've learned to address the complex problem solving, critical thinking, and creativity demanded in the results-driven environment of software development.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Web Development Stack:
- HTML5, CSS, Bootstrap, Sass, JavaScript (ES5, ES6), jQuery, JSON/APIs, Handlebars.js, React.js, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, MySQL, Mocha/Chai testing, Python, Django, Jinja2, Git/GitHub, Linux, Agile Development

WEB APPLICATIONS BUILT

The Goods:
- A full stack application that allows the user to either search for items to rent, or put up items that they own for rent. The front end uses Handlebars view engine, and the back end is built with Node, Express, MySQL & Sequelize.
- https://github.com/jpkohatsu/TheGoods | https://the-goods.herokuapp.com/

Jobiato:
- A front end application that allows the user to search for job postings and simultaneously find meetups associated with the search terms used via Indeed and Meetup APIs. "Liked" postings are then stored to their account through Firebase.
- https://github.com/jpkohatsu/Jobiato | https://jpkohatsu.github.io/Jobiato/

Weather React:
- A front end application that uses Google Maps and OpenWeatherMap APIs to search and view average five-day forecasts of your favorite US cities. The technologies used to build this app were React JS and Redux.
- https://github.com/jpkohatsu/Weather-React | https://weather-reactclone.herokuapp.com/

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sips by Austin, TX
Front-end Software Engineer, Intern *March 2018 - Present*
- Wireframe, prototype and unit test UI/UX solutions that are implemented for internal and external systems
- Support the digital content platform development using front-end technologies such as HTML, CSS, JavaScript and React

ICF International, Inc. Washington, DC - New York, NY
Corporate Business Services, Financial Pricing Associate *February 2012 – May 2017*
- Lead the preparation of business proposals, pricing analysis, and financial/cash flow projections for the Energy, Environment, and Transportation consulting division
- Developed and implemented VBA pricing models used to provide labor rate/price, profit target and EBIT functionality on a full range of projects, including domestic and international procurements for both government and commercial clients

Banco Santander, S.A. | Global Banking & Markets New York, NY
Latin America Fixed Income & Credit, Research Analyst *May 2011 – December 2011*
- Created, updated, and interpreted financial credit models and data for credit research reports on Latin American corporate debt securities under coverage and weekly debt security briefings
- Researched market trends using *Bloomberg Terminal* and *Embarc* to analyze and monitor credit risk impacts on companies' fixed income & credit performance through financial metrics, future developments, and market capitalization

EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin Austin, TX
Full Stack Web Development Certification, Computer Software Engineering *September 2017*

Fullstack Academy of Code New York, NY
JavaScript Prep Certification, Computer Software Engineering *March 2017*

The George Washington University Washington, DC
Bachelor of Business Administration, International Business & Finance *May 2011*