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**Introduction**

I am a passionate and driven web developer with a specialization in front-end development. I find joy in the process of learning, creating, and problem-solving, and I am always eager to explore new technologies and approaches to enhance my skills and deliver exceptional web experiences.

**Technical Skills**

HTML, CSS, Sass, JavaScript, React, Firebase, Node.js, Express, Git, Github

**Projects**

1. SpellScribe: A full-stack web app for creating DND5e characters and filling their spellbooks with spells obtained from the D&D 5e API. This project uses React, Node.js, Express.js, and MongoDB. Session authentication uses email/password.  
   <https://spellscribe.onrender.com/>
2. Chirper: Social media application developed using React and Firebase, providing users with a platform to share their thoughts and connect with others. Highlights include cloud storage for posting pictures, an emoji picker, and Google authentication.

<https://chirper-7b053.web.app/>

1. Just Chat: A real-time chat application built with React and Firebase, enabling users to engage in instant conversations with friends and colleagues. Includes authentication using email/password.  
   <https://just-chat-496c6.web.app/>
2. On-hand Cuisine: An innovative web app that suggests recipes based on the ingredients that users already have in their kitchens. Built using vanilla JavaScript, HTML, and CSS. Provides users with easy and creative cooking options.  
   <https://jreitz2.github.io/recipe-api-call/>

**Education**

* Master of the Arts - Sociology
* Bachelor of Science - Sociology

**Additional Qualifications**

* I have successfully completed the Odin Project, a comprehensive self-paced web development curriculum, further enhancing my knowledge and skills in various web technologies and development methods.
* Prior to transitioning into web development, I have accumulated over a decade of management experience in an unrelated field. This background has equipped me with exceptional leadership and communication skills, enabling me to effectively collaborate with teams and deliver projects efficiently.