

# JAMES SULLIVAN

Software Engineer

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I'm a software engineer with a background in audio and service. After a year of self teaching and an immersive bootcamp at General Assembly, I'm eager to apply my experience and ever-growing knowledge-base to a new position. I have a love for learning, and I value teamwork and communication. In the past I've toured as a musician and worked in fast paced kitchens. Those experiences taught me to work with a great sense of urgency and the ability to bring positive energy to any team.

## SKILLS

**Languages** - JavaScript, Python, HTML, CSS

**Libraries & Frameworks** - Node.js / Express, React, Next.js, TailwindCSS, Django, Unity

**Database** - MongoDB, PostgreSQL, SQL

**Other** - AWS Bucket, EJS, Mongoose, Git, Github, Heroku, Netlify, Postman, Google Maps API, Figma, Invision, Trello

## SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

**Streepflix** | [Github](#) | [App](#) | Javascript / React / MongoDB / Node / Express

*A netflix clone with trailers and user profiles. Serves an index of movies from just one actress - Meryl Streep.*

- React frontend with Express backend. Uses NPM packages to render a YouTube movie trailer on click.
- Worked on this project with a group as the lead front-end engineer and managed the Git repositories and deployment.

**Hide & Seek** | [Github](#) | [App](#) Javascript / JQuery / HTML5 / CSS

*A geographic guessing game where the user is given a random street view location and the user tries to match the location on a separate map as best they can for points, allowing users to prove how well they know their city.*

- Used Google Maps API & JQuery to render dynamic maps wired with event listeners and location parameter options
- Designed the layout to be responsive via CSS media queries, grid, and flexbox.

**MyPix** | [Github](#) | [App](#) | Python / Django / PostgreSQL / AWS Bucket

*A user-based photo sharing platform*

- Uses Django template views to serve a dynamic timeline of photos with user profiles
- Full CRUD app with user authentication, authorization, and AWS file upload

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Bottle Shoppe**, Wine Sales Associate | Brooklyn, NY

**March 2021 - April 2022**

- Maintained a well curated and extensive inventory of over 300 new and old world wines.
- Provided expert recommendations for wine pairings, profiles, and personal taste to regular customers.

**Squibb Coffee & Wine**, Cafe Manager | Grand Rapids, MI

**Jan 2018 - March 2021**

- Oversaw a wine, cheese, and charcuterie program, developing recipes for a scalable seasonally changing menu.
- Handled customer relations, inventory management, social media and marketing.
- Worked with owners of the business on big picture decisions before and throughout the pandemic.

**DAAC (Division Avenue Arts Collective)**, Sound Engineer | Grand Rapids, MI

**August 2016 - March 2020**

- Ran events at multiple venues including setup, volunteer management, and live mixing audio.
- Maintained an ever-growing database of booking contacts and scheduling in Google Sheets.
- Engineered live sessions in studio and remote using multiple DAW's.

## EDUCATION

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY | REMOTE**

*Software Engineering Immersive*

**April 2021 - July 2021**

Full-stack software engineering immersive student in an intensive, twelve-week, 450+ hour program focused on product development fundamentals, object-oriented programming, MVC frameworks, data modeling, and team collaboration.

**Grand Rapids Community College | GRAND RAPIDS, MI**

*Associate of Science in (Architectural Technology)*

**2014-2015**