Jack Zhang

Full-Stack Developer | Software Engineer

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SUMMARY

Highly driven Full Stack Developer proficient in React, Node.js, and Python, adept at crafting user-centric web applications. Proven track record in project management, fostering team collaboration, and implementing agile methodologies. I am experienced in delivering innovative solutions that drive business outcomes.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Frontend: React.js, Redux, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Tailwindcss

Backend: Node.js, Express, Python, Flask, SQL, PostgreSQL, SQL-Alchemy, Bcrypt, MySQL

Technical Expertise: Data Structures and Algorithms, Architecture, Debugging, Deployment, Socket.IO

EXPERIENCE

Full-Stack Software Engineer | Coursect Inc. (Start-Up) | 12/23 - Present

- Successfully addressed a critical user sign-up issue, ensuring seamless registration and database integration, enhancing user experience
- Implemented Google Cloud Storage for scalable and dependable data storage solutions, improving system reliability and performance
- Developed and integrated an image chat feature using Google Gemini Pro Vision API, enabling the app to answer
 user questions with uploaded images, enhancing user engagement.
- Introduced speech-to-text and text-to-speech functionalities to the application interface, enhancing accessibility and user engagement

Administrative Director | *B&B Child Care Services LLC.* | 09/00 - 07/23

- Directed and managed a program, overseeing 50 students, and provided leadership for 60 teachers and assistants
- Implemented strategic resource optimizations and reduced annual expenses by 40%

PROJECTS

Pixelgram, Full Stack Developer - React | Python

Live | GitHub Repo

A web application inspired by Instagram allows users to post photos and leave comments and an integrated chat feature.

- Optimized server performance by crafting custom SQL queries and leveraging Flask models and associations to extract data efficiently from multiple tables
- Implemented robust user authentication measures on both the frontend and backend, utilizing React Router to ensure privacy and autonomy for users
- Designed and implemented a user-friendly interface, including wireframes for followers and followings, page layouts, and posting and commenting features. Implemented real-time chat using Socket. IO to enhance user engagement and interactivity

Question Overflow, Full Stack Developer - React | Python

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A web application inspired by Stack Overflow (asking and answering questions)

- Engineered a dynamic reactions system in Python, allowing users to seamlessly switch between likes and dislikes, with changes reflected in the database
- Implemented a feature gate to restrict platform interaction for unregistered users, enhancing security and user experience
- Collaborated with a team of four engineers on a shared codebase, utilizing SCRUM methodology ensuring consistent and efficient development processes

EDUCATION

App Academy, Full Stack Development

2022 - 2023

- 1000-hour immersive full-stack web development intensive with < 3% acceptance rate

Long Island University, Bachelor in Business Management / Finance

2000 - 2008