Kara Gruenewald

Software Engineer in St. Louis, MO

An organized, self-starter with a creative project management background, who is looking to bring my technical, problem solving, and teamwork skills to a software engineering role.

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PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Bike To It — Web Based Application

- A C#/ASP .NET Core MVC web application created for searching and updating bike trails and bike friendly destinations along the trails
- Matches users with trails that meet their specific search criteria
- Uses authentication to allow users to create new destinations and update existing ones

WORK EXPERIENCE

Video Producer — Vat19, St. Louis, MO

November 2015 - May 2020

- Produced and coordinated video shoots for one of YouTube's largest content creators, whose channel grew from 3 million to over 7 million subscribers during my time as video producer
- Created and maintained weekly video production shooting schedules to meet brand and sponsor criteria and deadlines
- Ensured shoots ran smoothly, assisted on set, and acted as on-camera talent for videos and photos

Production Manager — ImageCrew, San Diego, CA

March 2014 - November 2015

- Managed all aspects of video pre-production, production, and post-production to ensure a successful end product for the client
- Responsible for client account management and communication
- Coordinated shooting schedules, locations, travel arrangements, crew, talent, equipment, and props

Database Coordinator & Media Specialist — Helen Woodward Animal Center, San Diego, CA

September 2012 - March 2014

- Responsible for the management and upkeep of a customized donor database using Salesforce, Common Ground, and Click & Pledge
- Produced, photographed, filmed, and edited promotional videos, how-to guides, and social media content

EDUCATION

STLCC, Immersive CodeCamp — 2020

University of Missouri - Kansas City, BA, Communications, Film & Media Arts emphasis, Minor in Business Administration — 2011

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

- **C#**
- **JavaScript**
- **TypeScript**
- **HTML/CSS**
- **LINQ**

FRAMEWORKS

- **ASP .NET Core MVC**
- **Bootstrap**

DATABASES

- **MySQL**

TOOLS

- **MySQL Workbench**
- **Visual Studio**
- **Git**
- **Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, & Premiere Pro**

VOLUNTEER WORK

SHOP EMPLOYEE — Bridge Bread
Feb 2018 - present

A/V TECH — The Gathering
Sept 2018 - present