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Hello, I'm Kathryn - a full-stack web developer with technical skills in javascript and an affinity for front-end design. Currently engaged in a Junior Web Developer Teaching Assistant position with Generation USA, as well as contract work creating professional websites, branded content and product photos for professionals & small businesses – interested in a full-time web developer position with tremendous opportunity for growth + a positive work environment.

Experience accumulated in communication, leadership, client needs assessment, and visual+audio content creation is attributed to my dynamic and unconventional history as a musician, art student, social worker, and high-volume bartender. Recent global events sparked a need for change, which then lead to my application, acceptance, and awarded scholarship to the Ohio State University's Full-stack Web Development Bootcamp, and my pursuit to become a web developer.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Git | HTML | CSS | JavaScript | SQL | NoSQL
GitHub | MongoDB | MySQL | Heroku
jQuery | Express | Node | Handlebars | React
Bootstrap | Material UI | Semantic UI | Materialize | Foundation
Responsive Design | Visual + Audio Content Manipulation

PROJECTS

Custom Workforce Manager [CODE] https://bit.ly/3BqAMRA [LIVE] https://bit.ly/2WLUnN6

- A workforce management app currently customized for a landscaping fleet built for streamlined communication between administrator and employees, and optimized for user experience. Features drag-and-drop job assignment, multi-tier authentication and a clean design
- Role: Front-end Developer, API support
- Tools: MERN stack, Heroku, PassportJS, MaterialUI, SortableJS, API

Covid Woke [CODE] https://bit.ly/3BvhpXq [LIVE] https://bit.ly/3yyCy1c

- A website which allows users to easily view, navigate, and compare relevant, real-time statistics on the current covid-19 situation between different states or counties
- Role: Full Stack Developer
- Tools: HTML, CSS, jQuery, Bootstrap, API, ChartJS

Employee Tracker [CODE] https://bit.ly/3jxoFMw [DEMO] https://bit.ly/3mLSz1u

- Command-line application that allows the user to view, manage, and manipulate employee information such as their name, role, salary, department, and assigned manager
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: MySQL, Express, and Node

Team Profile Generator [CODE] https://bit.ly/3t0u8OS [DEMO] https://bit.ly/3mLSCuc

- Command-line application that takes in employee information such as name, role, contact information and office number, then generates an HTML webpage that displays summaries for each team member
- Includes unit testing
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: MySQL, Jest, and Semantic UI

E-Commerce Routing [CODE] https://bit.ly/38sQG1d [DEMO] https://bit.ly/3gPA20q

- Back-end code demonstrating ability to create, map, and test a RESTful API
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: MySQL, Sequelize, Express and Insomnia

EXPERIENCE

Web Developer, Generation USA

2021 - present

Teaching Assistant Remote

- Develop and execute lessons on Jr. Web Development topics such as Git, HTML, CSS and JavaScript.
- Lead class, small groups, & individual students through technical material, problem solving + workflow strategies, to reinforce web development concepts and best practices
- Provide coaching on behavioral skills and mindsets to increase student success for present and future endeavors

Contract Web Developer, Linda Helmick, PhD

2021 - present

Remote

Full-stack Developer

- Design and develop professional homepage website and art gallery for an Art Professor seeking to elevate professional visibility and streamline professional processes
- Implement an e-commerce feature to allow client to sell artwork directly from website

Contract Web Developer, MakMagic

2021

Digital Marketing support and Design Strategist

Columbus, OH

- Created updated product photos to gain access to hosted eCommerce sites such as Amazon and Ebay
- Created updated banners & other branded content to assist client in opening private labels under an established wholesale distributing company

Bartender 2017 - 2021

Fine dining & Cocktail Server, 440 Main & Mickey's Lead bartender, Legacy Smokehouse Bartender, BBR & Dahlia Bowling Green, KY Columbus, OH

Columbus, OH

- Operated efficiently in a fast-paced, high-volume setting while exceeding a 20% revenue quota over 90% of the time
- Educated customers on current + upcoming promotions, recommended best-fit company offerings, created & delivered quality product consistently, allowing room to build a foundation of trust with clientele, and assembly of a diverse community of regular-customers
- Gained expertise in sales & marketing, customer awareness, communication, and flexibility
- Enhanced skills in leadership, persuasion, teamwork, time management & prioritization and relationship building

Social Worker 2014 - 2017

In-home Therapist, Bair Foundation

Columbus, OH

Treatment Coordinator, National Youth Advocate Program

Columbus, OH

- Counseled individuals, groups and families to bring awareness to root problems, handle crisis situations, and develop action plans to ensure success for the client and family system as a whole
- Coordinated treatment services for client within family, county, school, court, and medical systems
- Became an expert in creative problem solving, crisis intervention, cultural sensitivity and adaptive communication

EDUCATION

Certificate, Full Stack Web Development

Columbus, OH

The Ohio State University: College of Engineering

Academic Average: 4.0

Bachelor of Science, Social Work

Oxford, OH

Miami University: College of Education, Health & Society

Special Interest: Art & Design Oxford, OH

Relevant Courses: Visual fundamentals, 2D design, 3D design, information studies: digital age, history of western, renaissance, & modern art, international studies, social psychology, microeconomics, social relations, composition & literature, plants humanity & environment