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SKILLS

Ruby on Rails, SQL, Postgres, Ruby, ActiveRecord, JQuery, Agile Software Development, Sinatra, CSS, HTML, Pair Programming, Github, TDD, RSPEC, AJAX, Javascript

SUMMARY

Full Stack Developer with a background in at-risk and foster youth counseling, electronics sales, and executive training. Passionate about test driven development, QA, and databases, with a keen focus on schema design. Loves squashing bugs. Cares deeply about helping people succeed and thrive, especially foster youth and the team of people I work with. In my free time, you'll find me matching lost and found dogs on Craigslist, traveling and doing photography.

PROJECTS

EMOTE ME

A Ruby on Rails web app that is a companion to the Emote Me iOS app. The Swift app looks at a photo of the user and analyzes the user's emotions. Based on the emotion and user preferences, the app can show the user a YouTube video or gif to improve the user's mood or sustain the current mood.
Tech Stack:
Swift, Ruby on Rails, JS, HTML5, CSS3, Materialize, Bower, Heroku
APIs:
Google Cloud Vision, Twilio, YouTube, Giphy
Emote Me iOS Github

LEZFLIX AND CHILL

A sinatra website that allows users to see current shows that have a lesbian story line. It uses the YouTube api to allow users to search for their favorite relationship clips.
Lezflix and Chill Website

OPEN SOURCE FAKER GEM

Contributed to the open source faker gem for Ruby on GitHub. The faker gem is a library for generating fake data such as names, addresses, and phone numbers. Forked/cloned the repo and using test driven development created a class of Friends characters, locations, and quotes.

EMPLOYMENT

BAY AREA YOUTH CENTER
Residential Treatment Counselor

Hayward, Ca
2008 to 2013

- Increased graduation rate among youth in program by personally helping 4 youth transition from the edge of dropping out to successfully graduating High School and moving on to a college career
- Interacted with various public service departments such as Department ofChildren & Family Services, Local Law Enforcement and Social Security Administration
- Counseled a dozen at-risk youth with mental health issues to prepare them for a successful and independent adulthood
- Created and executed intervention treatment plans that helped youth to disengage with gang activity or prostitution

CIRCUIT CITY
Customer Service Lead

Daly City, Ca
2003 to 2007

- Trained between 40-50 incoming Managers for all California Stores
- Responsible for closing duties including locking up store as well as counting all monies and preparing bank deposits ranging from $25,000 to $100,000
- Wrote manual for internal computer system for Customer Service that was used throughout all California stores. The manual standardized our POS system and decreased wait time in customer interactions

CIRCUIT CITY
Product Specialist

Newark, Ca
2002 to 2003

- Lead sales person Northwest Region for Sony products for 2 quarters by more than 500 units
- Product Specialist of the Quarter(Q4) for Northern California 2002 for most warranties and accessories sold
- Promoted to Customer Service Lead within 9 months based on customer service ratings

EDUCATION

Dev Bootcamp
2017
Dev Bootcamp Completed an 18-week, high-intensity web development training program focusing on full stack development using Ruby on Rails, front-end JavaScript and jQuery. Over 1,000+ hours of programming where I gained experience and familiarity with test-driven development (TDD) and Agile methodologies.

San Francisco State University
Political Science/ Women's Studies
Non-Degree Holding

VOLUNTEERING

Sacred Space · Community Outreach — 2014 to Current
- Organized meet-ups to provide low-income members of the community with clothes, food, basic neccessities and animal products when needed

Equality California · Canvasser — 2008 to 2008
- Engaged in conversations with Californians through face-to-face interactions about LGBT acceptance, marriage equality and LGBT rights

Habitat For Humanity International · Construction — 2001 to 2005
- Helped build and rennovate houses for low-income families including rewiring to provide family with energy effecient electricity