

# Kaia Bergmann-Dean

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## QUALIFICATION SUMMARY

Full-stack software engineer with experience in Javascript and Ruby on Rails, as well as a wide ranging background in research, environmental conservation, and food service. Through my diverse professional experiences I developed skills in customer service, teamwork, and logical problem solving which bolster my capabilities as a web developer. I have an educational background in art history, and I appreciate and value design as an integral part of web development.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Ruby, Rails, Javascript, React, HTML, CSS, Git, ActiveRecord

## TECHNICAL PROJECTS

**Museum** - [https://github.com/kbergmanndean/art\\_frontend](https://github.com/kbergmanndean/art_frontend), [https://github.com/kbergmanndean/art\\_project\\_backend](https://github.com/kbergmanndean/art_project_backend) | <https://youtu.be/waPYxd3zV-E>

An interactive museum of visual art by women artists

- Utilized Ruby on Rails to write API functionality for back-end
- Used Active Record and Postgresql to design database schema and code database logic
- Used React to create front-end with multiple routes
- Worked with Sass and CSS styling to implement design for client-side interface

**MedReady** - <https://github.com/kbergmanndean/medready> | <https://youtu.be/yDaJDpPvQiw> | [medready.herokuapp.com](https://medready.herokuapp.com)

A web application to help users keep track of their prescription medications

- Accessed an external API using Ruby on Rails to provide seed data
- Built a React front-end with multiple routes
- Used Authentication and Authorization to create individualized login functionality
- Hand drew logo and illustrations for site design

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### James and Hoffman, PC

Contract Researcher

Washington, DC

08/2020 - 05/2021

- Conducted in-depth research in support of current and projected litigations.
- Assisted attorneys in reviewing and summarizing interview material.
- Compiled and organized research material into spreadsheets and summaries for pleadings.
- Coordinated with other research team members to compile and organize data.

### American Conservation Experience

Corps Member

Flagstaff, AZ, Asheville, NC

09/2019 - 03/2020, 9/2020-11/2020

- Assisted the Park Service and Forest Service in Environmental Conservation projects on Nationally protected land.
- Collaborated and camped with other Corps members from our team during projects.
- Trained on and used a variety of manual and power tools to complete projects in maintenance, construction, and restoration.

### Pizzeria Paradiso

Server, Trainer

Hyattsville, MD

06/2017-08/2019

- Used customer service skills, time management and task management to ensure client satisfaction in a demanding fast paced environment.
- Trained new servers in a team service environment to ensure smooth restaurant operations.

## EDUCATION

### Flatiron School

Full Stack Web Development, Ruby on Rails and JavaScript program  
Learned to use HTML, CSS, Javascript, React, Ruby, Rails, ActiveRecord

Washington, DC

05/ 2021 - 08/2021

### Oberlin College

Bachelor's Degree, Art History  
John Frederick Oberlin Scholar

Oberlin, OH

05/2017