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Objective

To obtain my first role as a software engineer working on full stack web applications.

Web Apps

Texas Holdem Demo Code	JavaScript/HTML/CSS - This is a personal project I built as I work towards making my own card game. It's built with vanilla JavaScript and is independent from any modules or dependencies. I modified the game rules to create a single player version, but I designed the logic with multiplayer in mind.
Pay Scale Generator Demo Code	JavaScript/HTML/CSS - I started this project to fill a need at work: my supervisor wanted a way to pay different employees fairly and I created a spreadsheet with a "Pay Scale" for him. Seeing his need to change the numbers himself, I created this app to generate new pay scales dynamically with JavaScript. I also created a multi-step form with slide-in animations to take all of the user's inputs.
Atomic Todo Demo Code	TypeScript/HTML/CSS - I generated this Todo App with TypeScript and SnowPack. This app demonstrates my ability to use TypeScript and build type safe applications. I built the UI without the help of any outside packages.
Weather App Demo Code	TypeScript/HTML/CSS - My focus with this app was to work with fetching data and APIs. I used TypeScript with Vite to build the project. Openweathermap.org provided the API for weather and geolocation data. I also included an option for users to provide their current location via the browser.
React CV-App Demo Code	React.js/Firebase - I created this React.js project with Vite, integrated Firebase (noSQL) for the database, and Webpack to bundle it. This app allows account creation using email/password via Firebase Auth. Resume data is stored on Firebase realtime database as well as locally.

Relevant Experience

U.S. Army Reserve / Intelligence Analyst

2009 - 2018, Bentonville AR

- Analyzed incoming reports from multiple intelligence collection sources (Radio, Images, Open Source, etc.) to determine enemy's likely courses of action and create presentation from findings to brief to commanding officers.
- Analyzed target audiences to produce effective and compelling communication products to achieve good host country relations and cooperation.
- Produced radio, television, and paper products for distribution, using the full Adobe Suite and commercial grade printers and antennas.
- Graduated in the top 2% of class during Warrior Leadership Training.

Arvest Bank / Customer Service Representative

2010 - 2011, Fayetteville AR

- Top ranked in upsells within the office of 25 representatives.
- Supported customers within a tri-state area with banking products over the phone in a fast-paced environment.
- Scored 100% on all random audited calls.

Aloha Pontoons / Welder

2022 - 2022, Little Rock AR

- Operate shear press, rolling machine, and TiG welder to produce pontoons (logs) from aluminum sheets.
- Assemble finished logs together to create a framed pontoon boat using MiG welder.
- Operate independently to fulfill daily quotas and assist coworkers when needed.

Express Boats / Welder

2020 - 2022, Hot Springs AR

- Assembled aluminum boats using MiG and TiG welding machines.
- Worked with teammates on an assembly line to produce large orders.
- Worked long shifts in a face-paced and demanding environment.
- Lead "flow" meetings called KATAs to continuously improve workflow and efficiency.

Dan's Whetstone Co / Stone Finisher

2019 - 2020, Pearcy AR

- Worked with a variety of novaculite stones in many shapes and sizes on a large grinding wheel to produce high quality whetstones.
- Worked with teammates to coordinate large and small orders to bring them to completion.
- Worked long shifts in a physically demanding environment.

Idaho Timber Corporation / Gang Saw Operator

2018 - 2019, Carthage AR

- Operated "Gang Saw" to cut up to 1,800 half logs per day, producing up to 200k ft. of lumber.
- Cleared "hangs" and jams quickly and efficiently before production slowed.
- Worked long shifts in a fast-paced physically demanding environment.

Roller City Inc. / DJ

2005 - 2010, Fayetteville AR

- Provided an atmosphere that promoted enjoyment for patrons.
- Maintained safety of equipment throughout the building.
- Led floor team through each open and private session.
- Scheduled new private sessions and processed payments.
- Advertised through traditional methods, such as flyers and events.