# Kevin O'Brien

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Full Stack software developer with a bachelor of arts in Physics, possessing a diverse and robust skill set building web apps. A natural problem solver, and innovative thinker, with a unique approach to development and design. Years of experience working with data analytics in MatLab, and Microsoft Excel. Additionally, a musician who values creative pursuits.

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Ruby/Rails | JavaScript | Sinatra | React/Redux | HTML5 | Python 3 | CSS | SQL/PostgreSQL/SQLite | Git |
  LaTeX | Matlab | Microsoft Excel | Agile (Scrum) | Mathematica | Linux | iOS | Windows
- High level mathematical and problem solving skills including proficiency in calculus, differential equations, differential geometry, and solving of classical and quantum mechanical physical systems

# SOFTWARE PROJECTS

# Track Notes - GitHub | Demo

A react/redux client with a rails API service for music producers to provide notes for works in progress.

- Utilizes container components and presentational components to store state, and display stateless information respectively
- o Employs RESTful routing in new, index, and show pages
- Uses Redux middleware to respond to and modify state change

### **Equation Sheet Generator - GitHub | Demo**

A JavaScript app with a rails API intended for students and teachers to generate a dynamic sheet of formulas to be used during exams.

- o Fetches data via multiple AJAX requests, with backend rendering in JSON format
- Utilizes serialization to convert API info to JSON
- Uses Javascript to render JSON on index page

#### SymbioSound - GitHub | Demo

A rails web application that serves as a collaborative music network for creators to interact with each other with the goal of completing projects, or providing instrumental services.

- Validates data and provides error codes without saving incorrect data
- Manages data through complex forms and RESTful routes
- Authenticates users with third-party sites (i.e. Facebook)

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Flatiron School - New York, NY

2019

An immersive, highly intensive web development program in JavaScript, React, and Ruby on Rails

#### State University of New York at Buffalo - Buffalo, NY

2016-2019

- Bachelor of Arts in Physics
- o Graduated Magna Cum Laude, graduate level and multiple honors courses

#### PHYSICS PROJECTS

Extensively analyzed and interpreted data of physical systems, details can be found in portfolio above.

Pulsed NMR - MatLab, LaTeX | Optical Spectroscopy - MatLab, LaTeX | Hall Effect - MatLab, LaTeX

#### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

# Remington Tavern Seafood Exchange, Buffalo, New York - Restaurant Support Staff

2019-Present

- Engaged in building new and lasting relationships with customers through friendly and helpful service
- Performed above and beyond expectations in dedicating efforts towards facilitating an excellent restaurant experience
- Displayed excellent teamwork and adaptability through working with a large, dynamic group of coworkers
   James Perse, Woodbury, New York Sales Team Member
  - o Provided excellent customer service, and provided sales through demonstrating product value
  - o Received product, stocked and organized merchandise, as well as insuring tidiness in the store
  - o Took inventory of product and aided in loss prevention

# Top Shelf Sound, Goshen, New York - Founder

2018-Present

- Music production and software startup
- o Participated in building artist brands, networking with social media, and audio recording and production