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 | CSS | SQL/PostgreSQL/SQLite | Git | LaTeX | Matlab | Microsoft Excel | Swift | 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 | Video 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

Expense Tracker - GitHub

A python application tracking user inputted expenses, aiming to improve personal budgeting and allocation of resources.

- Utilizes pandas and openpyxl libraries to interpret and write to .xlsx files, and aggregate data
- o Prompts user within command line to guide through the process of submitting an expense
- o Provides validations to avoid persistence of bad data

SymbioSound - GitHub | Video 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
- o Manages data through complex forms and RESTful routes
- Authenticates users with third-party sites (i.e. Facebook)

FDUCATION

Flatiron School - New York, NY

2019

o 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
- 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

- o 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

2018-2019

- 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, social media networking, and audio recording and production