KRISTINE KOCHIE

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Full Stack Developer with more than 20 years of digital and print design, tech operations, and data management experience in a variety of industries. From creating digital archives to founding and managing a retail store and e-commerce business, my background in tech-adjacent roles enables me to be both pragmatic and forward-thinking. I aim to utilize my design and development skills with current technology to build seamless and dynamic user-friendly experiences.

LANGUAGES AND TECHNOLOGIES

- JavaScript, React.js, HTML, CSS, Ruby, Ruby on Rails, Postgres, SQL, SQLite, Node.js, Git/GitHub, Relational Databases, REST APIs, JSON, Web Development
- Working knowledge: TypeScript, PHP, Angular, Next.js, SCSS, Bootstrap, Tailwind, Object-Oriented Programming

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Workspace   GitHub | Demo | Blog

Productivity app to manage design projects and related image assets.
- Implemented user interface employing React, BCrypt for authentication and authorization, and custom CSS.
- Modeled custom Ruby on Rails database schema and REST API with Active Record, Active Storage, and PostgreSQL to communicate with React.
- Utilized The Color API and Unsplash APIs to pull and parse data for interactive color schemes and image searches.
- Integrated Flatiron Phase 1 project, functioning as a digital color resource guide showcasing a React Color Picker component.
- Integrated Flatiron Phase 2 React project, demonstrating how to use CSS to manipulate images.

Cookbook Club Site   GitHub | Live | Blog

Site for a local group to showcase club meetings and book choices.
- Developed with Vanilla JavaScript, HTML5, and CSS3.
- Designed mobile-first with responsive layouts for tablets and desktops.
- Created all imagery with Adobe Creative Suite.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Print Production Specialist   Grey Printing, Cold Spring, NY   April 2016–March 2020
- Worked with a small team on print production, graphic design, and special projects including re-branding the print shop and building an e-commerce site.
- Brought the company from an analog workflow to a digital one, which included inventory handling and sales processes.
- Daily interaction with customers, both in-person and over phone and email.

Small Business Owner   Clay Wood & Cotton, Beacon, NY   Sept 2009 - Sept 2016
- Owned and operated a retail shop with both a brick and mortar location and e-commerce site.
- Oversaw a small staff and ensured that day-to-day operations ran smoothly.
- Handled all customer relations, inventory, marketing materials and social media.
- Developed and maintained shop website and e-commerce using Shopify, Magento, and inventory software.

Digital Asset Manager   Various, NY   2001 - 2008
- Created a comprehensive implementation plan, built and maintained the digital asset library for the Culinary Institute of America.
- Created and maintained the digital asset library and portfolio website for Redux Pictures.
- Handled daily photo submissions, syndication and archiving for Corbis News and Saba Photos.

EDUCATION

Flatiron School, Software Engineering Certificate, Full Stack Software Engineering Program   2022
15-week intensive bootcamp working with JavaScript, React, Ruby, Ruby on Rails, HTML, CSS, jQuery, SQL, PostgreSQL, Bootstrap, Sinatra, and RESTful APIs

Louisiana State University, Bachelor of Fine Arts   1999

INTERESTS

Making messes in the kitchen, trivia enthusiast and member of local powerhouse pub trivia super team.