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Summary

Passionate, self-motivated tech enthusiast transitioning into web development. Experienced in troubleshooting systems, self-taught in networks, and deeply interested in software. Completed bootcamp and self-study, proficient in programming languages and frameworks for dynamic websites. Aiming to merge culinary industry experience with fast-paced web development, contributing to innovative projects for personal and professional growth.

Technical Skills

Languages: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, SQL, Bash

Frameworks / Libraries: Node.js, Express.js, React, jQuery, Bootstrap, APIs, GraphQL

Databases: MySQL, Sequelize, MongoDB, Mongoose

Tools: Git, npm, Jest, Webpack, MySQLWorkbench, Studio 3T, Insomnia, Visual Studio Code

Projects

AdminAccess | github.com/kyoriku/AdminAccess | adminaccess.herokuapp.com

- AdminAccess is an employee data management solution built with the MERN stack, offering secure authentication and intuitive user interface for administrators.
- My responsibilities included front-end and back-end development, implementing the login form, and ensuring secure authentication. Additionally, I contributed to the implementation of the CRUD functionality for departments, roles, employees, and managers, and enhanced user interface interactions.
- **Tools / languages used:** MySQL, Express.js, React, Node.js, JavaScript, Sequelize, Bootstrap, Axios, Bcrypt, Dotenv, Vite

RendezView | github.com/kyoriku/RendezView | rendezviews.herokuapp.com

- RendezView is a party planner web application enabling users to browse, create, edit, and delete events, fostering community engagement and organization.
- I contributed to the full-stack development, including implementing CRUD functionality for events, user authentication, and integrating databases.
- **Tools / languages used:** HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Node.js, Express.js, MySQL, Sequelize, Handlebars, Google Maps API

FilmFinder | github.com/kyoriku/FilmFinder | kyoriku.github.io/FilmFinder

- FilmFinder is a movie database web application allowing users to search for, view details, and maintain a personalized watchlist of movies, along with discovering their streaming platforms.
- I played a key role in front-end development, leading the implementation of UI/UX design, the search feature, genre buttons, movie cards, and integrating APIs. Additionally, I implemented the watchlist functionality using local storage, and contributed extensively to the JavaScript/jQuery functionality.
- **Tools / languages used:** HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, The Movie Database (TMDb) API, Watchmode API

Experience

Broiler / Griddle Cook Earls Kitchen & Bar

April 2023 – Present
Toronto, ON

- Expertly prepare a variety of meats (burgers, chicken, steaks) using griddles and broilers
- Organize workstations with necessary supplies, manage food inventory, and maintain cleanliness
- Follow recipe guidelines and implement food safety measures to ensure guest satisfaction and meet health and safety standards

Sous Chef Fogg N' Suds Restaurant

January 2022 – March 2023
Vancouver, BC

- Lead the line, assemble orders, and maintain full menu knowledge
- Skillfully manage sauté station, catering events, and room service orders
- Close the kitchen, restock inventory, and ensure sanitation and safety protocols are met to ensure customer satisfaction

Grill Cook Eastbound Brewing Company

October 2018 – May 2021
Toronto, ON

- Efficiently prepare and cook food products while adhering to recipes and presentation specifications
- Responsible for opening and closing the kitchen on weekends, maintaining health and safety standards
- Operate various kitchen equipment and maintain cleanliness to ensure customer satisfaction

Line / Prep Cook Great Lakes Schooner Company

July 2018 – October 2018
Toronto, ON

- Successfully catered to large groups and handled smaller catering services independently
- Operated Rational ovens and portable induction burners on multiple boats
- Varied menu preparation, from appetizers to desserts, maintaining quality, presentation, and health and safety standards

Grill Cook Indie Ale House

April 2017 – July 2018
Toronto, ON

- Skilled griddle station cooking, including preparation of sauces
- Manage stock inventory and run the line during service
- Proficient in both opening and closing kitchen duties, ensuring customer satisfaction and health and safety standards

Education

Full Stack Web Development Certificate University of Toronto

March 2024
Toronto, ON

Food Handler's Certificate Canadian Institute of Food Safety

June 2022
Vancouver, BC

Digital Audio Certificate of Achievement SAIT Polytechnic

August 2013
Calgary, AB

Soft Skills

Teamwork, problem solving, time management, multitasking, ability to prioritize tasks effectively