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Full Stack Engineer

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technical skills

» HTML5, CSS, JavaScript
» Browser-based libraries (Bootstrap & jQuery)
» Server-side development (MERN stack, PWAs)
» Databases (MySql & MongoDB)
» ORM & ODM (Sequelize & Mongoose)
» API interaction (REST, JSON, AJAX, GraphQL)
» Unit testing
» Adobe Creative Suite (Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign)

education

Columbia University
New York, NY — *Certificate*
SEPT 2021 — MARCH 2022
Completed with 97% average

Skidmore College
Saratoga Springs, NY — *BS*
AUG 2010 — MAY 2014
Bachelor of Science in Studio Art

Additional Coursework
SVA, NYC — Advertising
LdM, Florence, Italy —
Design & Illustration

summary

Curious and creative problem-solver transitioning to a career in tech. Strengths in frontend and backend development and experience with the MERN stack. I'm excited to leverage and grow my current skill set as part of a motivated team making the internet a better place.

projects

FRIDAY, fridayyy.co — *Frontend, UX/UI*
MAY — JUNE 2022
Created a custom theme for a Shopify store selling weekly boxes of home-made food to the Greater NYC area.

Kitchen Sink, kitchen—sink.herokuapp.com — *Backend*
MARCH 2022
Designed a NoSQL database and API using GraphQL for a user-seeded recipe sharing forum. This project was built in 10 days.

Let's Eat!, a—breezy.github.io/LetsEat — *Frontend, UX/UI*
NOVEMBER 2021
Designed the UI for a random restaurant generator based on Yelp's API, with dynamic styling. This project was built in 10 days.

experience

Verblio, Remote — *CONTRACT: Copy Editor and SEO Specialist*
FEBRUARY 2021 — PRESENT
Edited and optimized 30+ purchased blog articles and other written content per month.

Gran Tivoli, New York, NY — *Bartender*
SEPTEMBER 2019 — MARCH 2020
Mixed and served classic, contemporary, and specialty cocktails in a casual-fine dining restaurant and associated speakeasy.

The Cauldron Pub & Magical Experience, New York, NY — *Assistant General Manager*
APRIL 2019 — SEPTEMBER 2020
Managed front and back of house operations for a 2-story cocktail bar and gastropub that averaged 100-250 covers per night.

City Winery, New York, NY — *Bartender, Manager*
NOVEMBER 2014 — APRIL 2019
Mixed and served cocktails in a 400-seat concert venue and attached wine bar with extensive winelist. Beginning Oct 2018, managed the front of house operations for 500-1400 covers per night.

The Hub Soho by Superchief Gallery, New York, NY — *Operations & Events Coordinator*
DECEMBER 2015 — DECEMBER 2016
Managed social media profiles, posting at least once per day; wrote and designed all wall text for shows; organized and executed 2-4 events per month, including launches and release parties for muscians and PAPER magazine.

Lyssé, New York, NY — *Ecommerce Assistant*
JANUARY 2015 — NOVEMBER 2015
Wrote and designed 2 marketing emails per week; wrote copy for 15-30 new products and designed banner ads each launch.