

# LAUREN HEAVEY

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## SKILLS

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HTML - CSS - Javascript - jQuery - React - Redux - Redux-Sagas - Node.js - Express - AJAX  
Axios - C# - PostgreSQL - Playwright - Material UI - Bootstrap - VS Code - Figma - Postman - Git

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## PROJECTS

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**Route Around** | [Github](#) | [Live](#) February 2023 - Present

- Developed full-stack web app showcasing points of interest along train route to increase ridership & promote tourism
- Built back-end with Node.js, utilizing Express/Axios to handle requests to Mapbox API and PostgreSQL database
- Implemented React, Redux, and Redux-Sagas to manage state, and Passport to authenticate user data
- Designed responsive front-end with Figma, React and MUI, incorporating animation to enhance narrative experience

**Growth Operators** | [Github](#) | [Live](#) March 2023

- Collaborated with four developers to build a relational database and prototype Customer Data Platform for a local business consultancy to streamline intake, centralize workflow, and generate summary reports & presentations
- Led team through the software development lifecycle, practicing agile methodologies to ensure timely completion
- Built front- and back-end of intake form, client summary, & client list features using REST API architecture
- Aligned front-end UI across all app features using Bootstrap, ensuring consistent readability, usability, and appealing UX

**Cosmetic/Beauty Brand Trademark Monitor** | [Github](#) September 2023

- Currently building an app with Next.js that utilizes USPTO APIs to track and display trademark filings from cosmetics companies, providing users with a direct way to stay informed about product releases from their preferred brands
- Scoping implementation of a Playwright-based script to scrape additional updates from brand sites and social media

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**Target** **Minneapolis, MN**

*Lead HR Specialist | Merchandising* February 2022 - September 2022

- Communicated complex HR concerns clearly & empathetically with team members, leaders, and business partners in order to appropriately problem-solve and resolve/escalate issues
- Collected, analyzed, and presented Excel data on team employment & turnover rates, diversity & inclusion metrics, and survey response trends, enabling leadership to make more effective decisions in line with business needs
- Educated non-technical Workday end-users on processes ranging from basic definitions to complicated downline system impacts, growing their confidence and skill while improving team member experience

*Sr. Administrative Assistant | Learning & Development* November 2018 - February 2022

- Oversaw schedules for 2-3 Sr. Directors, enabling prioritization of commitments, organization and leader efficiency
- Collaborated with finance partners on expense process updates & review, including new reporting practices for enterprise trainings and consultation on SAP ERP system education to build clarity and streamline reconciliation processes
- As part of a committee, developed & implemented a comprehensive new Microsoft SharePoint learning solution for US-based admins to document technical knowledge, manage content & provide an equitable virtual learning experience

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## EDUCATION

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**Prime Digital Academy** **Minneapolis, MN**

*Full Stack Software Engineering Certificate* October 2022 - March 2023

**St. Catherine University** **St. Paul, MN**

*Bachelor of Arts, cum laude | International Relations, Political Science* September 2011 - May 2015