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LAUREN RIDDLE
SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

PROFILE

Before pursuing software development, I was attending college for Computer Networking. I've always had a love for problem solving and technology. While in college for Networking, I took classes on HTML, CSS, SQL, and MIT App Inventor. I found myself being drawn towards it because of the abundant possibilities for career growth, the opportunity to practice my problem solving skills, and the satisfaction of watching the code I write come to life as a working application. Coding is exactly where I need to be.

PROJECTS

Hapi - React

Inspired by a lack of resources for keeping track of the technologies used in the development of web applications, Hapi is a single page application designed to save software developers time by allowing them to create project boards where they can keep track of the APIs, ERDs, wireframes, and technologies that relate to their projects in a central repository that is quickly accessible.

Learnings:
- Implement React Bootstrap for styling cards, buttons, jumbotrons, and forms
- Use Cloudinary for photo uploads and storage
- Target an external API (The Public API for Public APIs) to generate search results and allow a user to save them
- Sharpened my skills with React, JavaScript, and JSON-Server including API fetch calls for persistent data storage.

github.com/laurenriddle/HAPI-Front-End-Capstone

EDUCATION

NASHVILLE SOFTWARE SCHOOL
Software Developer Bootcamp

VOLUNTEER STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Computer Information Technology - Networking - A.A.S.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION

NASHVILLE SOFTWARE SCHOOL
Full-Stack Software Developer (Sept 2019 - present)
Intensive full-time 6-month software development bootcamp.

- Built single page applications using React.js, JavaScript, HTML, CSS/Bootstrap, GitHub projects & issue tracking, and JSON-Server for persistent data storage in individual and team-based environments
- Enhanced soft skills through communication, conflict management, and teamwork in group projects
- Practiced planning and strategizing in individual and group projects to work towards positive project outcomes
- Cultivated problem solving skills through troubleshooting and debugging of code

GROUP PROJECTS
SOCIAL MEDIA APPLICATION

https://github.com/laurenriddle/reactive-nutshell
- Single page, CRUD application built using React, JavaScript, React Bootstrap, and leveraging JSON-Server through API fetch calls for persistent data storage
- Implemented the events component that allowed a user to create, edit, and delete new events, as well as view their friend's events
- Integrated CSS styling for the entire application

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

TATE ORNAMENTAL, INC.
Administrative Assistant (May 2017 - Sept 2019)
Company specializing in custom Millwork, Metal, and Granite fabrication for residential and commercial projects.

- Implemented use of QuickBooks to fulfill requests from employees for ETAs on materials and location of consumables and other products
- Created organizational system for paperwork and notification system to apprise project managers of materials arriving for their jobs which reduced time spent searching for material
- Spent two weeks sorting and organizing stockroom to make items quickly and easily findable for employees
- Utilized Google Drive for updating and sharing schedules to streamline editing and creation of documents
- Used Automatic Data Processing (ADP) to reconcile and adjust employee timesheets
- Collaborated with employees to find materials and implement process for submitting requisitions
- Created inventory sheet to track over 300 items weekly in the shop, saving time and money by making sure all items needed for production were constantly in stock