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Projects

Blog | Full Flex Programming   Developer

- Build a technology theme blog page hosted on a remote server.
- Built using HTML, CSS, Handlebars, Javascript, Express, JAWS DB, MySQL2, this single page application allows user to create an account, create/edit posts, and comment on other posts.
- https://github.com/levisgaragegroupinc/mvc_tech-blog

Jobs Board | Full Flex Programming
Developer

- As a team, conceptualize, design, and build an application. Chose to do a community jobs board.
- Built using HTML, CSS, Handlebars, Javascript, Express, JAWS DB, MySQL2, and Trustifi, this single page application allows providers to sign up, create a bio, define their skills, and receive job requests. Users can make requests, which are sent to the provider's email.
- https://github.com/levisgaragegroupinc/KnickKnacks

Quiz | Full Flex Programming   Developer

- Build a timed quiz that saves the users initials and score to a leader board.
- Built using HTML, CSS, JQuery, the single page application presents a question and four possible answers. The user can enter their initials at the end and see their time on a leaderboard.
- https://github.com/levisgaragegroupinc/Programming-Quiz

Weather Dashboard | Full Flex Programming   Developer

- Build a weather forecast page using the Open Weather API and match the provided design.
- Built using HTML, CSS, Open Weather API, JQuery, the single page application allows users to enter a city name and see today's weather and a five day forecast. Recent searches are saved to local storage for easy access later.
- https://github.com/levisgaragegroupinc/open-weather-app

Translation app | Full Flex Programming   Developer

- Design and build with a team a single page web application that uses two APIs.
- Built using HTML, CSS, Foundation, JavaScript, the Google Translate API, and Merriam Webster's API. The page allows users to input and translate any sentence into the desired language, as well as view the definition and synonyms of individual words.
- https://github.com/levisgaragegroupinc/translation_app/settings/pages

Professional Experience

METER Group Inc, USA   Oct 2021 - Present
Client Success Manager III   Pullman, WA
- Responsible for sales, support and client onboarding for POMETA frost forecasting service for orchard managers and growers.
- Duties included taking and processing orders, technical support, training clients on product use, support of R&D and product development and installation of gear on orchard wind machines.
- Market development is ongoing, first season focused on deployment of beta clients and launch of MVP product for user testing.

                                                                  Jan 2021 - Oct 2021
Product Owner   Pullman, WA
- Responsible for guiding development of web software platforms for environmental research and outdoor agriculture applications.
- Duties included managing sprint backlog, defining tasks descriptions and deliverables, definitions of done, collecting and distilling client feedback, user-interface design and user testing, support training of internal and international sales and support teams on product use.
- Monthly recurring revenue was $125,000 with 75% increase yoy in 2022.

                                                                  Jul 2013 - Jan 2021
Product Support Specialist   Pullman, WA
- Responsible for sales, support and client onboarding for environmental instrumentation for growers, researchers and commercial research applications.
- Duties included taking and processing orders, technical support, training clients on product use, support of product development.

                                                                  Jan 2013 - Jun 2013
Market Research Intern   Pullman, WA
- Responsible for researching competitors and go-to-market strategies for applications of soil moisture monitoring in outdoor agricultural crop production applications.
- Duties included researching all sensor instrumentation and applications available in the commercial agriculture market. Presentation of collected information to company executives and recommendations to take to the board.

                                                                  Sep 2012 - Jan 2013
Assembler   Pullman, WA
- Responsible for environmental scientific instruments including sensors for measuring soil moisture, temperature, humidity, water depth and electrical conductivity.
- Duties included working within a team to complete all aspects of environmental instrument production, testing, and ensuring finished products met QC. Aptitude for manufacturing skills including soldering, over molding, hazardous chemical handling, sensor calibration, attention to detail and process improvements.

Bates Farms Inc, USA   May 2001 - Sep 2012
Farmhand   Warden, WA
- Responsible for various aspects of farming operations with the ability to work independently and toward completion of agricultural crop applications, harvest goals and deadlines.
  Duties included creating and working in a safe operating environment with machinery and implements, including service, maintenance, and cleaning. Work as a team or independently as required to manage

irrigation machinery and water schedules. Maintain tonnage and location records for harvested crops stored in barns and other outdoor locations.

WSU Department of Animal Sciences   Jan 2010 - May 2010
Laboratory Technician   Pullman, WA
- ● Responsible for preparing and running PCR tests on project samples.
- ● Duties included preparation of DNA samples from frozen tissue, accurate lab records of all procedures, proper labeling of all samples, research DNA code database for primers that would amplify the desired areas and place orders.

METER Group Inc, USA   Jun 2008 - Oct 2008
Marketing Intern   Pullman, WA
- ● Responsible for assisting the VP of Marketing, performing tasks and projects as assigned.
- ● Duties included arranging food and meeting accommodations for scientific forums and instrument training conventions. In-house assembly and printing of forum material including book binding.

TECHNICAL SKILLS | COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- ● Technical skills include: HTML, CSS, Javascript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Node.js, Figma, Adobe Xd. As a product owner I used first Adobe Xd then Figma as the company moved to a more common platform to design features and define tasks for the development team.
- ● Community engagement includes: Colfax K-6 Science Fair Coordinator, Pullman Coats for Kids Drive Coordinator, Pullman Child Welfare website manager, BSA Volunteer. As the Coats for Kids coordinator my wife and I would team manage the collection of coats from drop-points, and assist with inspection and distribution of materials.

Education

University of Washington, Seattle WA   Expected Graduation Aug 2022
Full Stack Flex Web Development Certificate

General Assembly, Seattle WA   Apr 2017
HTML, CSS, and Web Design Circuit Certificate

Washington State University, Pullman WA   May 2010
Bachelors of Science in Animal Sciences

Big Bend Community College, Moses Lake WA   May 2005
Associate of Arts