

# LULU CAO

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## OBJECTIVE

I'm a full-stack web developer with 2 years of experiences, seeking a Software Engineer position. I'm a highly driven individual who thrives on learning and growing. I excel in setting and achieving goals, complemented by a proactive mindset to tackle challenges.

## SKILLS

Vue.js	React.js	JavaScript
Django	Express.js	TypeORM
MySQL	CSS	Docker
AWS	Heroku	Git

## EXPERIENCE

### Full Stack Developer I

**Dec 2022 – Present**

Dimensional Innovations

Overland Park, Kansas

- Implement designs for a variety of web apps with Vue.js, Electron.js, and React.js
- Develop CMS and API within each project, using Django, Admin.js, Express.js, and TypeORM
- Integrate WSS communication across multiple applications and devices
- Deploy to GitLab and Heroku and release artifacts to AWS S3

### Volunteer Full Stack Developer

**Jun 2022 – Dec 2022**

KC Digital Drive

Kansas City, Missouri

- Created an app that allows the public to report illegal trash dumping over SMS using Twilio Studio
- Created an Express server to record reports, download images, and extract EXIF data
- Improved front end using React to display and create records
- Used AWS Amplify, API Gateway, DynamoDB, Lambda, and IAM to implement authentication, enable admins to manually create records, and automatically store records

### Technical Co-Founder

**Nov 2021 – Feb 2023**

Symposia, Inc.

Remote | Iowa

- Used Ruby on Rails to create templates and manage routes
- Used CSS, Bootstrap, and JavaScript to implement product design and business logic
- Used Ruby Minitest and Heroku logs to test and debug
- Deployed to staging and production environments on Heroku

**Development Intern****Jan 2022 – Feb 2022**

Trivial, Inc.

Remote | California

- Expanded Trivial's list of supported platforms with features that allow users to communicate over Slack, view shipments from Ship&Co, and send orders to Printful stores
- Wrote tests for every new feature using the Mocha JS test framework
- Created and iterated pull requests for every new feature based on feedback
- Utilized Postman along with AWS Cloudwatch logs to test and debug new features

**Adjunct Professor of Philosophy****Jan 2022 – May 2023**

Metropolitan Community College

Kansas City, Missouri

- Created syllabi and presented diverse perspectives and arguments
- Facilitated in-class discussions and debates among high school, college, and non-traditional students
- Advised students on an individual basis for their academic work and growth
- Taught 7 classes and 170 students in total

**EDUCATION**

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| ○ Western Michigan University, Michigan | Sep 2019 – May 2021    |
| M.A. in Philosophy                      | GPA 3.95/4.00          |
| ○ Salisbury University, Maryland        | Sep 2018 – May 2019    |
| B.A. in Interdisciplinary Studies       | GPA 4.00/4.00          |
| ○ Anqing Normal University, China       | Sep 2015 – Jul 2019    |
| B.A. in English                         | (top 5%) GPA 3.62/4.00 |

**VOLUNTEER**

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| ○ Tech Talks Program Director, Kansas City Women in Technology | Dec 2023 – Present  |
| ○ Curriculum Director, Kansas City Women in Technology         | Aug 2023 – Present  |
| ○ Diversity and Inclusion Committee Co-Chair                   | Mar 2023 – Present  |
| ○ Communication Volunteer, Freelance Exchange of Kansas City   | Jul 2022 – Dec 2022 |

**CERTIFICATE**

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| ○ Girl Develop It Hackathon Winner | Nov 2021 |
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**INTERESTS**

- Volunteering
- Adventuring
- Philosophizing
- Reading