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PROJECTS

CooksBook Web App (Rails, Backbone)

A recipe sharing website in the vein of Yummly.

- Single-page Backbone app consuming RESTful JSON Rails API.
- Overrides 'parse' and 'toJSON' methods to recreate Rails-like associations on the front end.
- Index page uses custom SQL query to retrieve results in a single transaction.
- Wolfram Alpha API integration produces nutrition label based on user-entered ingredients.
- Implements facebook Authentication using OmniAuth.

TravelBucket (Rails, Angular)

Live | GitHub

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A "where-have-you-been" app with interactive map. Integrates ¡VectorMap to show/update visited countries.

Snake (Javascript)

Live | GitHub

Browser version of the arcade favorite.

Uses custom JQuery to render snake and apples.

Chess (Ruby) GitHub

Chess game written in Ruby for the Terminal.

Implements inheritance from chess-piece superclasses such as sliding pieces and diagonal-movers to DRY up code.

SKILLS

Ruby, Rails, Javascript, jQuery, Backbone.js, Git, mySQL, postgreSQL, HTML5, CSS, Angular (learning)

WORK HISTORY

Database Administrator, New York City Bar Justice Center

New York, NY - 2014

- Implemented new database to improve project data for brochures and grants, which in turn increased funding.
- Gathered requirements to fully customize database to needs of organization, learned Legal Server database system on job to accomplish this.
- Headed project using Google Analytics to direct writing topics to drive traffic.

Associate Business Analyst, AIG

New York, NY -2009-2013

- Ensured databases/websites ran according to business requirement standards
- Created reports for upper management using IT projects I helped manage.
- Customer service/tech support for internal users of intranet databases/websites
- Wrote business requirement documentation for IT projects.

EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis

B.S.B.A. Business(Entrepreneurship), 3.1 GPA, *Dean's List* – 2004-2008

App Academy(2014-2015

Admission rate <5%, 10% attrition rate -2014-2015