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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Aspiring full stack web developer/software engineer and dynamic problem solver with a background in corporate IT account management. Experience with network security, collaboration technologies, IoT, cloud & managed services, data center, and telecommunications. Exceptional interpersonal skills with the ability to collaborate and contribute in a team setting. Strong time management and organizational abilities.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

JavaScript, ES6, HTML5, CSS3, jQuery, AJAX, Node.js, React.js, Express.js, Handlebars.js, React, MySQL, Sequelize, NoSQL, MongoDB, Mongoose, Postman, Insomnia, RESTful APIs, Server Side APIs, CLIs, Bootstrap, Bulma, GitHub, Git Bash/Terminal, Visual Studio Code

PROJECTS

Take-a-Hike Group project utilizing three APIs to https://www.nps.gov/, https://openweathermap.org/ and https://developers.google.com/maps (google maps). This application allows you to search for parks to find an ideal hiking destination with information/location of each park and the relevant weather forecast.

Coding languages used: JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, jQuery, AJAX | Link: https://mbenson025.github.io/take-a-hike/

GitHub Repo: https://github.com/mbenson025/take-a-hike

Employee Management System A Command Line Interface(CLI) Application that allows a user to maintain an active employee database. Employees, roles and departments are able to be created, read, updated and deleted(CRUD) from the user's terminal.

Technology used: MySQL, JavaScript, Node.js, MySQL2, Inquirer | CLI is run by cloning the Github repo

GitHub Repo: https://github.com/mbenson025/employee-tracker

Weather Dashboard Current weather forecast with multiple API calls into https://openweathermap.org/ for a current and five day weather forecast per city searched. LocalStorage is used to generate a recently searched section that is able to be utilized as a, "quick-search" section.

Coding languages used: JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, jQuery, AJAX | Link: https://mbenson025.github.io/weather-dashboard/

GitHub Repo: https://github.com/mbenson025/weather-dashboard

EXPERIENCE

Account Manager
LaSalle Solutions/Trace3 – Chicago, IL/ Remote | November 2020 - **Present**
LaSalle Solutions acquired by Trace3 April 2022
Lead point of contact for information technology departments and account team leader. Increased hardware/software sales to 30% growth during the first calendar year. Advisor in Life Cycle Management.

Retail/Business Banker - **American Chartered/MB Financial/Fifth Third Bank** – Lake Zurich, IL | August 2016 - 2020
Consistent top performer in top 5% of regional banking sales. Helped drive multiple financial centers to lead their respective regions. Proven track record of meeting objectives related to loans/deposit growth and meeting sales targets.

EDUCATION

Certificate, Full Stack Web Developer - Northwestern University | September 2022

Bachelors Political Science - University Of Missouri | Columbia, MO | May 2016 | University of Missouri Men's Lacrosse Team | Phi Kappa Psi