Melissa Guachun

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Software Engineer

Software engineer with demonstrated history of working with Ruby, Sinatra, Ruby on Rails, Javascript, SQL, and React/Redux. With a background in fine arts, I bring strong illustrative and analytical skills to tech with a compelling desire to build projects that are functionally intuitive and visually striking. Actively looking for an environment that fosters growth and values mentorship so I may contribute the greatest impact to my team. I strive to be the connection between the technical world of coding and the visual aesthetics of fine art to create functional yet visually stunning projects.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient in Ruby, Rails, Sinatra, SQL, JavaScript, React, Redux Adept in Object Oriented Programming, RESTful API's CRUD operations, and MVC frameworks.

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

TicketTracker - Github |

Concert and live event tracker equipped with searchable listings and tools for compiling relevant notes.

- Constructed a React-Redux front end application and a Rails backend API to log concerts and notes
- Utilized asynchronous functions and redux-thunk middleware to streamline the process of sending/receiving data from a server
- Obtains Redux middleware to respond to modified state change and avoid bloated code

My Record Wishlist - Github |

SPA features a self composed API to document and collate wishlists for record buying.

- Communicated with self made RESTful API to store and render albums and artist information
- Engineered user interface using JavaScript, CSS, HTML and improved user experience with responsive design techniques

Gallery Space - Github |

A fine art library where users curate their own art gallery, post comments, and learn about art from around the world.

- Utilized BCrypt password hashing with user validations to prevent data breaches and protect user information
- Incorporated Omniauth for third party client handling through Google for effortless user authentication
- Organized database with ActiveRecord Query methods to deliver data to the user by their specifications

EXPERIENCE

MelGuachunArt

Queens, New York 06/2014 - Present

Small Business Owner/Freelancer

- Single handedly developed, designed, and produced fine art for clients and merchandise for mass production
- Monitored inventory and profits while stabilizing prices of listings and reducing middleman involvement for higher profits
- Collaborated with clients from a variety of backgrounds to deliver unique products within set deadlines
- Demonstrated correspondence with clients to ensure quality control of products sold while securing networking connections

EDUCATION

Flatiron School

Online, Part Time

Full Stack Web Development, Ruby on Rails and JavaScript program

01/ 2021 - 10/2021

CUNY Hunter CollegeBachelor of Arts, English, Literature, and Composition

New York, NY 01 /2017 - 05/ 2020