Michael Boling

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Education

Missouri State University, Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Minor in Mathematics

Aug 2021 – May 2024 Springfield, MO

• Cumulative GPA: 3.58/4.0 | Honors: Cum Laude, Dean's List (4 semesters)

Skills

- Programming Languages & Frameworks: C, C++, C#, Java, JavaScript, Python, SQL, Spring Boot, React, REST APIs
- Front-End & UI Design: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Tailwind CSS.
- Database, Tools & Platforms: MSSQL Server, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Selenium, Visual Studio Code, Visual Studio, Maven, Git/GitHub, Linux (Ubuntu, WSL), Windows.

Project Experience

Web Development - Personal Portfolio Website

Jan 2025

- Developed a responsive portfolio website using React.js and Tailwind CSS, featuring an interactive algorithm visualization system for searching and pathfinding algorithms.
- Implemented UI components with CSS3 animations and client-side form validation to enhance user experience.
- Optimized performance across devices while maintaining smooth animations and fast load times.
- Live Site: https://michaelboling.com | Code Repo: github.com/michaelboling777/Michael_PortfolioWebsite

Web Development - Login Project

Mar 2024 - Apr 2024

- Planned and led development of a Spring Boot login web application, integrating front-end technologies and ensuring functionality and quality through structured testing.
- Implemented MySQL integration with Spring Data JPA for secure user authentication and role-based access control.
- Optimized the system to process 1,000 simultaneous login requests, including 500 valid and 500 invalid, with 100% precision and minimal latency during a 10-second ramp-up.
- Tested 50 input scenarios, ensuring web server accuracy, response times within 1-2ms, and security.
- Code Repo: github.com/michaelboling777/loginDemo

Software Engineering - Custom Game Engine and Editor

Aug 2023 - Dec 2023

- Created a 2D game engine and editor as part of a team using Object-Oriented Programming principles, integrating art, terrain, characters, and collision detection, while learning new game development techniques.
- Coordinated project management for 5 scrolling backgrounds, adding features to enhance system architecture and gameplay.
- Designed a system with default 12-frame animations for 2D game characters, including idle, running, and jumping, customizable for different visuals and actions.
- Created a grid system that adapts to screen sizes, supporting over 1,000 grid cells, achieving efficient element placement and smooth performance.
- Demo: youtu.be/ehZlIvxbd8U | Code Repo: github.com/michaelboling777/450proj

Work History

Delivery Driver, Domino's - Nixa, MO

Oct 2018 - Aug 2022

• Developed strong communication and customer service skills while maintaining high academic performance as a working college student.