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SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript, Python, C++ Frontend: HTML / CSS, React, Redux, ChakraUI, Formik, BootStrap, jQuery

Other: Git, Heroku, NodeJS, Docker Backend: PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Express, Sequelize, Flask, SQLAlchemy, AWS S3

PROJECTS

Jaunts | (React, Redux, PostgreSQL, Flask, SQLAlchemy, Selenium, AWS S3, Mapbox API)

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- Integrated Mapbox API to display trail route data and for user functionality such as dragging and dropping photos where they occurred on the trail.
- Utilized Selenium and Chrome WebDriver scripts to scrape information from the web for realistic seed data.
- Leveraged AWS S3 for user photo storage to optimize server load and routing.

Sketch It | (React, Redux, PostgreSQL, Sequelize, Express, Node, PixiJS)

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- Incorporated the PixiJS WebGL library to render user drawings in real time.
- Reduced the SQL relational database memory usage through efficient storage of image data into flattened cartesian arrays.
- Provided security to user accounts through authenticated routes and Bcrypt password hashing.

Fox Forest | (Express, Node, PixiJS, Socket.io)

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- Developed a 2D platform game and engine written in pure Javascript.
- Implemented engine features such as: Authoritative Client-Server Architecture, Trigger/Condition/Action System, Finite State Machine AI, and various Broad/Narrow phase collision culling and detection techniques.
- Incorporated the PixiJS rendering library to create a camera capable object tracking and parallax layers, and an asset loader to load level data from JSON files.

Tiledit | (jQuery, Express, Node, PixiJS)

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- Designed a tile map editor that game developers can use to create 2D tile based levels.
- Utilized an auto-tile algorithm that determines the shape of fill tiles and the border masks/overlays required.
- Implemented layer scaling, offsetting, and parallax directly into the editor to decrease level development time.

Scratch.io | (React, Redux, PostgreSQL, Flask, SQLAlchemy, Chakra, Formik, WTForms)

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- Engineered an extensive RESTful API back-end that maximized the precision of AJAX queries made from the front-end.
- Spearheaded data validation and entry using Chakra and Formik on the front-end and WTForms on the back-end.

Remember the Whey | (Pug.is, PostgreSQL, Sequelize, Express, NodeJS)

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- Rapidly prototyped a front-end using the Pug templating engine to create a pixel perfect clone of RememberTheMilk.com
- Introduced an enhanced UX / UI through intuitive drag and drop features, data entry, and additional animations.

Vector Graphics Animator | (C++, FLTK, OpenGL)

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- Created a program where users can create animations using vector graphics and frame tweening.
- Implemented a scene graph data structure, which is a node tree where each node holds a vector polygon and pointers to its sub-nodes; transformations are applied to a node and all its sub-nodes.
- Designed so that any frame where a transformation occurs becomes a key frame and intermediate frames are linearly interpolated during playback.

EDUCATION