Mike Sandula

Software Engineer

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EXPERIENCE

Dictionary.com — Oakland, Calif. (remote)

Staff Software Engineer

April 2023 through present

- Switched teams to be part of rebuilding and redesigning Dictionary.com and Thesaurus.com websites, going from multiple applications comprised of various tech stacks to a single, isomorphic React application
- Wrote integration for Storyblok's Headless CMS to populate homepage data modules
- Developed in-house design system in tandem with design team using Figma and Style Dictionary
- Established design patterns and best coding practices for frontend team
- Led software architecture rounds for interviewing engineering candidates
- Won company Hackathon for co-writing a word puzzle game ("Ghost")

Senior Software Engineer

August 2021 through April 2023

- Collaborated with product, design, backend, and machine learning teams on Grammar Coach writing tool
- Implemented WebSockets to enhance the UX and performance of Grammar Coach editor
- Migrated Grammar Coach codebase to TypeScript and introduced Redux Toolkit

Great Lakes Consulting Services, Inc. – Livonia, Mich.

Software Developer

January 2019 through July 2021

- Developed and managed a React with Redux (TypeScript) frontend of an end-to-end budget forecasting application for Trinity Health's budget team
- Designed an internal dashboard application utilizing Dash/Flask (Python)
- Facilitated the onboarding and training of junior engineers and interns

Logicdrop - Ferndale, Mich.

Software Developer

April 2016 through December 2018

- Developed multiple websites and web apps for various clients using cutting-edge frontend frameworks such as Angular 2+, React and Vue
- Led frontend development for Logicdrop's Studio Platform, a tool for enterprise-level document automation with a drag-and-drop template editor
- Collaborated with backend team to integrate Rest APIs using RxJS observables
- Implemented functionality for importing Excel spreadsheets and .CSV files into editable data tables

EDUCATION

Grand Circus — **Detroit**, **Mich.**

March 2016

• JavaScript Developer Bootcamp

Oakland University - Rochester, Mich.

December 2010

- Bachelor of Arts in Journalism
- GPA 3.6
- Cum Laude with departmental honors

CERTIFICATIONS

Amazon Web Services

February 2024

• AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner (CLF-Co2)

SKILLS

Agile/Scrum	Figma	Jira	React.js

Angular Git/GitHub/GitLab Next.js Redux/Redux Toolkit

CSS3/LESS/SCSS GraphQL Node.js Vue.js
Cypress/Jest HTML5 Prettier Webpack
ESLint JavaScript/TypeScript Python (Dash/Flask) WebSockets