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My experience in the hospitality industry taught me valuable skills that are too often missing in the tech sector like interpersonal relationship building and team leadership. But customer service lacked the kind of career growth I was looking for and wasn't fulfilling creatively or intellectually. Software development allows me to help my team by utilizing my analytical skills as well as my ability to collaborate and think outside-the-box. It's an industry I knew I was home in immediately. Working with a startup alongside an incredibly talented development team has allowed me to deepen my skill set and rapidly accelerate my growth as a full-stack developer.

TECHNICAL SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

Languages	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Javascript• C#	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• CSS3• Git	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SQL• HTML5
Front-end Technologies & Methodologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• React.js• Redux• Ant Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bootstrap 2+• SCSS/ LESS• Mustache	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• JQuery• Razor
Back-end Technologies & Methodologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• .NET Framework/ Core• MVC• Entity Framework• Identity Framework	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fluent Migrator• Automapper• Sitefinity• In-house CMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Node.js• REST/ Agile• Webforms/ Winforms• ASP.NET/ ADO.NET

NOTABLE PROJECTS

International Furniture Sales Web Application

C# | SQL | Javascript | .NET Framework

- Architected customer service and business management application facilitating day to day operations for international client who fulfills hundreds of orders daily through major online retailers such as Amazon and Walmart.
- Agile development process through direct client feedback and communications.
- Integration with existing Winforms application suite and SQL databases.
- Solution includes user and inventory management, file uploading, API integration, intra-office todo tasking and communications, and customer emailing.

SaaS Mediation Web Application

React.js | Redux | Ant Design | C# | .NET Core

- Developed SaaS solution to facilitate legal mediation utilizing an Agile development process.
- Functional component design, utilizing React Hooks and React Redux
- .NET Core Restful API layer integrating with Stripe web hooks, and a SQL database built with Code-First Entity Framework and Fluent Migrator
- Solution includes drag and drop interfacing, Stripe payment processing, Google and Microsoft calendar integration, note taking, user and firm management tools, reporting, and document uploading, sharing and management.

Business Analyst

- Business Analyst on multiple hundred thousand dollar software proposals tasked with project documentation and documenting client meetings.
- Project documentation includes Statement of Work proposals with database design and software architecture overview.
- Proposals include Agile, wire-framed examples to facilitate solution design and functionality with direct client feedback.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Switchbox Inc – Columbus, OH
Software Developer

August 2018 – Present

- Develop full-stack software solutions to help clients meet business demands
- Engage with clients to help them determine their software needs
- Manage software repositories to maintain clean, organized code-bases
- Deploy software and monitor client feedback/ communications
- Write maintainable, clean code and easy to manage pull-requests to facilitate a smooth team workflow
- Manage and maintain solutions utilizing multiple frameworks and methodologies from Winforms, Webforms, and SQL Stored Procedure codebases to React.js, .NET Core and our in-house .NET CMS.

Tomato Grill – Hudson, OH
Waiter / Bartender

August 2013 – January 2018

- Valued and trusted team leader
- Fostered relationships that built sales and frequently requested by regulars and newer guests
- Experienced time manager and articulate communicator

Chipotle Mexican Grill – Kent, OH
Service Manager

August 2004 – February 2009

- Responsible for day to day operations at multi-million dollar franchise, promoted from Prep-Cook and Trainer to Service Manager
- Tasked with employee development through monthly evaluations
- Responsible for managing store inventory including ordering and accountability

EDUCATION

Tech Elevator – Cleveland, OH
2018 – Present

January

14-week course focused on developing dynamic web-based applications. Studied OOP and TDD within the .NET Framework in C# while personally studying Discrete Mathematics including Set Theory, Graph Theory, Number Theory, and algorithms and analysis.

University of Akron – Akron, OH
December 2004

January 2003 –

B.A. of Fine Arts; Minor in Photography; Dean's List; Learned the importance of group-critique and critical analysis.

Cleveland Institute of Art – Cleveland, OH
1999 – July 2002

September

Studied under some of the biggest names in the design industry where I learned to develop an eye for detail and the importance of the marriage of form and function.

PERSONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND HOBBIES

- Exhibited work for a juried competition as a [photographer](#) at Summit Art Space in Akron
- Avid volleyball player focused on teamwork and individual excellence
- Talented self-taught cook who loves to create new recipes and occasionally brings them to work!
- Bicyclist who rode more than a century a week last summer
- Self-taught Spanish learner over the course of 2 years. Achieved level 22 / 25 in Spanish fluency with the Duolingo application