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## Top Skills

NodeJS  
Ruby on Rails  
Linux

## Certifications

Full Stack Developer

## Technical Skills

|         |            |
|---------|------------|
| Java    | Ruby/Rails |
| HTML    | SCSS/CSS   |
| Python  | C#         |
| NodeJS  | MySQL      |
| MongoDB | Postgresql |
| Linux   | Bootstrap  |

## Education

NEXT Academy | SEA's Best Coding/ Digital Marketing School  
Full-Stack Development, Computer Programming · (2018 - 2019)  
Rails based full-stack course.

South Florida State College  
Associate of Arts - AA, General Studies · (2006 - 2008)

Colorado Technical University  
Bachelors- Business Administration (2011 - 2013)

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Gastronomic LLC  
Freelance Full-stack Developer  
February 2019 - Present  
Orlando, Florida

### **github.com/nextbendev/NodeDemo**

App for student/ teacher class scheduling  
Built using NodeJS and MongoDB

### **github.com/nextbendev/overtime-app**

Rails app for tracking overtime  
Devise based user setup

### **www.favves.com**

Lead developer  
C#, nodeJS  
Updating site layout and U/I

### **Pegatrip - Final Project**

#### **github.com/nextbendev/nextProject**

Front end HTML & SCSS  
Set up user system  
API integration  
Built using Rails

## NEXT PORTFOLIO

Front end project- HTML & CSS  
github.com/nextbendev/FirstProject

Tic-tac-toe- HTML/CSS/JS  
github.com/nextbendev/RickTacToe

Guessing Game- HTML/CSS/JS  
github.com/nextbendev/guessingGame

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Full-Stack Developer

All my life I've been interested in science and technology; I love building things and finding out how they work. I first learned HTML code around 1999-2000 on Geocities, where I learned how to manipulate a code to personalize a page with a large number of other Xennials like myself. I found the resources online and continued my education after a long break in the beginning of 2017.

I enrolled in a beginners Java course and really enjoyed the structure and methodology of coding; so I dug deeper with a HTML course. My next classes were cyber security related courses before I decided to go to a full time full-stack school in Asia in November 2018. The full-stack course was a lot of hard work and one of the most intensive things I've done but I came out with a solid knowledge for building apps.

My class graduated in March and I'm looking to keep building on what I know. If you visit [www.nextbendev.github.io](http://www.nextbendev.github.io) I've highlighted my strengths and more information. Since I've been out of school I've been building on my knowledge and keeping my skills sharp through projects. I have a strong understanding of Ruby on Rails, HTML, CSS, Javascript and currently learning NodeJS more in depth before I switch to Go(Lang).

In conclusion, I think that my background and skillsets have prepared me to be a successful contributing team member in an organisation like yours. No one will work harder for you than me. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Best regards,

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