Nick Abate

FULL STACK SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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PROFILE

Self-taught developer turned bootcamp graduate and former CPA. Passionate about learning modern tech skills and creative problem solving. Looking to meet business demands with innovative solutions and collaborative efforts, while applying web best practices to create efficient & scalable code.

LANGUAGES & SKILLS

HTML, CSS, Sass, JavaScript, React, Axios, Document Object Model (DOM) APIs, User Authentication, OAuth, Firebase, Netlify

Node, Express, MySQL, REST APIs, Heroku

Agile/Scrum Collaborative Development, Jest, Git, GitHub, Jira, Visual Studio Code

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering Bootcamp Teaching Assistant | BrainStation *FEB 2023 - MAY 2023, FULL-TIME CONTRACT (REMOTE)*

- Assisted educators with teaching full stack engineering skills to students with live code walkthroughs, whiteboarding sessions and hackathon guidance.
- Conducted peer code review and project grading, guiding on industry best practices through constructive feedback and personalized mentoring sessions.
- Selected from a former cohort of 30 BrainStation graduates to guide future bootcamp sessions based on academic performance and classroom presence.

Self-Taught Web Developer | PORTFOLIO

JAN 2022 - CURRENT

- Designed and implemented full stack web applications based on user stories, with functional interfaces for mobile-first fully responsive web designs.
- Develop projects with modern web frameworks, built and tested RESTful APIs.

PROJECTS

GLUCOAST | GitHub Link

BrainStation Capstone Project - VIEW A LIVE DEMO VIA LOOM VIDEO HERE

 Developed a viewport responsive React application including dynamic data visualization, utilizing an Express.js server with CRUD functionality. All-in-one dashboard utility app to assist diabetics with managing their glucose levels.

EDUCATION

Software Engineering Diploma | BrainStation

NOV 2022 - FEB 2023, TORONTO, ON (REMOTE)

- 12 week intensive program featuring software engineering foundations, full stack project development, agile methodologies, DevOps and deployment.
- Translated mockups and high fidelity Figma wireframes to fully functioning responsive web applications through weekly sprints and scrums.
- 95% cumulative average across all units upon program completion.

PAST EXPERIENCE

Senior Staff Accountant | Chaggares & Bonhomme CPA

NOV 2020 - NOV 2022, NEWMARKET, ON (HYBRID)

- Implemented and documented accounting controls, policies and procedures of profit and not-for-profit entities to improve regulation compliance.
- Conducted technical research, mentored junior staff and instructed in technical training to improve workflow requirements and engagement turnover time.

Senior Accountant | Deloitte LLP

DEC 2019 - NOV 2020, TORONTO, ON (HYBRID)

- Planned and executed assurance engagements with businesses operating on a global scale to meet regulatory requirements and investor demands.
- Documented understandings of business processes and internal controls for creation of technical memos and audit procedures to improve audit flow.

CPA Designation | Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada SEPT 2014 - MAY 2016, TORONTO, ON

B.B.A. with Distinction | University of Guelph-Humber

SEPT 2009 - APR 2013, TORONTO, ON