NICOLE MASHIAN
FULL STACK ENGINEER

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▸ Highly skilled in writing clean, testable code
▸ Quick learner of new languages and frameworks
▸ Approach every challenge with a positive and determined attitude
▸ Creativity, strong attention to detail, and friendly demeanor would prove valuable on any team of motivated individuals

Education

University of California, Los Angeles — 2013-2017
▸ Bachelor of Science, Cognitive Science | Specialization in Computing
▸ Grade Point Average: 3.97
▸ Summa Cum Laude | Phi Beta Kappa | Dean's Honors

Technologies

▸ **Front-end:** JavaScript | React | Redux | Enzyme | jQuery | HTML5 | CSS3
▸ **Back-end:** Node.js | Express | MongoDB | PostgreSQL | Mocha | Chai | Python
▸ **Dev Tools:** Git | GitHub | Heroku | Travis CI

Projects

Pawfiles - *Fun, convenient way to keep track of your pet's medical records and memorable moments*
▸ Built a React front-end UI with responsive and connected components, using Redux state management to handle user-specific data
▸ Engineered a RESTful Node API with an Express framework to process and store user input in a MongoDB database
▸ Implemented JWT-based authentication that assigns and validates JSON Web Tokens to persist user sessions, using bcrypt.js and Passport.js to encrypt and retrieve passwords

Jewish Blessings - *Alexa skill that allows users to ask for various Jewish blessings and after-blessings*
▸ Wrote an AWS Lambda function in Python to handle user requests and server responses
▸ Implemented a complex Python dictionary that allows users to invoke the skill and ask Alexa for Jewish blessings and after-blessings on foods, drinks, holidays, and various occasions
▸ Published and live in the Amazon Alexa Skills Store

Professional Experience

Full Stack Engineer — *NikMash Creations* — February 2017 - Present
▸ Highly skilled in building, designing, and deploying mobile-first responsive full-stack apps in the MERN stack using industry best practices and practical software development standards
▸ Experience working in a fast-paced, test-driven environment with CI/CD
▸ Collaborated with junior and senior engineers to develop unique products

Graphic Designer — *UCLA Political Science Department* — October 2014 - June 2017
▸ Worked closely with faculty, graduate students, and guest speakers to design flyers, posters, and brochures advertising special lectures and seminars

Research Assistant— *UCLA Human Perception Laboratory* — October 2015 - December 2016
▸ Designed and executed several experiments to examine the effects of different spacing schedules on retention of learned information