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Recent Projects

RetroBox (Ruby on Rails, React.js/Redux, PostgreSQL, AWS, CSS) A single page video hosting app inspired by YouTube

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- Optimized the load on the PostgreSQL database and increased responsivity by sending the AJAX requests for likes and subscriptions when the user leaves the page
- Implemented a LRU Cache middleware to reduce number of requests to the server.
- Utilized polymorphic association for likes on comments and videos for DRY code.
- Uploaded videos to AWS S3 by using Paperclip gem and FFMPEG transcoder buildpack

Dungeoness Crab (Javascript, HTML, CSS) A roque-like dungeon crawling game built on JavaScript

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- Created a global leaderboard and saved individual user data by implementing Firebase
- Utilized Easel.js to utilize the canvas HTML element in a more object oriented fashion
- Utilized Preload.js to ensure assets were loaded to create a seamless user experience

TGauge (Ruby)
TGauge is a lightweight MVC / ORM gem

GitHub

- Utilized the Thor gem in order to build out a CLI interface that allowed for the automatic generation of the project's folders including the folders for a React.js project if needed.
- Bundled the project into a ruby gem that can be downloaded and used by any user

Professional Experience

Tower Research Capital

Technical Implementation Manager Junior IT Project Manager New York, NY Nov 2015 - May 2016 Sept 2014 - Nov 2015

- Scripted a modular application that streamlined the rack elevation design process and power calculations that is being used globally by the project management team
- Developed the design and implementation of a hardware networking system that reduced the latency from exchange switches to the client's server down to 2% of the original time

Wind Turbine and Energy Cables

Fort Lee, NJ

Engineering Associate

Jan 2014 - May 2014

 Saved the company approximately 200 to 300 hours of labor per week by creating various scripts and macros to optimize and automate data entry and data analytics using VBA

Science Research Workshop

Evanston, IL

Undergraduate Teaching Fellow

Sep 2011 - Mar 2013

 Lead a workshop to help students receive the Undergraduate Research Grant, which has an acceptance rate of 20% where 100% of my students was able to receive the grant

Skills		Academic Experience
Ruby / Rails	JavaScript	Northwestern University - Evanston, IL
React.js	Redux	B.S. in Biomedical Engineering - Awarded March 2013
AWS	SQL / PostgreSQL	Curriculum Highlights: Linear Algebra, Statistics, CS
Heroku	HTML5/CSS3	App Academy - New York, NY
Git	jQuery	Fullstack Development - Graduated November 2016
RSpec		1000-hour full-stack web bootcamp with < 3% acceptance rate
		Studied object oriented design in Ruby and modern web
		development
		with Rails, SQL, JS, TDD, algorithms, and design patterns