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SUMMARY

Full Stack Developer with a background in Hospitality, Recreation Therapy, and Psychology. Known for strong attention to detail, communication and ability to adapt to new environments. Works very well under pressure and takes pride in dedication to accomplish goals and tasks in a timely manner. Excellent time management skills as well as communication skills and ability to work with others and collaborate on projects. Graduate of Coding: Full Stack Web Development Certificate through UNC Charlotte.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

HTML5 | CSS3 | JavaScript | jQuery | ES6+ | SQL | NoSQL | GitHub | MongoDB | MySQL | Heroku | ReactJS | NodeJS | TypeScript | Express | Handlebars | Mongoose | Sequelize | ORM | REST | AJAX | JSON | Bootstrap | Materialize | Material-UI |

PROJECTS

Pour It Up!

2021

GitHub: https://github.com/nsc9605/Pour_It_Up

Deployed Link: <https://www.pour-it-up.herokuapp.com>

- Full MERN-stack app that helps assist those at-home bartenders in training with drink ingredients, preparations, glass, and more! Type in an ingredient you have at the house and all drinks available in the API will be displayed.
- Using Google Firebase as authorization, when you save a cocktail to favorites it is linked to your google account, navigate to the favorites page and all will be listed. When finished, you can delete a cocktail.
- Styling utilized through Material-UI
- Tools: MongoDB, Express, React, Node.js, Axios, TheCocktailDB API, Google Firebase, Javascript, Material-UI, HTML5, CSS3

Move Those Buns!

2021

GitHub: https://github.com/nsc9605/Move_Those_Buns

Deployed Link: <https://move-those-buns.herokuapp.com/>

- A workout tracker that allows a user to view, create, and track daily workouts by logging multiple exercises on a given day.
- Handle routing to connect local and shared MongoDB using Atlas and Heroku
- Going through each provided frontend file to understand what is going on before starting to create the backend.
- Tools: MongoDB, Express, Morgan, Mongoose, Javascript, Bootstrap, HTML5, CSS3, Node.js

Burger Boss

2021

GitHub: <https://github.com/nsc9605/Burger-Boss>

Deployed Link: <https://burger-boss-catapano.herokuapp.com/>

- Burger Boss is an application that follows the MVC design pattern to create, update, and delete burgers from a list using Node, Express, Handlebars, MySQL and ORM.
- Responsible for creating, implementing and deploying app from scratch
- Connecting MySQL both locally and through JawsDB for deploying to heroku
- Tools: MySQL, MVC, handlebars, Express, ORM, Node.js, Javascript, Bootstrap, HTML5, CSS3, Node.js

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Coding: Full Stack Web Development Certificate

Oct 2020 - Apr 2021

Charlotte, NC

A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, Node Js, MongoDB, Express, Handlebars.js & ReactJS.

University of North Carolina at Wilmington

Recreation Therapy (B.A.)

Aug 2009 - Dec 2013

Wilmington, NC

Trained to utilize recreation activities and other active treatment modalities to increase the functional abilities and quality of life of people of all ages with disabilities and illnesses. Work to address clients' adjustment to illness/disability and education for a new lifestyle.

EXPERIENCE

Career Acceleration Program - Full Stack Developer

Minos Labs

May 2021 - Present

Summary: Complete a 6-week training period with an extensive curriculum and access to a library of educational content spanning development, cybersecurity, and data science. Attended the Career Acceleration Program for Full-Stack development focusing on implementation of Stripe and Plaid APIs. Develop Full-Stack web application dedicated for financial services integration using Java, AngularJS, VueJS, and ReactJS

Key Accomplishments:

- Participated in daily meetings on progress, Scrum meetings for ad-hoc changes, and IT Stakeholder meetings to ensure deliverables
- Construct User Stories and perform System Integration Testing / User Acceptance Testing (UAT) with stakeholders and team of 5 developers working within SDLC to ensure quality and consistency were reflected during testing scenario cycles prior to go-live
- Supported review of legacy code to understand systems to update while debugging code base, implemented in ongoing development
- Collaborate on cross-functional development with back-end and front-end developers to ensure product development was functional, secure, and met data governance standards for successful completion for project go-live.

Bartender

Ulysses Folk House

Sep 2017 - Mar 2020

New York, NY

Summary: Handling a very fast paced environment catering to high-end clientele and specifically to those working on Wall Street and the NY Stock Exchange. This is a very busy bar for after work drinks as well as late night when other bars close. Maintaining a great workflow throughout the night even in the very late hours.

Key Accomplishments:

- Staying calm and confident during very busy and stressful shifts while making sure those customers that were there already are still enjoying their time.
- Excellent time-management and money-management skills.
- Engaging with customers and regulars while making bulk drink orders, ensuring each person is valuable.
- Responsible for end of day reports and managing a very large bank that adds up at the end of each shift.

Recreation Therapy Intern

Bay Pines VA Hospital

Aug 2013- Dec 2013

St. Petersburg, FL

Summary: Facilitate Veterans in the Mental Health 28-day inpatient and outpatient Substance Abuse Program as and the 90-day Vocational Rehabilitation Program for veterans to adjust back to daily responsibilities before being discharged. Lead activities to improve patient's quality of life and help get them adjusted and ready to go back into the community. Computerized Patient Record System (CPRS) to chart patient notes on behavior, health, issues, etc.

Key Accomplishments:

- Facilitate a patient in the process of taking the bus to her new housing to prepare her to handle the process of going to and from for appointments to ensure she could still handle her treatment.