# Ryan Oliver

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Experienced Full Stack Software Engineer with over 5 years of expertise in diverse technologies, ranging from small-scale website development to Fortune 100 company projects. Demonstrated proficiency in all phases of the software development lifecycle, specializing in full-stack JavaScript/TypeScript. Seeking an opportunity to expand my abilities, utilizing my skills in identifying problems and finding innovative solutions, while contributing to a strong team culture.

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Full Stack Software Engineer II, Northwestern Mutual**

Jul 2020 - Present

- Played a pivotal role in the end-to-end development, maintenance, and improvement of full-stack applications, leveraging a technology stack comprising TypeScript, Node.js, React, GraphQL, and PostgreSQL
- Created a GraphQL microservice functioning as a Backend-For-Frontend, optimizing data retrieval by handling all API
  requests from the UI application, removing 6+ API dependencies, greatly increasing reliability and performance by
  improving load times and user experience
- Working with technologies such as Jest and React Testing Library, added comprehensive unit and UI tests to improve coverage by over 16%
- As a crucial part of a highly performing agile team, united with product managers and users to facilitate continuous delivery of valuable features and enhancements, while allowing for rapidly changing requirements
- Key contributor in constructing and maintaining GitLab CI/CD pipelines across 8+ project repositories, ensuring a streamlined and efficient software delivery process
- Collaborated on and contributed to a diverse range of project repositories across multiple organizations within the company, actively adding crucial features and resolving bugs across at least 15 project repositories

#### **Full Stack Software Engineer, GMR Marketing**

Jul 2019 - May 2020

- As part of a 5-person team, was key in the development and enhancement of a cross-browser comprehensive staff management system used to plan and execute live events on a global scale
- Leveraging expertise in technologies like React/Redux, TypeScript, JavaScript, MongoDB, C#, and .NET Core, actively
  contributed to all facets of the development lifecycle
- Actively worked together with customers and stakeholders, taking their requirements and turning them into actionable development plans

#### Web Developer, Revilo Projects Inc

Aug 2018 - Jul 2019

- Completed a comprehensive front-end redesign initiative for a live e-commerce site undergoing ownership changes, increasing sales by over 20%
- Utilizing the 3dCart content management system platform, enriched functionality, refined the user interface (UI), and enhanced the overall customer-facing user experience (UX) through the strategic application of technologies such as JavaScript, HTML, CSS, and APIs

## **SKILLS**

Languages: JavaScript ES6/TypeScript (Proficient), CSS/SCSS/SASS, HTML, SQL, C#

**Technologies**: NodeJS, React, Redux, ExpressJS, Jest, NPM, GraphQL, RESTful APIs, Git, Gitlab CI/CD, AWS, Atlassian Suite, Jira, Confluence, Slack, Kibana, Microsoft Office

## **EDUCATION**

Full Stack Software Engineering Apr 2018 - Aug 2018 devCodeCamp, Milwaukee, WI