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Software Engineer with a background in Philosophy — committed to a growth mindset, passionate about lifelong learning, and obsessed with writing code to develop creative solutions and maximize efficiency.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript, Java, C++, HTML, CSS, SCSS, SQL, Bash
Frameworks: React, Express JS, Bootstrap, Node.js
Tools: Git, Github, Visual Studio, Eclipse, Maven, mySQL, postgreSQL, MongoDB, Heroku, Firebase, Redux, Swagger, Jest, Socket.IO, Amazon Web Services - S3, Lambda, Elastic Beanstalk, RDS, DynamoDB

PROJECTS

ShowMe - showmethemovies.netlify.app | github.com/Team-Espresso/ShowMe
April 2021
- Web app for discovering movies and creating a watchlist with comments and ratings
- React, Express, MongoDB, Node.js, TMDB API, Axios, SuperAgent, Auth0, Bootstrap

NYT Scraper - scrapethenewyorktimes.herokuapp.com | github.com/peterjast/scraper
May 2019
- Scrapes the New York Times website and allows users to save articles and add notes
- JavaScript, React, Express, MongoDB, Node.js, Axios, Express-Handlebars, Cheerio

InspirationHub - inspirationhub.github.io/inspiration-hub | github.com/InspirationHub/inspiration-hub
March 2021
- Provides users with a place to post inspirational quotes and discover new ones
- JavaScript, Axios, QuoteGarden API, HTML, CSS

EXPERIENCE

RealSelf, Seattle, WA - Software Development Engineer
June 2021 - PRESENT
- Efficiently deployed and integrated software as a member of the User Engagement team
- Refactored existing code base to enhance performance

Apprenti, Seattle, WA - Software Engineer Apprentice
January 2021 - PRESENT
- Built server-side and client-side applications using architectures and frameworks that promote maintainability, scalability, and collaboration
- Adhered to industry best practices and patterns
- Applied Computer Science fundamentals in analyzing the trade-offs between competing solutions when choosing algorithms, JavaScript coding patterns, and practices

Agate Restaurant, Bainbridge Island, WA - Bartender
October 2018 - March 2020
- Played an integral role in the opening of a new restaurant, including the development of beverage menus, employee standards, and general operation procedures
- Helped generate up to $10,000 in daily revenue through knowledgeable and hospitable interaction with guests

EDUCATION

Code Fellows, Seattle, WA

June 2021

- Certificate - Advanced Software Development in Full-Stack JavaScript

University of Washington, Seattle, WA

December 2019

- Bachelor of Arts - Philosophy

University of Washington, Seattle, WA

June 2019

- Certificate - Full-Stack Web Development