# Rashawn Raiford

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#### PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Microsoft Certified Professional C# Software Developer with around 5 years of experience in software development. Passionate about designing an applications user interface and building a backend database using technologies like, JavaScript, React, and MySQL. Skilled analytical problem-solver with the ability to quickly learn new technologies. Excellent communication and interpersonal skills with the ability to work independently and as a highly motivated team player. Eager to learn new technologies and gain new skills.

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Languages: C#, VB.NET, SQL

Web Development: HTML5, CSS, Javascript, Bootstrap, ASP.Net MVC

Javascript Libraries: jQuery, React.js, Node.js Databases: Microsoft SQL Server, MongoDB, MySQL

Applications: Visual Studio, Github, Azure TFVC, Visual Studio Code, Heroku

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Software Developer
TaxSlayer, LLC
August 2015 – Present
Augusta, Georgia

Implemented new features requested by product stakeholders while maintaining and enhancing legacy projects

- Increased customer acquisition by converting our internal tax return conversion application to a customer facing application using C#, WPF
- Improved customer employee KPI tracking by developing a goals feature for our Taxslayer Pro web application ASP.NET MVC, C#, VB, SQL, HTML5, CSS, jQuery, JavaScript
- Nominated for Outstanding Contributor Award for being a strong contributor and leader for the team while performing tasks at a high level.

#### **PROJECTS**

Farm To Table | Live Site: https://glacial-falls-13622.herokuapp.com

Github Repo: https://github.com/raiford2530/farm\_to\_table

- MERN fullstack application developed for local farmers to sell customized packages of produce online.
- Created various API routes to query the MongoDB database on the backend while ensuring other components of the shopping cart feature were functional and added a confirmation email after a user places an order.
- **Technologies**: Javascript, Node.js, React.js, React-Router-Dom, Express, Bcrypt, JWT, Nodemailer, React-Toastify, MongoDB, Mongoose, Bulma, CSS3, Github, Heroku

**BarkMatch** | Live Site: https://vast-river-69240.herokuapp.com Github Repo: https://github.com/raiford2530/BarkMatch-project2

- Application developed for animal shelters to offer ways for users to register and spend time with dogs in need.
- Responsible for creating express routes, express handlebar views, adding various filter features, and implementing authentication
- **Technologies**: Express, Express Handlebars, Express-FileUpload, CSS3, HTML5, jQuery, Bulma, Javascript, Github, Heroku, Nodemailer, Node.js, MySql, Sequelize, Passport

ComicBook Finder | Live Site: https://shelb-doc.github.io/ComicBook-Finder/

Github Repo: https://github.com/raiford2530/ComicBook-Finder

- Allows comic book fans to find their favorite characters and comics based on the character appearances.
- Project Lead included creating API calls and dynamically populating elements with returned data.
- Technologies: HTML 5, CSS, jQuery, Bootstrap, Javascript, Github

#### **EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS**

## Georgia Tech Fullstack Web Development Certificate

February 2020

### Microsoft Certified Professional (MCP): Programming in C#

March 2018

#### Georgia Regents University - Augusta, GA

January 2014 - May 2015

- Earned 90 hours towards Bachelor of Science Degree in Computer Science
- **Related Courses**: Applications Programming, Data Structures, Database Management Systems (SQL Server), Principles of Computer Programming I (C#.NET), Principles of Computer Programming II (C#, ASP.NET)

#### Augusta State University - Augusta, GA

Bachelor of Business Administration in Management Information Systems, May 2012

• Related Courses: Information Systems, Business Systems Development, Web Page Design, Business Intro to Programming (C#), Database Management Systems (MS Access, SQL Server), Business Intro to Networking