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Projects

Gratitude Journal

Application demonstrating basic CRUD functionality. Authorized users can create gratitude journal entries to share what they're thankful for. Each post has like and delete buttons.

My Weather

Vue.js app consumes the OpenWeather API to show current weather conditions in different cities. Easy to add or remove locations and sort them according to user preference. Firebase back-end.

Frontend Mentor Challenges

Completed several Frontend Mentor challenges. Interpreted their style guides to transform the provided barebones markup into fully responsive, professional looking landing pages.

Skills

HTML, CSS, Sass, Bootstrap, Tailwind CSS, JavaScript, Vue.js, Node.js, Git, Wordpress, Drupal, Technical Writing, Content Marketing, Copy Editing, Research, Written & Verbal Communication, Problem Solving & Troubleshooting, Rapid Learning

Experience

2016 - PRESENT

Professional Poker Player, Southern California – *No Limit Holdem Cash Game Specialist*

- Developed indomitable grit and a stronger stoic outlook by persevering through the unavoidable variance inherent in this skill game that includes an element of chance
- Curated and studied a personalized curriculum to improve my winrate
- Compiled detailed session results and analyzed opponent tendencies. Reviewed hands and sessions daily for areas of improvement, continually seeking ways to increase my earnings
- Cooperated with other players (including rivals) in study groups to improve our practical understanding of combinatorics, game theory, psychology and body language

2008 - 2015

SneakerNews.com, New York, New York – *Senior News Editor (Remote)*

- Collaborated with team of remote editors during the site's ascent to the top of our niche
- Trained new hires on SEO best practices such as keyword density, optimal anchor text, categorization and tagging
- Created internal documentation for web content team, established editorial standards

Education

Class of 2007

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, Virginia
Bachelor of Science, Psychology