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SUMMARY

Web Developer and current Computer Science undergraduate with a prior background in education committed to life-long learning. Effective at combining creativity and problem solving to develop user-friendly applications. Known among staff as a positive team player that gets results using keen attention to detail and strong integrity.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages:
JavaScript, Python, C++.

Browser Based Technologies:
HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, jQuery, React.js, Handlebars.

Databases:
MySQL, MongoDB.

Server Side Development:
Node.js, Express.js.

Deployment:
Git, Github Pages, Heroku.

PROJECTS

BmazonStore | github.com/reneelpetit/bamazon
- **Individual project**: Create a node app with customer and manager views. Allows the customer user to see items and purchase items. Allows the manager user to see items, update inventory and add new products.
- MySQL, JavaScript/jQuery, Node.js

EatDaBurger | github.com/reneelpetit/EatDaBurger | eatdaburger5682.herokuapp.com
- **Individual project**: Create a website where you order a burger, then eat it (virtually). Users can type in a burger name, and once they "devour it" the burger changes from "ready to devour" to "devoured."
- Handlebars.js, MySQL, Node.js, Express.js, JavaScript/jQuery, Bootstrap

ReactClickyGame | github.com/reneelpetit/ReactClickyGame | clicky-game-react.netlify.com
- **Individual project**: (in Progress) Create a game in React.js where the user clicks an image to earn points, but loses the game if they click the same image twice. Images randomly shuffle each time one is clicked.
- React.js, Bootstrap

PuffinPower | github.com/reneelpetit/PuffinPower-1 | grumpy-puffin-4289.herokuapp.com
- **Group project**: Create a website database of puffins that has 3 levels of access: public, researcher, and admin. Public can submit photos of puffins they see, researchers can view and approve public submitted photos, as well as add puffins and notes to the database. Admins can add or delete users. When checking out our site, use username: rpetit and password: test2. Search for puffin #1.
- MySQL, Sequelize, Handlebars.js, Node.js, Express.js, JavaScript/jQuery, Bootstrap

StumpAround | github.com/reneelpetit/StumpAroundWeb | stump-around.netlify.com
- **Group project**: Create a React Native app with accompanying informational React website. Created a social hiking app for the Pacific Northwest. StumpAround is a user-friendly mobile application for Pacific Northwest nature enthusiasts. Users can create a profile, then view, save and make comments on hundreds of hikes. Users can also upload and share their favorite spots with the StumpAround community.
- MongoDB, Mongoose, React Native, React.js, Node.js, Express.js, bcrypt.js, GoogleMaps

Bachelor of Science: Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR   Jan 2019 - present
Pursuing a bachelor's degree in Computer Science with a Business minor through OSU's well-known online CS program. Current GPA is 3.82.
- Relevant coursework taken and/or in progress:
    - CS 160: Computer Science Orientation (Python)
    - CS 161: Introduction to Computer Science I (C++ & Python)
    - CS 225: Discrete Structures
    - WR 327: Technical Writing

Professional Certificate: University of Oregon, Portland, OR   Jul 2019 - Jan 2020
A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, Node Js, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, Handelbars.js & ReactJS.

Master of Arts: University of Oregon, Eugene, OR   Sept 2012 - Jun 2014
Romance Languages, French and Spanish. GPA: 3.77.

Master of Education: University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA   Jul 2010 - Sept 2011

Bachelor of Arts: University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA   Sept 2004 - Sept 2008
French and Spanish. GPA: 3.71. Dean's Honors List. Study abroad programs in Bordeaux, France and Goettingen, Germany.

EXPERIENCE

Online Admissions Coordinator   Sept 2017 – present
Oregon State University   Corvallis & Portland, OR
Provide outstanding customer service to prospective students. Collaborate with multiple departments on campus to ensure messaging to prospective and newly admitted students is consistent and clear. Provide clear written and verbal instructions for prospective students. Manage website content. Intake, process, review and enter decisions for 600 student applications each term by assigned deadlines with close attention to detail.
Key Accomplishments:
- Identified barriers to admission & improved communication processes resulting in a 3% increase in the number of admitted students.

International Programs Specialist   Nov 2014 – Aug 2017
University of Oregon   Eugene, OR
Provide technical and pedagogical support for STARTALK users. Assist in creating an online language course using Canvas. Review applications, conduct interviews, research and select appropriate internship and homestay family placements for each student. Create learning materials and teach orientation and weekly course lessons. Resolve cross-cultural conflicts.
Key Accomplishments:
- Promoted twice for high quality work.

Adjunct Instructor / Graduate Teaching Assistant   Sept 2012 - Jul 2014
University of Oregon   Eugene, OR
Teach communicative and task-based courses to first and second year French undergraduate students through Canvas and in person. Track student grades and performance data. Co-develop curriculum and co-create dynamic assessments.
Key Accomplishments:
- Received consistently positive end-of-term reviews.

LANGUAGES

English: native speaker
French: advanced proficiency
Spanish: advanced proficiency
German: beginner/intermediate proficiency