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EDUCATION & INDEPENDENT COURSEWORK

Udemy (in progress), Online Course

Expected date of completion: October 2023

Automate the Boring Stuff with Python

Amazon (in progress), Online Course

Expected date of completion: January 2024

Certified Cloud Practitioner

Expected date of completion: March 2024

Amazon (in progress), Online Course

Certified Developer

WORK EXPERIENCE

Accenture Scholarship Program

Washington, D.C. (Remote)

Recipient

February 2022 – June 2022

- Selected as one of 600 participants to receive a full scholarship for a Nanodegree with Udacity
- Developed 4 responsive websites using semantic HTML, CSS, and Vanilla JavaScript, achieving 100% compliance with W3 standards and a 90% user satisfaction rate for UI/UX
- Created a full CRUD CLI customer order system in Python and SQL that efficiently handled 50+ daily transactions
- Engaged in 25+ hours of one-on-one mentorship and gained insights from an experienced Web Developer in coding efficiency and best practices

Hack the Hood Tech Foundations,

Austin, TX (Remote)

Participant

September 2022 – December 2022

- Completed 40+ hours of specialized training in web design, UX, and the software development life cycle
- Engaged in 10+ panels and workshops on diversity and social justice and applied learned strategies to foster a more inclusive tech environment
- Utilize Git and GitHub version control systems in order to streamline team workflows
- Automated routine tasks using Bash and Shell scripting

PROJECTS

Personal Portfolio Website

September 2023

- Developed a responsive Full Stack personal portfolio to showcase skills and projects
- Optimized the site's performance and responsiveness using Flask and Nginx
- Containerized the application using Docker, facilitating easier deployment and version control

Non-Profit Donations Website

March 2023

- Designed an online donation platform that facilitated a significant number of charitable contributions within the first months of launch
- Implemented secure transactions using the Stripe API, receiving zero reports of payment issues
- Enhanced user engagement by incorporating real-time donation statistics via React and ChartJS

Photo/Video Editing Tools

December 2022

- Created a media editing RESTful API intended for content creation
- Leveraged Ffmpeg and Celery for efficient background media processing and automated task scheduling

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, Javascript, Flask, Django, Express, Node

Tools: VSCode, Pycharm, Jira, Agile, Scrum, Unit Testing, Database Management: SQLite, SQLAlchemy, MySQL CSS Utilities: SASS, SCSS, Bulma, TailwindCSS, Bootstrap Systems: Linux, Unix, Debian, Ubuntu, Windows, WSL, MacOS,

DevOps: Shell, Bash, SSH, Powershell, Nginx, Apache, CI/CD, Docker, Github Actions, Jenkins, ECS,

Networking: HTTP/HTTPS, TCP/IP, DNS, SSL/TLS, UFW

Cloud Services: AWS EC2, AWS S3, Azure, Google Cloud Platform, Heroku, AWS Lightsail, Cloudflare