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SUMMARY

Full Stack Web Developer with a background in sales and hospitality and a passion for learning. A self-motivated, hard working, team player ready to leverage experience in customer-oriented roles into a new career in tech. Recent earner of a Bootcamp certificate, eager to grow, and ready to take on any new challenge.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Technical Languages: JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, CSS3, MySQL, NoSQL

Applications: Git, GitHub, Heroku, MERN Stack

Tools: MongoDB, Express, React, Node, Handlebars, Bootstrap, Tailwind

PROJECTS

CharacterizeThis! | <https://github.com/samocain93/character-generator>

Deployed App: <https://characterize-this.herokuapp.com/>

- **Summary:** Interactive, full-stack application using the MVC model. Designed to allow for the creation of users and characters with unique classes based on popular RPG and fantasy game models.
- **Role:** Helped lead organization and project flow for the team, managed GitHub repo, model and database setup, server and connection initialization
- **Tools:** Node, JavaScript, Handlebars, Express, Tailwind, Sequelize, MySQL, Heroku, Authentication, Sessions

Two API's, One Sun | <https://github.com/samocain93/Two-APIs-One-Sun>

Deployed App: <https://samocain93.github.io/Two-APIs-One-Sun/>

- **Summary:** A web page designed to allow users to view the exact sunrise and sunset times based on a given user's zip code
- **Role:** Helped lead design structure and incorporate a new CSS framework as a part of this group challenge project
- **Tools:** JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Bulma, API's

Work Day Scheduler | <https://github.com/samocain93/work-day-scheduler>

Deployed App: <https://samocain93.github.io/work-day-scheduler/>

- **Summary:** A daily planner to help you track your important tasks and manage time effectively
- **Role:** Oversaw all aspects of project design and functionality
- **Tools:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Local Storage

EXPERIENCE

Bar Team

2021 - Present

Paperboy Austin

Austin, TX

- Serve in a fast-paced, customer-focused environment in Austin's #1 rated brunch restaurant
- Train new hires for the beverage team on company procedures and quality standards
- Utilize clear and effective communication skills to work efficiently across all teams in the restaurant

Cafe Manager

2018 - 2021

Better Half Coffee & Cocktails

Austin, TX

- Led front of house staff of 10-15 employees in a busy and award winning all-day cafe and restaurant
- Successfully implemented new policies and operating procedures as the restaurant was forced to dynamically change and adapt during the COVID-19 pandemic, allowing us not only to stay open, but to continue to thrive during a challenging economic period
- Sought out new vendor partnerships with local roasters and providers to enhance the quality of our coffee program

Financial Representative

2015 - 2017

Northwestern Mutual

Tallahassee, FL

- Built a network of business through local contacts, referrals, and cold-calling, obtained multiple insurance and investment licenses, and experienced building a book of business from the ground up
- Trained new interns alongside the College Unit Director as a part of our industry-leading college representative internship program
- Managed book of 200+ clients as Director of Operations for a senior advisor, assisting with scheduling appointments, updating investment paperwork, and securing new business opportunities

EDUCATION

Boot Camp Graduate Certificate: UT Austin, Austin, TX

A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, MySQL, Git, MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, and Node.js

Bachelor of Science, Finance: Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL