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Skyler McLain

Software Engineer

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages | Python 3, JavaScript ES6+, SQL, HTML5, CSS

System Design | Domain-driven design, Glt, Docker

Back-End | FastAPI, PostgreSQL

Front-End | DOM manipulation, Websockets, React

RELEVANT PROJECTS

OPTCG-Stat Tracker | Full Stack Engineer |

Jun '25

https://github.com/shalestorm/optcg-tracker| Node.js, FastAPI, Python, Javascript, HTML, CSS, React, PostgresSQL

One piece card Game Stat Tracker

- Built a personal performance tracker for the One Piece Trading Card Game to log match results, decks, and opponent strategies
- Implemented a RESTful API with FastAPI, leveraging Python for game data input, leader types, & matchup outcomes held via Postgres
- Combined Pydantic & uvicorn to elevate processing capabilities, leveraging Pydantic, uvicorn, & Python technologies for enhanced data handling efficiency & seamless integration
- Developed a relational PostgreSQL database schema to analyze win rates, matchup history, and deck performance over time
- Created a responsive UI for quick match logging and stat summaries using React Vanilla JS and Styled CSS

React Pokemon Pokedex | Front-End Engineer |

May '25

https://pokemon.shalestorm.net | React, JavaScript, HTML, CSS,

RestAPI

A web application that allows users to browse, search, and view detailed information on Pokémon using data from the PokéAPI.

- Engineered a responsive single-page Pokédex app leveraging React & the PokéAPI for real-time display of Pokémon data
- Deployed reusable components for Pokémon cards, search filtering, & type-based styling with React, JavaScript, & CSS to optimize user experience & functionality
- Integrated dynamic routing with React Router to navigate between Pokémon details and the main index
- Revamped user interface with custom CSS to deliver a seamless & visually appealing experience, enhancing navigation & interface aesthetics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Meijer | Retail Salesperson

Oct '23 - Aug '24

- Organized General Merchandise shelves by conditioning, restocking, & ensuring product accuracy & presentation with merchandising skills
- Guided customers in the Electronics department through product selection, troubleshooting tech challenges, & finalizing purchases at the register
- Empowered service delivery across multiple departments by actively cross-training in Sales & Customer Service areas, utilizing Training Management System during peak hours

Freelance Web Designer | Self-Employed

Jul '19 - Jan '20

- · Launched responsive websites for small business clients on Wix, customizing layouts, color schemes, & page structure to align with brand preferences
- · Collaborated directly with non-technical clients to gather requirements, implement features, and deliver user-friendly sites with basic training for ongoing edits

EDUCATION

Hack Reactor | Advanced Software Engineering Immersive Program

Feb '25

• Hands-on experience building full-stack applications

- Gained practical expertise in modern web development, API design, databases, and version control through pair programming and solo projects
- Tech Stack: Python, FastAPI, PostgreSQL, JavaScript, React, React Router, HTML, CSS, Node.js, Git/GitHub, REST APIs

Grand Rapids Community College | Computer Science

Jun '23

- Computer Servicing I/A+ Hardw
- Interpersonal Communication
- Dig. Illustration/Illustrator Adobe
- Statistics

West Shore Community College | Computer Science

Feb '18

- Intro to Python
- Intro to HTML/CSS