Simon Rodriguez | Frontend Developer

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Education

University of Notre DameNotre Dame, INBachelor of ScienceMay 2022Major: Computer ScienceGPA: 3.48

Skills

Spoken Language:English (Native), Spanish (Fluent/Bilingual)Programming Languages:JavaScript/TypeScript, Python, C/C++, sh/bash, SQL, JavaFrameworks & Technologies:Svelte/SvelteKit, React, Node.js, MySQL, Docker, Git, Figma

Experience

Open Source Software Development

Notre Dame, IN

Coursework

Project

Spring 2022

- Coursework involved forming a group of four members and creating a public open source project in order to study various
 topics such as software development, community outreach and engagement, code licensing, and the issue/pull request
 workflow.
- Project was an audio streaming server utilizing HTTP Live Streaming (HLS) to stream audio files to an unlimited number of clients, resembling internet radio.
- Developed and maintained a static landing page for the project using 11ty, a JavaScript static site framework.

Windows 3.0 Solitaire Solver and Player

Notre Dame, IN

Spring 2022

- Task was to reverse engineer the Windows 3.0 version of the popular card game, Solitaire, and develop software which would read game's state from memory and automatically solve and play the game. Software reads game state using Windows API calls to read a process's memory, locating and decoding the relevant section in memory.
- Using the game's state, a "solver" algorithm was developed using recursion with backtracking. Includes a "guided solver", creating a Dear ImGui window with instructions on the moves needed to win the game. Automatic solver also included, which plays the game automatically for the player using keyboard inputs.

Teaching Assistant, Systems Programming

Notre Dame, IN Spring 2022

Work Experience

- Entry level course for 2nd-year Computer Science students. Course topics include: basics of Linux command-line, introduction to the C programming language, arrays, pointers, Makefiles & build systems, structs, classes, and more.
- Assisted with students with general programming concepts of style, readability and clarity and engaged in pair programming activities to facilitate learning of concepts.

Image Hosting Website Notre Dame, IN

Coursework, Modern Web Development

Fall 2021

- Semester-long project in order to learn the fundamentals of web development and its evolution into modern solutions. Our project was to build an image hosting website, similar in nature to Imgur.
- Frontend of website was built using React with TypeScript. I primarily focused on the frontend portion, also creating the design and implementing using SCSS.
- The backend for the website was created using Back4App, a hosted solution for the Parse platform. Our frontend leveraged the hosted database to keep track of users, which images they had uploaded, folders.