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FULL STACK SOFTWARE ENGINEER

A dynamic software engineer with a Jamaican-acquired Computer Science degree, now based in the US, offering a unique blend of problem-solving passion and international perspective. Leveraging a year of military service, I bring disciplined organization, strategic thinking, innovation, and a robust work ethic to the field of software engineering. Currently enrolled in General Assembly's Software Engineering Immersive bootcamp, with completion expected by January 24, I am actively engaged in over 420 hours of intensive learning. Complementing this immersive experience, I hold a year of hands-on expertise as a Junior Web Developer, consistently achieving successful project outcomes across 8 projects and contributing to an impressive 22% decrease in bounce rate.

TECHNICAL & INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C++, JavaScript, PHP, HTML, XSLT, CSS, SQL, Mongo, JSON, Typescript, EJS

Libraries and Frameworks: React, Ajax, Express.js, Node.js, Django, JQuery, Bootstrap, XML

Databases and other: PostgreSQL, MongoDB, RESTful Routing, JSON API

Interpersonal skills: Critical Thinking, Detail-Oriented, Active Listening, Teamwork, Integrity

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Animal Kingdom - [GitHub](#) | [App](#) - JavaScript | MongoDB | Express.js | Node.js | CSS | SCSS

A web application focused on providing a seamless and organized approach to managing pet medical records.

- Engineered a sophisticated UI/UX using Express.js and CSS, facilitating pet owners in managing pet profiles, scheduling veterinary appointments and viewing pet medical records.
- Architected a system using Express.js and Node.js, empowering veterinarians to manage pets' medical records.
- Utilized MongoDB for efficient and secure storage of comprehensive health data, ensuring a robust and organized medical records management platform.

Simon Says - [GitHub](#) | [App](#) - JavaScript | CSS | HTML

A retro-styled game to challenge your hippocampus.

- Manipulated DOM events to create a blink-like effect for game buttons.
- Styled the application using styled components, CSS3 and a combination of Flexbox and CSS Grids to format layout.
- Recorded custom audio files, triggered by button clicks, to elevate user experience.

EXPERIENCE

Logistical Specialist, United States Army Reserve

Fort Gillem, GA, 01/2023 - Present

- Supervises and performs inventory management or warehouse functions pertaining to receipt, storage, distribution and issue, and maintains equipment records and parts.
- Awarded Automated Logistical Specialist Certificate from The Quartermaster School, Fort Greg-Adams - June 2023.

Front Desk Supervisor, Noelle Nashville

Nashville, TN, 10/2021 - 04/2022

- Enhanced operational efficiency by leveraging individuals strengths within the team, fostering a high-performing environment and yielding a 15% increase in 5 star customer ratings.
- Established a monitoring system for timely assessments and replenishment, reducing departmental expenses by 11%.

Junior Web Developer, JSEZA

Kingston, Jamaica, 01/2019 - 01/2020

- Coordinated with the design team to optimize UI/UX on 8 projects which resulted in a 22% decrease in bounce rate.
- Implemented robust processes for cleanup and performance improvement that minimized downtime by 37%.

EDUCATION

General Assembly

Remote, Certificate Expected: 01/2024

Full-Stack Software Engineering Immersive program with 420+ hours focused on product development fundamentals, object-oriented programming, MVC frameworks, data modeling, and team collaboration strategies.

The University of the West Indies, Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science

Kingston, Jamaica, Graduated: 07/2019

A 4-year comprehensive curriculum encompassing fundamental aspects of computer systems, software development, algorithms, and effective problem-solving techniques.