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LARAVEL WEB APPLICATIONS DEVELOPER; OWL SERVICES

SUMMARY:

Software Engineer with over five years of diverse experience developing web applications and building APIs.

Developing single-page, multi-page and mobile applications using PHP and JavaScript / TypeScript.

Areas of Expertise: WEB APP DEVELOPMENT // OBJECT-ORIENTED PROGRAMMING (OOP) // APIS

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES:

- **Languages** — PHP; HTML; CSS; JavaScript; TypeScript; Python; C#; Java; SQL
- **Frameworks** — Laravel; Vue.js; Nuxt; React.js; Next.js; Selenium; Playwright; Django; Node.js; React Native
- **Applications** — Git; MySQL; PostgreSQL; Wordpress; GraphQL; Storybook; AWS; Google Cloud; Vercel; Linux

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Bonny Systems, New York City, NY; Wayne, NJ   Oct 2023 - Present

Founding Engineer

- Achieving over 80% reduction in website load times by improving core web vitals which includes minimizing JavaScript usage, image optimization, and adherence to web standards.
- Partnering with design agencies to build and deploy modern websites using content management systems (CMS) like WordPress or advanced frameworks such as PHP / Laravel, Vue.js, and Nuxt.

Canal, San Francisco, CA; New York City, NY   May 2021 - Jul 2023

Software Engineer

- Developed and refined the onboarding process to adapt to evolving user needs, utilizing React, Next.js, TypeScript, XState, Django, GraphQL and PostgreSQL which lead to an overall 40% increase in user satisfaction.
- Collaborated with a design / product team of five to create our own in-house design system that replaced the Shopify Polaris design system which led to an increase of development speed by over 60%.
- Enhanced web application usability across all departments by 60% through leading targeted accessibility training and guidelines for the development team.
- Led the standardization of UI component testing within the in-house design system, significantly reducing component-specific bugs by over 70% using Chromatic and Storybook.

Popstar, Remote USA   Nov 2020 - Apr 2021

Software Engineer

- Developed a feature-rich iOS application using Swift and PostgreSQL, which offered an elegant vertical video experience, including social interactions such as sharing and commenting on videos.
- Integrated push notifications and leveraged Firebase cloud messaging to enhance user engagement and retention.

Decusoft, Hybrid (Ramsey, NJ; Remote USA)   May 2019 - Oct 2020

Full Stack Software Developer

- Developed several top requested features such as table filtering and sorting using JavaScript / Knockout.js, C# and SQL.
- Optimized complex SQL queries which increased the load time performance of the main MySQL table by 50%.

EDUCATION:

Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ   Bachelor of Science in Computer Science 2019