Rachel Thompson

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Summary

Full Stack Web Developer leveraging a background in sales and hospitality. Recently graduated and received a certificate in Web Development from Northwestern University. Driven by a passion for an exceptional user experience combined with the technical knowledge to create a seamless digital experience. Due to the fast-paced nature of the program at Northwestern University I am a highly-motivated self-starter when it comes to problem solving both in team based projects as well as independently. Looking forward to working with a team who can help me expand and grow in this exciting field.

Technical Skills

HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Express.js, React.js, React, Node.js, MongoDB, MySQL, GIT, GitHub, Terminal, APIs, JSON, ES6, Handlebars, Sequelize, Express, IndexedDB, and Heroku

Projects

Choose your coding Adventure

https://frozen-caverns-44165.herokuapp.com/

https://github.com/thompson-1657/create_your_own_adventure
o make choices in a choose your own adventure game

- Summary: Web application that allows a user to make choices in a choose your own adventure game based around coding challenges.
- Role: Front End Designer as well as project manager
- Tools: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Handlebars, Sequelize, Nes.css, Node.js, Passport, Express, Bootstrap

Corona Showdown

https://n1flight.github.io/Corona_Showdown https://github.com/n1flight/Corona_Showdown

- Summary: Web application that displays global current covid-19 statistics, current popular New York Times articles related to covid-19 and a battle game that compares states positivity rates.
- Role: Front and Back End Designer as well as project manager
- Tools: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Foundation 6, Animate.css, Font Awesome, Moment.js, APIs, Local Storage

Weather Dashboard

 $https://thompson-1657.github.io/weather_dashboard \\ https://github.com/thompson-1657/weather_dashboard$

- Summary: Web application that allows the user to search a city for the current weather as well as the 5 day future forecast. The application provides the date, temperature, humidity and an icon representing the forecast. The current day also displays the wind speed and UV index, which changes color depending on the range of the index. The application stores previously searched city history for the user so they can jump from city to city quickly and with ease.
- Role: Sole Contributor
- Tools: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Moment.js, Bootstrap, server-side API, Local Storage

Work Experience

Momotaro- Chicago, IL

May 2016 - May 2021

Server

- Trained and Certified Sake Professional and server at Momotaro (awarded Best New Restaurant in America 2015).
- Crafted and customized omakase menus to provide unique and personalized dining experiences to generate repeat business.
- Lead and trained staff for corporate and private dining events.

Slurping Turtle- Chicago, IL

Aug 2013- May 2016

Server

SushiSamba Rio-Chicago, IL

Oct 2012- Dec 2013

Server

Verizon Wireless

Sept 2011- Sept 2012

Retail Sales Representative

Education

Northwestern Coding Bootcamp

2020-2021

Certificate: Full Stack Web Development

The Ohio State University

2007-2011

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

Minor in Sociology