Ben Shekhtman

FULL STACK SOFTWARE ENGINEER WITH A PASSION FOR UI/UX & DESIGN

Web Developer | CSS Enthusiast | Musician | On a life long pursuit of creativity.

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DEVELOPER SKILLS

JAVASCRIPT   REACT   PYTHON   RUBY

GraphQL   HTML   CSS   SASS   DJANGO

RAILS   EXPRESS   NODE   MONGODB

AWS   POSTGRESQL   SQL   BOOTSTRAP

MATERIALIZE   GITHUB   HEROKU   NETLIFY

EDUCATION

Software Engineering Immersive
General Assembly
03/2021 - 06/2021

Advanced CSS and Sass: Flexbox, Grid, Animations and More!
Udemy

The Modern Javascript Bootcamp
Udemy

GraphQL with React: The Complete Developers Guide
Udemy

React - The Complete Guide with React Hook Redux 2021
Udemy

Complete NodeJS course with express, socket io and MongoDB
Udemy

Bachelor of Jazz Guitar Performance
Humber College
2016 - 2018

RECENT PROJECTS & WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance Musician & Educator
Various Music Schools/ Self employed
2010 - Present
Overview
- Teaching multiple instruments to all ages and skill levels. Required strong technical/ non technical communication skills. Adaptability to specific client needs. Being kind and patient with small children. Being charismatic and caring. Strong emphasis on inspiring young students to improve and learn.

IMMIGROW APP
MongoDB, Express, React, Node.js
Overview
- *** WINNING SUBMISSION*** General Assembly Toronto: Social Impact Hackathon.
- Immigrow is an app designed to help immigrants build stronger communities, find mentorship and explore potential job opportunities. Made in 3 days with a 4 person team including two designers. Built with MongoDB, Express, React, Node.
- Responsibilities included working quickly and efficiently styling designer UI's while creating both logical & functioning components. Setting up mongoose models and performing various API fetches with REACT. Advanced front-end techniques for a clean user experience using React hooks.

TRADE / ER TRADING APP
MongoDB, Express, React, Node.js
Overview
- Trading app designed for Users to barter their items with other users and make deals. Features include real time messaging, interactive drag and drop menus, React animations.
- Built primarily using MERN stack. Authentication using JSON web tokens, real-time messaging using Socket.IO, images hosted with Amazon S3 buckets.

PLAYDOG PLAYDATE APP
Python Django, Leaftlet.js
Overview
- Designing a CRUD application for users to post play dates for their dogs. Emphasis on a fun and friendly user experience. Built primarily with Python & Django.
- Main functionality includes making map API calls to reverse geocode user post locations. Making dog profiles. Attending/ creating playdate events. Built with a team of three. Main responsibilities included integrating JS front-end API calls, and overall responsive front-end design.