

VAIDOTAS PIEKUS

SKILLS

- **Web Technologies and Frameworks:** JavaScript(ES6), TypeScript, HTML5, CSS3, React (Next.js), Redux, Testing (Jest, Cypress)
- **Back-End:** Node.js, Express, MongoDB, SQLite
- **Project Management:** Agile methodology (Scrum), Lean Process Improvement methods and techniques, Business Process Modelling Techniques

EXPERIENCE

Blue Raster LLC, Arlington, VA — *Application Developer*

APRIL 2019 - PRESENT

- Led a large scale geospatial application rewrite utilizing modern technology stack (Typescript, React, Redux, Material UI, Vega Charts, ESRI). <https://www.blueraster.com/map-builder/>
- Worked closely with project managers, designers and other developers to build full-stack geospatial applications for clients. As a part of the development process I participated in the meetings and scoping exercises with the stakeholders, technology architecture decisions and design as well as implementation phases.
- Advocated for new technologies and best practices during internal lunch-and-learn events, namely TypeScript adoption, Next.js framework and refactoring as a practice in particular.

Navy Federal Credit Union, Vienna, VA — *Process Improvement Analyst*

SEPTEMBER 2015 - APRIL 2019

- Managed a project team of 7 people that led a company-wide effort to modernize service delivery for over 4,000 employees in 300 world-wide branch locations
- Implemented multiple initiatives to improve team's internal work practices: developed standardized documents, consolidated multiple project management tools to a single system, created dashboards and reporting tools for management.
- Conducted interviews for potential new employees and was responsible for on-boarding and mentoring new hires

Navy Federal Credit Union, Vienna, VA — *Member Service Representative*

MARCH 2014 - SEPTEMBER 2015

- Analyzed and researched of problems related to financial accounts
- Performed platform banking functions (processing of deposits, payments, withdrawals)
- Counsellor customers about financial products and services

EDUCATION

University of Sheffield, United Kingdom (2010 - 2012) — *MA International Political Economy*

- Thesis - "Cyber Threats and National Security: Real vs. Perceived Threat"

Vilnius University, Lithuania (2006 - 2010) — *BA Political Science*

- Thesis - "Cyber Power: China's Growing Source of Power"