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Full Stack Developer

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Summary

Dynamic, and detail-oriented Full Stack Developer with experience leading teams developing and delivering rich and user-focused applications, projects have ranged from e-commerce solutions to native location-based applications, IoT devices, and back-end frameworks. Highly skilled in the software development life cycle, from prototyping to programming, to deployment and everything in-between. Possesses a deep understanding of developing/designing APIs, the architecture of back-end frameworks, REST principles, and Single Page Application development. An active member of the community, organizer of local meet ups, and open-source contributor.

Professional Experience

Life Tech, Inc. | Software Developer 10/1/2018 - Present

Technology to modernize the health service industry, everything from arriving at your doctor's appointment to home care.

[Environment]: PHP (custom framework), JS, HTML, MySQL

- Built CLI with database migrations, seed system, setup, and test commands.
- Created a dependency-free JavaScript component framework.
- Created a script system to run code in the context of the application with support for arguments and access to our custom model system and ORM.

Trim Agency | Director of Development 1/1/2018 - 10/1/2018

Development agency that services founders, delivering MVP and on.

[Environment]: Ruby on Rails, JS, Typescript, React, Angular, Postgres iOS(swift), Android(Java)

- Set policy, acted as Scrum master, and lead developer on most projects. Valuable experience dealing with clients, planning sprints, and managing a team.
- Worked directly with upper management in the insurance industry to design and develop a WebRTC based video chat application for claims resolutions.
- Training and on-boarding lead for the apprenticeship program.
- Created a live streaming app for iOS and hardware prototype.

Skills

Technical Skills

Languages:

Ruby, PHP, JavaScript, Java, Swift, Bash

Frameworks:

Ruby on Rails, React, Angular, Django

Platforms:

Web, iOS, Android, CLI

Databases:

MySQL, Postgres, MongoDB

Tools:

Docker, Git, Heroku, Vim, SSH, Bash

Non-technical Skills

Agile Methodology
Scrum Methodology
Team Leadership
Project Management
Client Management

Education

Wyncode Academy

Certificate, Ruby, Ruby on Rails, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery
2015 – 2015

Valencia College

Associate of Science (A.S.),
Music Production
2005 – 2007

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10/1/2016 - 1/1/2018

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- Built an interactive virtual chemist lab for a major health and beauty formula company that used 360° images and 3D videos to create an immersive and unique experience for the customer.
- Created a custom fulfillment dashboard in Ruby on Rails with integrations for the client's inventory system and their Amazon store.

Rentlit | Lead Developer

10/1/2016 - 12/1/2017

Web application for independent landlords to manage properties, collect rent, and list availability

[Environment]: Ruby on Rails, JS, Postgres

- Designed and implemented a 2-way ACH based marketplace for handling rent payments through Stripe ACH, as well as the option of paying by credit card for an increased fee.
- Built out an XML endpoint for updating Zillow property listings with integration directly with Zillow's engineering team.
- Worked to bring a broken, poorly designed code base up to the security standards required by the ACH audit while adding unit, integration, and GUI testing.

Inceptures | Software Developer

8/1/2015 - 10/1/2016

Development agency that focuses on client work and building/managing an internal portfolio of products.

[Environment]: Ruby on Rails, JS, Angular, BackboneJS, Postgres

- Team leader on a charity donation application that used an integration with the IRS to deliver payments to charities with no work on their part.
- Led a major refactor and worked to bring a possible 8-hour migration down to a manageable 1 hour, minimizing downtime as much as possible.
- Designed and built a prototype cloud-connected hard drive that synced with Dropbox and Google Drive.

Related Experience

- Lead Organizer of the Broward Ruby Brigade
- Teachers Assistant at Wyncode Academy
- Organizer of local hackathon "Civic Hackathon"

Web/Social Media

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