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FULL-STACK SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Specialized in React, Ruby on Rails and Javascript with a background in healthcare and customer service. As an individual who loves problem-solving and is growth-oriented, I am eager to learn new technologies while contributing to the community to overcome real-world obstacles.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Javascript | Ruby on Rails | React.js | Redux.js | Git | RESTful APIs | PostgreSQL.

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Hipstew - [Github] | [Demo] | [Deployed App]
Pantry organizer and recipe search based application with a virtual assistant.
- Exploited Spoonacular API for relevance data from 5,000+ recipes, ingredients.
- Appended Web Speech API to enable the virtual assistant to recognize human voices, that responded with text and sound to promote accessibility.
- Applied React-Router to enable users to navigate to different views in a SPA.

Makegotchi - [Github] | [Demo] | [Deployed App]
An interactive game that allows users to play minigames and take care of pets.
- Proposed the use of React to optimize UI interactions.
- Designed TicTacToe minigame AI using vanilla JS and custom CSS to enable a single user game against the computer.
- Added React-Router to differentiate sets of components getting rendered.

SalonFindr - [Github] | [Demo]
An application that allows users to find the nearest hair salon based on location.
- Utilized Yelp Fusion API to retrieve data from hair salons across 32 countries.
- Integrated HTTP requests to third party API using Ruby.
- Constructed a schema for highly relational data with a MVC architecture.

EXPERIENCE

Teasociety   **San Jose, CA**
Cashier/Customer Service.   *04/2019 - 08/2020*
- Awarded employee of the year for maintaining outstanding customer service.
- Constructed customer relationships which successfully boosted the number of customer loyalty program enrollment by 50%.
- Reconciled all accounts, processed invoices to ensure a balanced cash flow.

EDUCATION

Flatiron School   **San Francisco, CA**
15-week Immersive Software Engineer Program   *10/2020 - 01/2021*

Evergreen Valley College   **San Jose, CA**
Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN) | GPA: 3.8/4   *01/2019 - 08/2020*