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## Front End Web Developer | Entry-Level

Highly motivated recent graduate with a thousand+ hours of hands-on intensive training in Full-Stack Web Development and seven years of retail operations leadership experience. Seeking to leverage analytical thinking, time management, problem-solving, and organizational skills in an entry-level front-end web developer role. Passionate tech-savvy professional possessing technical proficiency in full-stack development, with a solid grasp of back-end technologies. Astute continuous learner with demonstrated capacity to manage high-pressure situations, think outside the box, improve workflows, and actively listen to and understand complex information. Collaborative team player with the ability to manage team dynamics, establish trust, and build and maintain positive relationships with customers and colleagues at all organizational levels.

### *Additional Competencies*

Project Management | Data Analysis | Innovative Thinking | Decision Making | Conflict Resolution | Financial Acumen | Customer-Centric | Presentation Skills | Team Leadership | Coaching & Mentoring | Strong Work Ethic | Adaptability | Resilience | Reliability | Emotional Intelligence | Cultural Awareness | Empathy

### *Technical Proficiencies*

Languages: Python, JavaScript, Java, HTML, CSS, SQL, Sass, & TypeScript | Tools: Git, Github, VS Code, MySQL Workbench, Bootstrap, & TailWind | Frameworks & Libraries: jQuery, Flask, SpringBoot, Ajax, API's, React.js, & Next.js | Databases: MySQL & Firebase

## Technical Projects

WORDLE | <https://woordles.netlify.app/>

2024

Project Description: An interactive word-guessing game application that allows players to input guesses and instantly receive feedback on accuracy, enhancing player engagement and enjoyment.

Technologies: React, CSS, APIs

- Designed and implemented a user-friendly and visually appealing interface using CSS and semantic HTML for an immersive word-guessing game experience.
- Managed game state and dynamics using React's useState hook for tracking player attempts, disabled letters, and game statuses.
- Developed the "Board" component with React, employing JSX to dynamically render interactive game tiles, enhancing visual interaction.
- Integrated external APIs using fetch to enrich the game content with a dynamic word bank, improving gameplay experiences and variety.
- Optimized UI responsiveness and efficiency with useMemo, reducing unnecessary re-renders and enhancing performance.

MOVIE TIME APP | <https://amovietime.netlify.app/>

2023 – 2024

Project Description: Application designed for users to sign in and rate current popular movies and TV shows

Technologies: React, TypeScript, CSS, APIs

- Implemented client-side routing with React Router to facilitate seamless SPA navigation and dynamic content rendering.
- Engineered REST API integrations for real-time movie and TV show ratings, enhancing the app's content diversity and user interaction.
- Developed secure user authentication features using JWTs and React Query's useMutation hook, ensuring secure data handling and session management.

- Leveraged semantic-ui-react for crafting a responsive and aesthetically pleasing user interface, improving overall user engagement.

## Professional Experience

LITTERPIC INC. – Chicago, Illinois

November 2023 – Present

### Web Developer | Apprenticeship

- Employs Jira for effective project management, actively participating in sprint releases, and managing individual development tickets.
- Collaborates with a team of developers to foster a dynamic environment that encourages idea-sharing, problem-solving, and innovation.
- Participates in brainstorming sessions to design and implement innovative solutions for web development challenges.
- Utilizes React.js to develop dynamic and responsive user interfaces, significantly enhancing user experiences.
- Implements robust backend functionalities using Firebase and Next.js, ensuring efficient data management and real-time updates.
- Enhances web styling processes using SCSS, achieving consistency and scalability across various development projects.

STARBUCKS – Plainfield, Illinois

June 2017 – January 2024

### Shift Manager | Barista Trainer

- Led shift operations across various store locations, emphasizing teamwork and collaboration to enhance efficiency and reduce stress in high-pressure situations.
- Fostered a cooperative environment by clearly defining roles and encouraging mutual support among team members, resulting in improved workflow and outcomes.
- Acted as the primary point of contact for visiting store managers and district managers, ensuring consistency of in-store operations and upholding high standards during managerial transitions and routine visits.
- Collaborated closely with facilities managers on store maintenance and improvements, initiating and discussing enhancements to optimize space and functionality.
- Developed and implemented store-specific solutions during facility inspections, contributing to strategic planning and safety compliance with a focus on operational excellence and customer satisfaction.
- Coordinated directly with district managers during store evaluations, addressing observations and strategizing on performance enhancements to meet and exceed established metrics.
- Led performance meetings with store and district management to bolster confidence and improve performance.
- Assisted the Store Manager with data interpretation for cash management, inventory control, and enhancing customer connections.
- Ensured compliance with operational standards while enhancing work efficiency and fostering skill development.
- Trained new employees on company policies and procedures, ensuring consistency in job roles and responsibilities.
- Acted as the onsite technical expert for troubleshooting and repairing equipment, preventing downtime and reducing costs.
- Assisted in refining inventory parameters (pars) by reviewing algorithm-generated numbers and adjusting them based on store specifics and promotional activities.

## Education & Certifications

CODING DOJO – Romeoville, Illinois

2022

### Full-Stack Web Development Certificate

- An immersive six-month Full-Stack Training Program, mastering various front-end languages, Python, and Java.
- Completed 1,000+ hours of intensive hands-on coursework covering all aspects of full-stack application development, including building, debugging, and deploying.

LEWIS UNIVERSITY – Romeoville, Illinois

### Bachelor of Arts in Psychology with a Minor in Natural Science

- Completed coursework within 3.5 years.