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Software engineer with experience planning and launching a private business. Currently at Newfold Digital, involved in maintaining legacy codebase as well as upgrading and debugging new code on both the front and back-end. Graduated from the UNC Charlotte Full Stack Coding Boot Camp. Excels at problem solving and communication and has leveraged these skills to guide teams of up to twenty people to produce unique creative content. Prioritizes personal accountability and time management.

Technical Skills

C#, HTML5, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, RESTful APIs, Express.js, SQL, React, MongoDB, Mongoose, Node.js, Git, jQuery, MUI

Projects

React 19 Upgrade | networksolutions.com

- Summary: Working within an agile team, I upgraded multiple front end repos to utilize React 19 and deprecate old systems.
- Role: Frontend engineer
- Tools: React, Tanstack, MUI, JavaScript

LightSpeed Update | ecomdash.com

- Summary: Working under a manager, I updated the front and back end of our ecommerce platform to utilize the new LightSpeed API. I replaced the old Vend code and crafted new code to allow customers to download, create, delete, and update listings as well as download orders and mark paid, shipped, and canceled.
- Role: Front and Back end engineer
- Tools: C#, jQuery, API

Cafe Clicker | <https://github.com/kleylakh89/cafe-clicker> | <https://peaceful-oasis-22532.herokuapp.com/>

- Summary: Working in an agile team of four, we created a peaceful clicker game utilizing the MERN stack. Game includes power ups, conditional rendering, and original art.
- Role: Front and Back end engineer
- Tools: CSS, JavaScript, React, Express, Node.js, MongoDB, Mongoose, dotenv, bcrypt

BookNook | <https://github.com/kleylakh89/book-nook> | <https://dry-bastion-57106.herokuapp.com/>

- Summary: Working in an agile team of five, we created a site that allows users to save books to a personal digital library.
- Role: Front and Back end engineer
- Tools: CSS, JavaScript, APIs (ISBNdb and OpenLibrary), Handlebars, Express, Sequelize, dotenv, bcrypt, axios

Pantry Prepper | github.com/kleylakh89/pantry-prepper | kleylakh89.github.io/pantry-prepper

- Summary: Worked with two others to design and create a functioning and responsive page from scratch for searching ingredients and prices to find recipes
- Role: HTML, CSS, and JavaScript coder
- Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, APIs (themealdb and spoonacular), Bootstrap

Experience

Software Engineer

10/2022 – Present

Newfold Digital

Remote

Worked within an agile team to maintain, upgrade, and debug both legacy and modern codebases. Utilized fullstack skills to write C#, JavaScript, and React code and manage SQL databases.

Key Accomplishments:

- Proactively found bugs and issues within existing code and crafted solutions both in teams and independently.
- Upgraded several repos to use new APIs, packages, and frameworks.
- Managed time to resolve tickets from CSRs, including issues with SQL and MySQL databases, C# and JavaScript repos, and maintained fast turnaround results.

Assistant Instructor

9/2022 – 10/2022

2U Bootcamps

Remote

Assisted instructors in teaching fullstack coding materials to students, including JavaScript, HTML, and CSS.

Key Accomplishments:

- Answered questions from students on the fly and helped guide them to solutions.
- Problem solved issues with homework and projects.
- Inspired and encouraged students to do their best work and push through difficulties.

Business Owner

01/2014 - 12/2018

Clever Disguises

Brandon, FL

Planned and launched a small entertainment business centered around costume design, performance, and social media networking.

Key Accomplishments:

- Created and performed four award-winning shows and featured internationally.
- Managed multiple live seminars across 5 conventions that involved writing, performing, and directing content.
- Wrote, edited, and published multiple online videos featuring industry information, how-to's, and entertainment value.

Seamstress

01/2013 - 06/2017

Hip Hats With Hair

Tampa, FL

Excelled at on-the-job learning to master specific techniques and skills previously unknown.

Key Accomplishments:

- Started position untrained, but through self-discipline and dedication to improvement became the sole seamstress for the company.
- Assisted customers to create a welcoming environment and resolve issues.
- Created consistent high-quality products that passed rigorous inspections.

Education

Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp Certificate

University of North Carolina, Charlotte, North Carolina

A 12-week full time intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS, JavaScript, RESTful APIs, Express.js, SQL Databases, React.js, MongoDB, and Git.

Liberal Arts, 2008-2009

University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida

General studies program ranging from basic Computer Science to Japanese Language and History to Theater.