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Former culinary Chef making a career change towards Software Engineering. Experienced in team environments, overcoming challenges, moving at a fast pace, adaptability to learning and problem solving. Seeking mentorship and rich learning experiences in order to work on practical and impactful projects, with the opportunity for growth.

EDUCATION

Formation Fellowship

Intense mentorship program with engineers from top tech companies

San Francisco (Remote), CA, USA

July 2022 - Present

Codecademy Bootcamp

Full Stack Career Path

Online, USA

July 2023 - Sept 2024

University of Toledo

Computer Science Engineering and Technology

Toledo, OH, USA

August 2007 - May 2008

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer (Open Source Contributor) (www.hackforla.org)

Hack for LA, California, USA

May 2023 - Present

- Updated external link security by adding `rel="noopener noreferrer"` attribute in HTML file to prevent potential security risks; tested functionality and visual consistency across devices using Docker.
- Authored a new documentation entry for the `getDisplayName()` method of the Java Calendar class, including introductory content, syntax, and usage examples in Markdown; followed content standards and style guidelines to ensure clarity and consistency.
- Updated GitHub issue template to include missing label categories, improving label consistency and preventing automatic removal by bots; tested changes to ensure correct label functionality.

Portfolio Website (<https://dakuwon.github.io>)

Austin, Texas, USA

February 2024 - Present

- Personal portfolio site showcasing projects and experience, hosted on GitHub.
- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Git, Github, Media Queries
- Highlights skills, includes project links and descriptions, responsive design optimized for both desktop and mobile.

CURRENT PROJECTS

Fantasy Sports Project (Under Construction)

Gamble, Texas, USA

October 2024 - Present

- A sports news platform displaying real-time news updates, using the News API to source news.
- React, Material UI, API integration, React router, Axios
- Integrated a scrolling news feed component for seamless updates; designed responsive homepage layout.

SKILLS

Technical Skills: Python, JavaScript, React, Docker, Databases, REST APIs, HTML, CSS, Figma

Testing: Unit Testing (Jest, Mocha, Enzyme)

Methodologies: Agile, SDLC

Technical Foundations: Data Structures, Algorithms

Core Competencies: Critical Thinking, Communication, Teamwork and Autonomy, Problem Solving