Alex Stone

Software Engineer

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Fast, independent learner with a strong background in writing. Interested in the intersection of technology and creativity. Excited about software and its ability to simplify and augment.

Technical Skills

HTML | CSS | JavaScript | Responsive Design | SQL | Java | JUnit | Spring Boot | PostgreSQL | Postman | Vue.js | E/R Diagrams | IntelliJ | C | Python | Flask | Jira | Confluence | Basecamp | Git | Bitbucket | Integration Testing | RESTful APIs

Professional Experience

Content Industries (Formerly Logictran) - Workflow Specialist

July 2020 - October 2022

- Implemented bug fixes and improved functionality to critical JQuery-based web forms and CMS software utilized hundreds of times daily on an international scale.
- Performed accessibility focused QA and testing on content transformation features affecting thousands of titles.
- Managed software releases and provided technical support to multiple international vendors.
- Wrote comprehensive documentation for company-owned software, employee tasks, and non-technical infrastructure.
- Webmaster to multiple consumer-facing sites, performed frequent accessibility audits and implemented improvements.

Countrywide Tire & Rubber - Marketing and Communications

May 2017 - July 2020

- Oversaw and facilitated discovery with multiple technology vendors for the creation and implementation of new web features, new marketing technology infrastructure, and company-owned mobile applications.
- Worked through complicated logistical challenges involving shipping and manufacturing across more than 4 continents.
- Managed communications and deliverables from multiple design and technology vendors. Designed and implemented marketing campaign workflow.
- Authored marketing copy and direct correspondences to hundreds of customers and vendors.

Technical Experience

TEnmo - Java, Spring Boot, JUnit, PostgreSQL

RESTful banking API that allows users to register an account and send and request money from other users.

Ruin A Quote - Java, Spring Boot

Command line application that communicates with 3 Web Services (including ChatGPT) to provide a random quote and give users options to manipulate ("ruin") it.

SVWho? - Flask, SQL, HTML, CSS JavaScript

A responsive, browser-based application I made to provide a simple means to look up either whether an actor has been in an episode of Law & Order: SVU or to print the cast list of a specific episode.

Weather Or Not - HTML, CSS, JavaScript

A simple weather app utilizing the open-meteo weather API. Tells the user what the weather is... and what it isn't.

Education

Tech Elevator, National Live Remote

March 2023 - June 2023

Currently attending a 14-week full-stack coding bootcamp learning how to create dynamic web-based software systems using Java providing 800+ hours of development education and application.

Hamline University
McNally Smith College of Music

Creative Writing MFA
BA in Music Composition

Graduated 2017
Graduated 2014