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Backend developer with experience in philosophy that gave me significant experience in learning new ideas and concepts. Academic experience has sharpened both analytical skills as well as the soft skills required to continually learn and has enforced intellectual humility and curiosity.

Skills

Ruby, Rails, ActiveRecord, SQL, PostgreSQL, GraphQL, HTML, RSpec, RESTful api, Object-Oriented Programming, Test-Driven Development, Agile Development, Git Version Control, Continuous Integration, Heroku, Authorization

Projects

- Viewing party: Github, Deployment
    - Search for movies and create viewing parties with friends
    - Follows RESTful routes and actions
    - Uses authentication and authorization to allow users to create accounts and sign in

- Street Smart: Github, Deployment
    - Utilizes third party authorization to let users log in and sign up
    - Allows users to report hazards that they know and render the location on a map
    - Users can vote on the relevancy of hazards

- Glow Up: Github, Deployment
    - Tracks and reports your daily moods and what habits you have completed
    - Sends reminder email if you have not entered any data for the day
    - Displays mood trends throughout the month

EXPERIENCE

Self Employed   Mar 2020 - Jul 2021
Delivery Driver and Gig Worker, Denver, CO

City Carrier   Mar 2019 - Aug 2019
United States Postal Service, Denver, CO
- Sorted and carried envelopes and packages in a fast paced and stressful environment.
- Delivered to over 400 locations per day.

Research Assistant   Jun 2016 - Sep 2017
Fort Lewis College, Durango, CO
- Collected and synthesized over 700 books and articles relating to the Cognitive Science of Religion and the potential implications on philosophical thought.
- Contributed to two academic publications that had their inception from this project.

EDUCATION

Certificate in Back-End Engineering   Jul 2021 - Jan 2022
Turing School of Software and Design, Denver, CO

Postgraduate Diploma - Philosophy   Sept 2017 - Aug 2018
University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) - Philosophy   Sept 2012 - Apr 2016
Fort Lewis College, Durango, CO

PUBLICATIONS

Ellis, Weston Mudge & McBrayer, Justin (2019). A Phenomenal Defense of Reflective Equilibrium. *Journal of Philosophical Research* 44:1-12.