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EDUCATION

New York University (NYU), New York, NY

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science, Minors in Business Media Entertainment an Technology.

Expected Graduation: May 2025 Cumulative GPA: 3.34/4.00

TECHNICAL/PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Portfolio Website - Self-Project

September 2024 - October 2024

- Designed and developed a professional portfolio using Nuxt.js, showcasing a diverse skill set across front-end and back-end technologies.
- Utilized a component-based architecture for scalability and maintainability, tailored to provide a seamless user experience with dedicated sections for projects, resume, and contact information.
- Built with responsive design principles to ensure compatibility across devices, particularly iPhones and other mobile platforms.
- Deployed the site on Vercel for fast, reliable hosting, optimized for global distribution and zero-downtime updates.
- Website link: www.joshua-guillen.com

Sporacle - Self-Project

January 2024-June 2024

- Full-Stack Development: Designed and implemented a web application using Javascript, Node.js, Express, and Spotify's API to provide users with personalized astrological readings based on their Spotify listening habits.
- OAuth Authentication: Integrated secure OAuth authentication to allow users to log in with their Spotify accounts, ensuring data privacy and secure access.
- Real-Time Data Processing: Utilized Spotify's API to fetch users' top tracks and artists, and employed OpenAI's GPT-3.5 for generating unique, engaging readings based on their music preferences.
- Deployment and Hosting: Deployed the application on Heroku, configured custom domains, and ensured HTTPS security compliance to provide a seamless user experience.
- Error Handling and Debugging: Implemented robust error handling and logging mechanisms to troubleshoot and resolve issues, enhancing the application's reliability and performance.

GitHub:https://github.com/jojo66089/Sporacle

WebApp: http://www.mysporacle.com/

WORK EXPERIENCE

StarBucks

June 2024 - Present

Barista

- Learned to craft beverages and memorize them. Got espresso bar certified (Green Passport).

Social Media Manager

Our Roots (Short-Film), NYU, New York, NY

October 2021 - May 2022

- Engineered a social media strategy that skyrocketed user engagement by 50%, leveraging analytics tools to track performance and guide marketing decisions.

Data Science Club, NYU

September 2023- present

- Cultivated a vibrant community of data science enthusiasts, driving increased participation through organizing speaking engagements and competitive coding events.

HackNYU Participant

November 2023

- Excelled in a 48-hour hackathon, developing a solution to address a global health challenge which was recognized in the top 10% of entries.

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May 2023 - August 2023

Line Cook

- Prepared a wide array of sandwiches, soups, and breakfast items from scratch.

Panda Express

June 2023 - August 2023

Cashier

- Cashiered food items to customers in a fast paced environment

Flying Star Café

May 2021 - August 2021

Sauté Cook

Prepared breakfast items, sauces, entreé sides, from scratch in a fast paced environment

McDonald's

May 2017 - January 2021

Crew Trainer/Crew Member

- Cashiered Fast Food items, counted the safe, took monthly inventory, and got ServeSafe Certified.

TECHNICAL SKILLS AND PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- Languages: Java, Python, C/C++, Swift, JavaScript, Swift, HTML, SQL, MongoDB
- Databases: Neo4j
- Tools & Frameworks: Git, XGBoost, Data Analysis, Machine Learning
- Systems: Linux x86, Windows
- Spoken Languages: Spanish (fluent), English (fluent), French (intermediate)