

RENITA GIDLUND

FULL STACK WEB DEVELOPER

Creative and analytic software engineer bringing over a decade of experience from the healthcare field into the realm of technology and programming. Impeccable communication and interpersonal skills, with a focus on clarity and collaboration. Strongly motivated to meet and exceed my goals, and build technology to improve the world one line of code at a time.

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Javascript, React, Ruby, CSS, HTML, SQL

Frameworks & Libraries: Ruby on Rails, Bootstrap, Tailwind, Redux, Next.js

Development: BDD/TDD, Agile, Pair Programming, Mob Programming

Testing: JEST, RSpec

Version Tracking: Git, GitHub

SOFT SKILLS

Effective and organized team leadership and management

Empathetic, compassionate and motivational mentorship

Analyzing problems for creative and elegant solutions

Proven ability to rapidly acquire new skills and technologies

Unstoppable enthusiasm and a relentlessly positive attitude!

EDUCATION

UC San Diego
Bachelors of Science in Psychology
2006-2010

National University
Masters Degree in Human Behavior
2012-2013

EXPERIENCE

Software Development Intern

RipeMetrics

2023 - Current

- Contributing to an e-commerce storefront, developing and implementing user-facing features using React, Next.js, and Redux
- Leveraging TypeScript to improve maintainability, scalability and readability of the codebase
- Utilizing Tailwind CSS to quickly and efficiently style components and layouts.

Bootcamp Student

LEARN academy: Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp

2022

- Completed over 500 hours in pair programming, mob programming, and independent work environments.
- Gained proficiency in many concepts, programming languages, and frameworks, including: HTML, CSS, Javascript, Jest, Ruby, SQL, ReactJS, Ruby on Rails, RSpec, Git, Github, PostgreSQL, and Postman

BCBA Clinical Supervisor and Assistant Director Roles

Xcite Steps, Golden View Learning Center, Rady Children's Hospital

2016-2022

- Translated data from client progress into clear visualizations for stakeholders
- Trained, mentored, and supervised staff in home, school, clinic and community settings
- Designed therapy programs for clients including ongoing assessment and troubleshooting
- Maintained continuous communication with stakeholders including parents, teachers, and insurance companies regarding client progress
- Successfully managed projects with structured timelines including:
 - Rollout of new data collection software, including setting up an app with company specific information, training staff, and monitoring ongoing usage of the app.
 - Migrated a library of approximately 1,000 children's books into an online database, allowing teachers to lesson plan more efficiently
 - Restructured new hire training and performance reviews to incorporate a behavioral skills training model, increasing employee satisfaction with evaluation procedures by 15%

PROJECTS

Didjadoo - A social to-do list app

Tech lead on a team of 4 members

- Dynamic full-stack app allows users to set and track goals, view others' goals and cheer them on with likes.
- Multiple relational tables with a variety of data types stored in each table
- Achieved 90% test coverage with Jest and RSpec
- Currently developing the ability to friend users as well as leave comments on a user's page
- React front-end, with Rails on the back end, and a PostgreSQL database.
- This app has full CRUD capabilities and utilizes RESTful routing
- Deployed at didjadoo.onrender.com