Tolu Edionwe

Full-stack software engineer committed to building socially impactful, inclusive products. I'm currently focused on backend work and thrive in collaborative environments that foster curiosity and continuous learning.

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Proficiencies

Ruby on Rails, React (Web & Native), PostgreSQL, Typescript, GraphQL, Redux

Experience

Underdog Fantasy, New York, NY   Nov. 2022 - Present
Backend Engineer (*Aug. 2024 - Present*), Web Engineer (*Nov. 2022 - Aug. 2024*)
- ✦ Transitioned to backend engineering, now focusing on designing and scaling APIs with Ruby on Rails to support platform expansion and improve system performance.
- ✦ Maintain and optimize backend infrastructure to ensure reliability and support new features.
- ✦ Previously focused on frontend development, implementing new contest types and translating Figma designs into interactive user interfaces.

The Atlantic, New York, NY   Feb. 2020 - July 2022
Senior Software Engineer (*Jan. 2022 - July 2022*), Software Engineer (*Feb. 2020 - Dec. 2021*)
- ✦ Mentored junior engineers through pair programming, code reviews, and one-on-one guidance.
- ✦ Supported critical decision making and execution related to experimental storytelling and mobile app feed curation.
- ✦ Enhanced internal content management systems while improving site responsiveness and overall user experience as part of cross-functional teams.

Axios, Front End Engineer, New York, NY   May 2018 - Feb. 2020
- ✦ Contributed to the ideation, development, and public launch of a successful mobile app in April 2020, focusing on UX and functionality.
- ✦ Enhanced and maintained critical site components, including the CMS, website UI, and internal company tools.

Code & Theory, Front End Web Developer Intern, New York, NY   Dec. 2017 - Feb. 2018
- ✦ Styled and debugged client websites to ensure functional and aesthetic consistency.

The Outline, Editorial and Web Intern, New York, NY   Oct. 2016 - Sept. 2017
- ✦ Built interactive editorial pieces and web tools.

New York Code & Design Academy, Web Development Fellow/TA   Jan. 2016 - Sept. 2016
- ✦ Developed internal site features, resolved bugs, and supported students in learning programming concepts and resolving technical challenges.

Education

New York Code & Design Academy, New York, NY – Full Stack Web Development, 2015
Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA – Sociology, 2015