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## skills summary

- Full-stack software engineer with background in .NET Framework and Microsoft Visual Studio.
- Languages include C#, Python, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, and SQL (SQL Server, MySQL, SQLite).
- Development history with MVC, MVVM, and n-tier architecture -based software projects.
- Proactive team player with experience in Agile/Scrum workflow in software development.
- Substantial leadership/administration experience working with teams and stakeholders outside of tech.

## education

**The Tech Academy** | Software Developer Bootcamp 2017  
**Lewis & Clark Law School** | J.D., Certificate in Environmental and Natural Resources Law 2006-2009  
**Massachusetts Institute of Technology** | B.S., Environmental Science 2002-2006

## software experience

**Prosper IT Consulting** | Back-End and Web Software Developer Intern Portland, OR | 2017

- Developed an automated web scraper using C# to collect online job postings on company websites, update them to an Azure database server, and output a backup file in JSON.
- Redesigned a job board website's maps of tech companies using Google Maps JavaScript API.
- Made miscellaneous updates to the job board website using HTML/CSS and Adobe Photoshop CC.

## pre-software experience

**Oregon State Bar** | Acting Director of Diversity & Inclusion Tigard, OR | 2016

- Managed a \$700,000+ department budget to operate eight pipeline, mentorship, and grant programs to recruit and retain diverse law students and lawyers in Oregon.
- Advised and collaborated with legal firms and organizations to develop programs and long-term strategic goals to diversify their memberships.
- Reviewed research in diversity and inclusion (D&I) across multiple industries to evaluate the long-term success and progress of OSB's D&I programs.

**Oregon State Bar** | Diversity & Inclusion Coordinator Tigard, OR | 2015-2016, 2017

- Oversaw day-to-day administration of OSB's diversity pipeline, mentorship, and grant programs.
- Collected and analyzed demographic data from OSB programs to review progress toward goals set by OSB's three-year Diversity Action Plan.
- Converted department's program workflows to solution design documents (SDDs) to import into OSB's new association management software platform (Aptify).
- Forecasted operation costs for future department budgets based on review of past budgets.

**Cartwright Baer Johansson PC** | Associate Attorney Portland, OR | 2012-2015

- Advised and appeared on behalf of clients in six- to eight- figure trust and estate litigation lawsuits in Oregon state and federal courts.
- Performed multi-year forensic financial analyses to identify misappropriation of estate/trust funds.
- Drafted contracts and settlement agreements to reform technical defects in estate and trust plans.

## additional skills

**Foreign Languages** | Basic proficiency in reading, writing, and speaking in Japanese and Korean.  
**Graphic Design** | Intermediate proficiency in using Adobe's Creative Cloud (CC) Suite.

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## volunteer work

**Community Alliance of Tenants** | Hotline Database Volunteer      Portland, OR | 2015-2016  
**Oregon Minority Lawyers Association** | Co-chair      Portland, OR | 2011-2017  
**Oregon Minority Lawyers Association** | Secretary      Portland, OR | 2010

## licenses + recognition

**Willamette University College of Law APALSA** | Leader in Promoting Diversity Award      2016  
**US District Court, District of Oregon** | Licensed to Practice Law      2012  
**Oregon State Bar** | Licensed to Practice Law      2009

## personal interests

**Creative** | I design nerdy board games and play the electric guitar (a fire engine red Fender).  
**Culinary** | I host a monthly themed food event and bake unconventional pies for Pi Day most years.  
**Semi-Sporty** | I play futsal, boulder, and am a three-year season ticket holder for the Portland Thorns.