

# CASSANDRA SMITH

## SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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### PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Dedicated and detail-oriented software engineer with excellent problem-solving and soft skills seeking a full-time position in a company that values collaboration and learning. Excited to move to the next step of my career transition and expand my professional skills, build a long-term career in technology, and work with a driven team to achieve success. Bringing a solid foundation gained through a knowledge of modern programming languages with a M.S. in Software Engineering.

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### SKILLS

- HTML / CSS
  - JavaScript
  - Java / C++
  - React JS / React Router6
  - Node / Express
  - MongoDB / SQL Server
  - Agile / Scrum / Jira
  - Strategic Planning
  - Leadership Skills
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### EDUCATION

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

Kennesaw State University / 2022

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY

Northwestern State University of Louisiana / 2018

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### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Decentralized Tech / Aug. 2022 - Dec. 2022

- Partnered with capstone team on a complete rebuild for client that included public-facing site, admin, employee, & client dashboards.
- Collaborated in the development, utilizing Agile methodologies, from concept through to completion, including requirements gathering and analysis, defining sprint goals, application design, system development, unit testing, and deployment.
- Supported capstone team with timely completion of all assigned sprint tasks while also initiating the drafting of requirements documentation and managing the creation of issues into the Jira backlog.

#### OWNER / PRODUCT DESIGN MANAGE

Abbey + Ava / Jan. 2020 - Jun. 2022

- Executed product designs from concept through to completion, including defining goals, design planning, and prototyping.
- Oversaw in-house manufacturing and quality control of standard and seasonal children's accessory product lines.
- Delivered a clean aesthetic across various platforms, including website, social media channels, and other promotional materials.

#### ELEMENTARY TEACHER

Private Education Cooperative / Aug. 2017 - Jun. 2022

- Created and curated developmentally appropriate curriculum and lesson plans for grade levels K-4 that aligned with state standards.
- Implemented grade-appropriate instructional methods and maintained accurate and complete grades and records.
- Created and maintained an individualized learning environment that was beneficial to students' growth and learning.
- Improved students' passing rate and test scores in Math, English, and Reading.

#### KINDERGARTEN TEACHER

Uplift Elevate Prep / Apr. 2019- Sept. 2019

- Implemented instructional methods and materials that were age-appropriate and aligned with state standards.
- Created and maintained a classroom environment for 20-25 kindergarteners that was conducive to student learning.
- Provided differentiated instruction based on individual student's academic needs.
- Maintained accurate and complete records and lesson plans.

#### EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

Simmons Security Services Inc. / Sept. 2019 - Mar. 2020

- Supported both President and Vice President with daily data entry, email correspondences, and industry related research.
- Assisted with completion of payroll, invoicing, bookkeeping, and various tax preparations, and filings.
- Performed various employee management tasks such as employee scheduling, new-hire assessment, and employee file upkeep.