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Project Portfolio: <https://blake-brandon-portfolio-080c5c5b859c.herokuapp.com>

About Me

Passionate software developer with a focus on Python and backend web development. I've independently built and deployed full-stack applications, including a real-time music platform, a developer Q&A site, and an e-commerce store with Stripe integration. These projects strengthened my skills in building backend systems, connecting APIs, and delivering functional, full-stack applications.

Proficient in Flask and Django, with experience deploying to Heroku and AWS. Based in Brooklyn and actively seeking a junior developer role where I can grow, contribute to real projects, and keep building my skills.

Technical Skills

Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Flask, Django, Node.js, Bootstrap, SQL, Git, Heroku, AWS (basic), Docker (basic), RESTful APIs, WebSockets

Certifications

AWS Cloud Practitioner

Demonstrates foundational knowledge of AWS cloud concepts, services, and solutions. Validates your understanding of core cloud technologies and architecture.

Courses

Python Data Structures & Algorithms

Comprehensive course covering essential data structures and algorithmic strategies in Python, enhancing problem-solving skills.

Python OOP: Object-Oriented Programming in Python

Focused on the fundamentals and practical applications of OOP, highlighting your understanding of structured programming and Python's object-oriented capabilities.

LeetCode

65 Problems Solved – Dedicated practice in coding challenges across various topics, showcasing persistence and skill in data structures, algorithms, and problem-solving.

Projects

Groove Hub

Live Demo: <https://groovehub-1d4997d3b5cb.herokuapp.com/>

GitHub: <https://github.com/blakebrandon-hub/groove-hub>

Groove Hub is a chatroom where you can share music from YouTube, build collaborative playlists, and enjoy watching and listening with others in real-time.

Heap Overflow

Live Demo: <https://heap-overflow-a923010546c2.herokuapp.com/>

GitHub: <https://github.com/blakebrandon-hub/heap-overflow>

Heap Overflow is a Q&A website for software and development, where users can authenticate to ask questions, answer them, or follow specific topics.

E-commerce Website

Live Demo: <https://online-shop-example-805474abb1a5.herokuapp.com/>

GitHub: <https://github.com/blakebrandon-hub/online-shop>

This project integrates Stripe Checkout, offering a secure and efficient payment gateway. The user-friendly interface allows customers to easily purchase products.