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## SOFTWARE DEVELOPER | FULL-STACK *edwardcastaneda.com*

Full-stack web developer with hands-on experience building modern, responsive web applications using JavaScript, React, and Next.js, including real-time features with Web sockets, Socket.IO and relational data modeling with MySQL / PostgreSQL + Prisma ORM. Strong foundation in object-oriented programming, MVC architecture, and core CS concepts (data structures, algorithms, DBMS). Experienced working in high-volume, enterprise environments supporting business-critical workflows, improving data quality, and collaborating cross-functionally to resolve issues and keep operations running smoothly.

### EXPERIENCE

**RUST-OLEUM** Vernon Hills, Illinois

2024 – 2026

#### Data Entry Specialist (SAP / EDI Operations)

Executed SAP transactions to create, update, and process sales orders, delivery documents, and invoices while maintaining data accuracy and completeness.

- Investigated and corrected inconsistencies between EDI feeds and SAP records to reduce downstream processing issues and improve order flow reliability.
- Partnered with logistics, sales, and operations teams to reconcile exceptions, resolve data issues, and support timely fulfillment.
- Improved workflow consistency by applying structured data-entry standards and tracking recurring errors to prevent repeat issues.
- Interpreted raw EDI input and ensure proper formatting, validation, and completeness prior to system updates.

**TARGET CORP** Gurnee, Illinois

2022 – 2024

#### Team Member

Delivered accurate, time-sensitive task execution while maintaining a high-quality customer experience.

- Trained new team members on daily-use electronic devices and standard workflows to improve onboarding speed and consistency.
- Resolved customer issues efficiently by troubleshooting, escalating when needed, and following documented processes.

**TIMBERLAND (VF Corp)** Pleasant Prairie, Wisconsin

2018 – 2021

#### Assistant Manager

Led store-level technology readiness by keeping systems updated, troubleshooting hardware / software issues, and supporting device setup.

- Supported e-commerce order processing by training staff on tools and workflows used for sales and fulfillment.
- Strengthened operational performance through coaching, process adherence, and customer-first execution.

### EDUCATION & TRAINING

Full-Stack Web Development Certificate Northwestern University Evanston, Illinois 2022 – 2023

Computer Science College of Lake County Grayslake, Illinois 2015 – 2017