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FRONTEND WEB DEVELOPER

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PROFILE

Self-taught front-end web developer with a passion for creating impactful, user-friendly web apps. I have strong knowledge of HTML, CSS, Javascript, React and Astro. Additionally, I have developed excellent leadership, communication, organisational and problem solving skills during my time in hospitality. I am eager to learn and I continuously strive to develop my own skills and knowledge to ensure I stay up to date with the latest trends in technologies. Please see my portfolio website for more information to assist in my application which displays my recent projects.

I have been developing my knowledge and understanding on languages and frameworks for over 5 years alongside my career in hospitality. During this time I have used the following resources to develop my main skills and tool set.

- Code Academy
- YouTube
- Frontend Mentor
- Treehouse
- Udemy
- Stack Overflow / Documentation

EXPERIENCE

Main Skills	Main Tools
HTML5	VS Code
CSS3	Github
JavaScript	Netlify
React	Figma
Sass	Sanity
Git	Slack
Astro	Trello
CMS	Google
GraphQL	ChatGPT

FREELANCE WEB DEVELOPER

REMOTE WORK - 2020 to Present

During this time as a freelance web-developer I have communicated with a variety of different clientele and worked on various web development projects. I have created websites that are responsive, cross browser compatible and optimised for website speed.

I have worked with designers as well as independently with the client, to deliver a high standard website suitable for the brief provided. Furthermore, I have also white-labelled for a London Web Development agency which specialised in bespoke shopify websites, created with Shopify Liquid.

In addition to this, I have completed several personal projects to enhance my skill set in a variety of different areas. Some examples of my websites and projects are found on my Website portfolio.

One of the most recent projects that I am currently working on is Dick White Academy. This has been created using Astro and Sanity.io as the headless CMS.

Some of my key accomplishments to date for this project include:

- Client Communication and responsiveness to emails
- Sketching/Wire Framing
- Design of the website involving the use of Figma
- Mobile-first responsive design
- Cross-browser compatibility
- 100 lighthouse score for all categories
- SCSS styling
- Ongoing support and maintenance

GENERAL MANAGER

LITTLE KITCHEN PANTRY LTD - 2017 to 2022

As the General Manager of Little Kitchen Pantry Ltd, I oversaw the daily operations of the restaurant, whilst creating and regularly reviewing the business's website, advertisement and accounts. I also contributed to menu concepts, branding and site renovations.

DEPUTY MANAGER

CASUAL DINING GROUP - 2015 to 2017

As the Deputy Manager of Casual Dining Group, I supported the General Manager in staff training, auditing, stock control and team leadership, whilst overseeing the day-to-day operations of a high-volume restaurant.

RELIEF MANAGER

FULLER, SMITH & TURNER PLC - 2010 to 2015

As a Manager for Fuller, Smith & Turner PLC, I oversaw the operations of multiple pubs, ensuring high levels of customer service and financial performance, whilst maintaining compliance with company policies and health and safety regulations.