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I am a versatile, energetic and detail-oriented dev with a track-record in effective communication, committed team-collaboartion, strong sense-of-initiative and fast learning. I am looking for a long-term permanent role in an established company.

EXPERIENCE

Full-Stack Developer, Free-lance (August 2022 - present)

I'm not one to wait, so whilst applying for junior roles I've independently started working professionally as a dev (all finished projects viewable on portfolio site).

Photography site

React/Redux | SASS/Styled-components | NodeJs | GraphQL

Digital exhibition space for established photographer's personal work. Working very closely with artist to style digital space as they develop their online vision.

MARB Language Services

React/Redux | SASS/Styled-components | NodeJs | SQL

Online home for established translation company based in Miami. Focus being to not need future updates, all copy fully changeable by client on the front-end.

Klover Healthcare

React/Redux | Bootstrap | NodeJs | Stripe API | SQL

Commissioned for psychologist offering a mental-health assessment service. Includes dynamic appointslot slot generation, client UI and online payments.

Full-Stack Dev Trainee, The Jump Digital School (*January - April 2022*) After teaching myself for six months I took a three-month full-time course to learn industry standards from 30+ years veteran tutors.

Portfolio

React/Redux | SASS | NodeJs | SQL

I used my portfolio site as a chance to cement my learning of React/Redux, nodeJS and MySQL. Designed to feel clean and smooth, yet with personality!

Find Sparks

React/Redux | Bootstrap | NodeJs | SQL

A mobile dating-web-app made in a team of four. Whilst I worked on onboarding, data-management and the back-end, I solely designed the matching algorythm.

Relevant Non-Tech

Support Case-Worker, Depaul UK (Aprill 2018 - May 2020)

Supported young people at risk of homelessness in highly challenging and dynamic conditions. Collaborated effectively in under-resourced teams. Learnt quickly on-the-job to achieve beneficial results for cases where previous support workers had failed.

Event Company Founder, Hidden (*September 2016 - November 2017*) Founded and ran an events company in Medellín, Colombia. Regularly worked to punishing deadlines and manage staff of upto 12. Company was profitable enough to fully re-pay starting loan and pass company on to local protogé.

English Language Teacher, Various (*July 2015 - September 2016*)
Taught classes in the UK and individuals in Colombia. Required excellent written and oral English communication skills. *All* of my students successfully passed their respective qualification exams whilst under my tutalage.

SKILLS

Proficient in

HTML5, CSS3/SASS, Bootstrap, JavaScript/jQuery, React/Redux, JSON/AJAX, NodeJS/Express, SQL/ MySQL, MVC & RESTful conventions

Have used and familiar with

Python, Jest, MongoDB/GraphQL, npm/Homebrew, Git/Github/Heroku, cPanel & server-less deployment

Practices

Agile conventions Responsive Design & Mobile First WCAG TDD

Design | Media

Adobe Photoshop/InDesign/AfterEffects Affinity Photo/Designer/Publisher Figma Final Cut Pro Digital & analogue illustration

Other

Resourceful & efficient learner Strong verbal & written communication Team collaboration & leadership Effective independent worker Speak English, Spanish & Flemish/Dutch

EDUCATION

Full-Stack Dev Training

The Jump Digital School January - April 2022

Cultural Studies MA (1st)

SOAS University September 2019 - June 2021

Animation BA

University of Westminster September 2009 - June 2013

Animation Foundation

London College of Communication September 2008 - June 2009

ADDITIONAL INFO

Right to work in the UK and EU Immediately available for interview References available on request Interests: illustration, politics, DnD, travel