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Front-End Developer

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Profile

I am a front-end web developer with a background in classical guitar performance. After completing my doctorate degree in music, I wanted to extend my passion for creativity and learning to the field of web development. I am dedicated to creating responsive, accessible, user-friendly web applications.

Skills

HTML5	JavaScript	Web Accessibility	Github
CSS3	jQuery	REST APIs	Cross-Browser Testing
SASS	React.js	Responsive Design	Firebase

Education

Juno College of Technology   2020
Web Development Immersive

University of Toronto   2014–2020
Doctor of Musical Arts
Thesis: "The Guitar Duo: Interaction and Group Creativity"

University of Toronto   2012–2014
Master of Music

Projects

Guitar Chords | HTML | SASS | jQuery | Javascript
The Guitar Chords application features a fully interactive fretboard purely made in CSS. Users can select a chord, play the audio of the full chord, or hover over the individual strings to hear the individual notes. This project was inspired by my passion for education.

Trivia Time | React | Firebase
Compete against your friends while racing the clock in this exciting trivia application! This application allows users to select from several trivia categories, to test their knowledge in a fun educational game.

Work Experience

Music instructor | Conservatory of Central Illinois | Illinois   2019–Present
Taught private music lessons to several young students.

Teaching Assistant & Sound Technician | University of Toronto | Toronto   2012–2018
Teaching Assistant for small guitar ensembles.
Sound Technician at the University recording studio.

Music Instructor | Lippert School of Music | Toronto   2013–2018
Taught hundreds of lessons to over 60 students of various ages.