

Gonçalo Cardoso Curriculum Vitae

Javascript Developer & Evangelist

Personal Info

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Summary

About me	I'm an enthusiastic Javascript developer with a big passion for web and software development. Very professional with a great work ethic and a loyal worker that focuses on the best results. I have a powerful team spirit, a creative mind and a great sense of humour. Technically, I code not only with native object oriented Javascript but I also have experience working with many frameworks and libraries, such as AngularJS, React and jQuery. My front-end development approach follows the SEO rules and techniques as well as usability guidelines with performance awareness. The mobile compatibility is one of my main concerns so I'm always focused on making my applications work nice and smoothly on mobile devices. Given my passion about javascript, I'm also a co-organizer of a very well known and recognised javascript meetup in Lisbon, called require('lx').
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Work Experience

Date	March 2015 to present
Company	e.near - Nearshore Technology Solutions <small>Software House @ Lisbon, Portugal</small>
Position held	Lead Javascript Developer
Main responsibilities	I'm responsible for the development of mobile casino games, using mainly Javascript for the frontend (2D Canvas & WebGL), backend (Node.js) and unit testing. As a team leader of a 10 people team, my main goal is to motivate and push them to deliver high quality games, taking the responsibility of all the technical decisions made in the process. As a javascript specialist within the company, I'm also responsible for mentoring and teach all the other developers who work for other projects, to make sure they follow high quality code standards. I encourage the entire company to be aware about the cutting edge technologies by attending to conferences and meetups.
Date	October 2013 to March 2015
Company	StepValue - Web Intelligence <small>Digital Marketing Agency @ Lisbon, Portugal</small>
Position held	Front-end Developer
Main responsibilities	I was responsible for the front-end development of desktop and mobile web applications, always focused on user experience, design, performance and responsive techniques, using the latest frameworks by that time, such as Angular JS and Kendo UI. Most of the web applications were single-page apps and the front-end was consumed by REST Api's, which required an asynchronous development approach.

Date October 2010 to October 2013

Company Portugal Telecom Information and Communication Technologies @ Lisbon, Portugal

Position held Front-end Developer

Main responsibilities I was responsible for the front-end development of desktop and mobile websites, always focused on user experience, design, performance and responsive techniques using HTML5, CSS3 and Javascript. In addition, I was also concerned about cross-browser compatibility, including the old ones like Internet Explorer 7. I've worked with major portuguese clients such as Sport Lisboa e Benfica, Portugal Telecom, Portuguese Football Federation and Portuguese Navy. In the last two projects besides developing my role was to lead the front-end team.

Date February 2008 to August 2008

Company Finepaper Graphic Design and Production @ Lisbon, Portugal

Position held Web developer - Part-time

Main responsibilities While I was studying, I tried to find an opportunity that could help me putting in practice what I was learning in college, and Finepaper gave me that chance. I was responsible for the development of flash websites using the programming language ActionScript 3.0, including the company's website.

Education

Date October 2007 to July 2010

Course Multimedia Engineering

Degree Bachelor (Bologna Process)

Institution Instituto Superior de Tecnologias Avançadas

Final Grade 15 / 20

Main Subjects Software Engineering, Programming Languages, Web Development, Database Management, Maths and Statistics, Video and Animation

Main Skills

Development HTML5, CSS3, Javascript ES6 (Functional, Modular and Object Oriented), Node.js, Single Page Applications, Progressive Enhancement, Graceful Degradation, Cross-browser Compatibility, 2D Canvas, WebGL, Flux & Redux, Git & SVN

APIs REST APIs, Facebook Graph API, Google Maps API, Twitter API

Javascript frameworks React, AngularJS, Kendo UI, jQuery (UI and Mobile)

Testing frameworks Mocha, Cha, Selenium

Soft skills Enthusiastic, creativity, problem solving, teamwork, decision making, quick learning, time management, team leadership, determination, responsibility, patience, proactivity, accuracy, result-driven

Interests Swimming, walking, running, music, digital world, advertising, marketing, politics, design, web development, programming, computer science, tech conferences and meetups