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Summary

Full Stack Web Developer leveraging a background in special education and primary teaching to build accessible and responsive applications. Recently earned a certificate in Full Stack Development from the University of Western Australia Coding Bootcamp, with newly developed skills in JavaScript, CSS, JQuery, Node js, MySQL, MongoDB, REACT and responsive web design. Known as organised and hardworking with a flair for the creative. Aim to create visually appealing, user-friendly and useful applications. Excited to use newly learnt skills to develop applications that solve existing problems and exceed clients' expectations.

Technical Skills

HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Foundation, Bulma, NodeJS, Javascript, JQuery, Github, Media Queries, APIs, JSON, AJAX, Technical writing, MySQL, Express, Authentication, MongoDB, React

Projects

Basketball Stats

- An application that allows basketballers to easily have their stats tracked during game play and reviewed afterwards in various graphical representations. It provides data that can be used to improve game play and consistency.
- Given significant time constraints was able to successfully develop an MVP that is easy to use, visually appealing and functional.
- The application uses a MERN stack, React-Image-Mapper, MDB React and React-Bootstrap
- Deployed link: <https://basketball-stats39.herokuapp.com/>
- Github: <https://github.com/CazB67/basketball-stats>

Find Surf Spot App

- An application that uses Willy Weather API to recommend the best surf spots in the Perth metropolitan area.
- Cooperatively and efficiently working in a group of three using Agile software development (Kanban) Github and the command line.
- Role included website design using Foundation Framework, familiarisation with Google Maps Embed API and how it works to display maps on the page.
- Deployed link: <https://cazb67.github.io/find-surf-spot-app/>
- Github: <https://github.com/CazB67/find-surf-spot-app>

Gratitude Journal

- A gratitude journal application where users can log gratitudes and enact acts of kindness.
- Featuring nodejs, sequelize, Bulma CSS, passport and Facebook authentication
- Collaborated effectively in a group of four using Agile software development, Github and the command line to develop a working and useful app within the designated time frame.

- Role included task delegation, UI, quotes API, front end Javascript, handlebars and some API and HTML routes
- Deployed link: <https://safe-dawn-22162.herokuapp.com>
- Github: <https://github.com/CazB67/gratitude-journal>

Experience

Department of Education WA

January 2015 - December 2019

Relief Teacher

- Primary and education support teacher at various schools covering different ages, abilities and for varying lengths of times showing adaptability and resourcefulness.

Class Professionals

January 2012 - December 2019

Tutor

- Helping primary aged students to achieve improved outcomes in literacy and numeracy by developing strategies for learning.

Merriwa Education Support Centre

Feb - June 2011

Classroom and relief teacher

- Provided middle and upper primary support showing adaptability and excellent collaborative skills.

Roseworth Education Support Centre

2010

Classroom teacher

- Teaching a senior primary class of children with special needs and challenging behaviours life skills and working with them to transition campuses and prepare for high school.

Education

University of Western Australia (2020): Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp Certificate

- A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, Node Js, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, Handelbars.js & ReactJS.

Edith Cowan University (2010): Graduate Certificate of Education (Special Education)

Murdoch University (2002): Graduate Diploma in Education (Primary)

Murdoch University (2001): Bachelor of Marketing and the Media