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SUMMARY

Full stack web developer coming from an unorthodox background of social care, environmental campaigning and traditional crafting. The common ground between all these elements is a willingness to learn new skills, problem solve, and looking for new ways forward. Trained at the University of Birmingham Coding Bootcamp, covering HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Node.js. Looking to combine my interests in environmental and social justice with a technical background to help tackle these important issues.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript ES6+, CSS3, HTML5, jQuery

Applications: GitHub, MySQL, MongoDB,

Tools: Node, Bootstrap, Materialize, API, ajax, Express, handlebars, mongoose, node.js, MongoDB, IndexedDB

PROJECTS

Code Crowd

https://github.com/ClaireMDavies/Code_Crowd

<https://code-crowd-cmd.herokuapp.com/>

- Summary: Full stack web application to provide a social media site for programmers allowing people to make connections based on their skills, and create posts, include code snippets and comment on other posts.
- Role: Creating front end javascript functionality, and back end support.
- Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, handlebars, node.js, mySQL, sequelize

Eat in 'N Drink in

github.com/ClaireMDavies/eat-in-n-drink-in

clairemdavies.github.io/eat-in-n-drink-in/

- Summary: Using multiple API's, creating a food pairing app where users can define the ingredients to include and exclude in both their meal and drink.
- Role: Data team, manipulating the response from the drinks API
- Tools: jQuery, ajax, JavaScript, API

Work Day Scheduler

github.com/ClaireMDavies/work-day-scheduler-app

clairemdavies.github.io/work-day-scheduler-app/

- Summary: Scheduling tool to show past, present and current events in any working day.
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap

EXPERIENCE

Communication Support
Workers Education Association

2017-2019
Redditch, Worcs

Provided one-to-one communication support through British Sign Language for a Deaf student who attended sewing courses. Along with emotional support to address life-skill issues, linking with outside agencies who had additional resources, and encouraged independence.

Key Accomplishments:

- Enabled the student to not only succeed in learning new skills, but to build friendships with other students

Company owner and Designer

2013-2016

Aisling Designs

Redditch, Worcs

Sole trader of a craft business trading on an international scale through platforms such as Etsy, Facebook, and Folksy, as well as through local bricks and mortar establishments. Undertaking commissions for bespoke items, and running workshops.

Key Accomplishments:

- Approached to run workshops in other areas of the country
- Chosen to help represent Etsy in their only UK based tv campaign
- Provided products to customers not only in the UK, but also Ireland, France, USA, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and more.

VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCE

Coordinator

2018-2021

Bromsgrove and Redditch Green Party

Redditch, Worcs

Running local election campaigns, organising volunteers, co-ordinating with the national party, and running events.

Coffee Shop Attendant

2018-2021

Redditch Ecumenical Centre

Redditch, Worcs

One morning a week, serving customers at the coffee shop, and mentoring other volunteers.

Committee Member

2016-2017

Bromsgrove and Redditch Welcome Refugees

Redditch, Worcs

Providing practical support, friendship, and fundraising to a number of Syrian families settled in Redditch through the Vulnerable Persons Resettlement Scheme. As well as setting up a craft group for refugees and the local community to forge friendships despite a lack of common language.

Breastfeeding Peer Supporter

2006-2012

Redditch Baby Bistro

Redditch, Worcs

Trained volunteer role to support breastfeeding mothers. Running a local weekly group at various SureStart centres and also visiting maternity wards to meet new mothers and answer any questions they had.

EDUCATION

Bootcamp Certificate:

2020-2021

University of Birmingham

Birmingham, UK.

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

Degree:

1993-1997

Birmingham City University

Birmingham, UK.

BA (Hons) Sociology 2:1, and Diploma in Social Work, with a dissertation on the subject of Communication with people with Dementia.