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EDUCATION

- **Elementary** (2010-2016)
Mauban North Elementary School - 1 Graduated
- **Junior High School || Technical Vocational:** Specialization in Electrical (2016-2020)
Manuel S. Enverga Memorial School of Arts and Trade Graduated
- **Senior High School || Academic Track:** Science Technology Engineering & Mathematics (2020-2022)
Dr. Maria D. Pastrana National High School Graduated
- **Tertiary || Course:** Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (2022 - Current)
STI College

SKILLS

- **Technologies:** HTML, CSS, Javascript, React, Tailwind CSS, PHP, Python, Java, C++ GitHub, MySQL, Figma, Word Press, & Notion
- **Skills:** Planning, Analysis, Debugging, Team Collaboration, Web Design, Prototyping, Web Development, strong written and verbal communication using English

PROJECT WORK EXPERIENCE

PAMO: A Web-Based Inventory Management and Ordering System for STI College Lucena Current

UI / UX Designer || Frontend Developer | January 2025 - Current

- Collaborated with team members to define the system flow and streamline purchasing asset management tasks.
- Improved inventory tracking and ordering process for PAMO officers by building a user-friendly web system, reducing manual checking and improving accessibility for students.
- Achieved building frontend development and smoother user experience by designing UI/UX interfaces and building the frontend using **HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, and MySQL**.

Bayanimo: A Web-Based Project Management for Locals in the Philippines

July 2025

UI / UX Designer || Frontend Developer | July 2025

- Enabled collaboration from municipal to barangay sectors by developing a centralized management system, fostering transparency and unity between departments.
- Contributed to faster project progress by designing the UI and developing the frontend using **React, Vite, Tailwind CSS**, while integrating backend via **Express.js and MongoDB**
- Improved system usability by analyzing user flows and aligning design decisions with real-world community management workflows.

PrepTalk AI – AI-Powered Mock Interview and Feedback System

June - July 2025

UI / UX Designer || Frontend Developer | June - July 2025

- Helped job seekers and freelancers enhance communication skills by providing a mock interview simulation platform powered by AI feedback.
- Designed the UI/UX and led the frontend development using **React, Vite, Tailwind CSS**, increasing productivity through component reuse and rapid prototyping.
- Participated in ideation and user flow design, which clarified product direction and strengthened user experience structure.

Personal Portfolio: A Personal Website Portfolio

April - May 2025

UI / UX Designer || Frontend Developer | May 2025

- Showcased skills and past projects to potential employers by building a personal portfolio using **React and CSS**, improving visibility and personal branding.
- Practiced modern frontend frameworks and applied responsive web design principles, improving

adaptability across devices and screen sizes.

- Built and deployed a live portfolio, ensuring accessibility and ease of navigation for recruiters.

STI GWA Calculator:

April 2025

UI / UX Designer || Frontend Developer | April 2025

- Assisted STI students in calculating their General Weighted Average (GWA) automatically, reducing manual error by creating an input-based calculator web app.
- Improved calculation speed and accuracy by applying conditional logic and UI feedback using **React, Vite, and Tailwind CSS**.
- Used the project as a learning tool to solidify understanding of frontend logic flow and styling.

NailsByKheley: Booking and Service Showcase Website

September - December 2023

UI / UX Designer || Frontend Developer | December 2023

- Helped a local beauty service business attract and schedule clients online by creating a responsive service showcase and booking site.
- Designed the UI/UX and contributed to the frontend using **HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP**, improving customer reach and brand visibility.
- Ensured the final design aligned with the client's visual branding and service flow.

CERTIFICATIONS

Certificate of Academic - Academic Dean's Lister

Certificate of Participation - OpenIT Hackathon

Certificate of Participation - FEU Create & Conquer Hackathon

Certificate of Recognition as Finalist - FEU Create & Conquer Hackathon

Certificate of Achievement - 2nd Place FEU Create & Conquer Hackathon

Certificate of Achievement - Best in Working Prototype FEU Create & Conquer Hackathon

Certificate of Achievement - Best in Database Management System (NailsByKheley)

Certificate of Completion - Responsive Web Design (freeCodeCamp)

Certificate of Completion - Web Development (sololearn)

Certificate of Completion - Introduction to Javascript (sololearn)

Certificate of Completion - Javascript Intermediate (sololearn)