

Dear Google,

Excellence, professionalism, growth, and fun. Of all the characteristics and values that are important to me, these are paramount as I set out to reach my aspirations and goals. It is with these critical components of my personality and ethics that I have provided business opportunities and projects with quality work and increased success. I am now on the path towards bringing my career to a new space and from this I would love to bring value to your team at Google.

I am a driven individual who has fallen in love with the field of programming and website development. The wonder of creating software that will manifest in tangible products for users and customers and the constant challenge of problem solving and finding creative solutions provides a excitement that I have found lacking in many other fields. I have started my work in this field through freelancing and contract work, and I am now searching for a team that can meet my excitement and passion for web development with opportunities for growth and an environment focused on success. I can think of no better a company that would match my excitement and passion than Google.

As someone with one and a half years of experience in website development, I am seeking an environment that is going to give me opportunities to provide value and to grow in my knowledge and technical skills. Google is a company known around the world for its success in bringing information and knowledge to everyone it touches; if given an opportunity to work at Google, I would strive each day to further that mission by creating products that are accessible, fun, and inspiring. This is what makes Google's front end so amazing, the products not only provide great value, but are also so easy and fun to use and create an amazingly integrated environment.

It is my goal to show employers that they are investing not only in my capacity to provide benefit to their organization, but in my diligence to improve, my self-starter mentality, my capacity for teamwork and leadership, and my commitment to creating a better web. I do not specifically have a degree in computer science, but I believe my experience, dedication, and determination to make amazing web based experiences are testament to my ability to be an excellent developer. I thank you for your consideration in my candidacy as a potential hire and look forward to hearing from you soon!

Best,

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Technical Skills

- Typescript/Javascript(ES6), React, Sass/Css, HTML5, REST, Node.Js, Git, Webpack

Relevant Work Experience

Freelance Web Development

February 2017 - Current

Carla Kunkel

- Created a website for her interior design business. The site has provided her business with an online presence and a greatly improved marketing platform.
- Languages, Frameworks, and Tools: HTML, SASS/CSS, Javascript, JQuery

Scale 7, Remote

Front End Developer, January 2018 - March 2018

- Created a minimum viable product to demonstrate a prototype for a website application involved in managing benefits for employees.
- Designed and created infrastructure for front end of website application.
- Worked with backend developer to create full lifecycle of data and test viability.
- Languages and frameworks used: React, Node, JQuery, Javascript, Html, Css/Sass, Git

Main Electric Supply, Santa Ana, CA

Front End Developer, January 2018 and March 2018

- Creation of an internal document creation and editing suite to allow employees to better manage quotes for customers
- Creation of workflow simulator prototype to present to Main Electric Client
- Designed and engineered products to match Main Electric Supply's vision and functionality and worked closely with back end developer to integrate database and api's
- Languages and frameworks used: React, Node, JQuery, Javascript, Html, Css/Sass, Git

US Marines and MD5

Front End Developer, January 2018 - Current

- Designer and engineer of MaPR (Marine Permit Repository), a website application that will integrate into existing Marine digital environment
- MaPR allows for users to view, upload, edit, and submit pdf documents that are used by the Marines to validate and maintain training records and individual paperwork
- Created MaPR to be responsive and allow for both desktop and tablet user experiences

- Languages and frameworks used: React, Typescript, Node, JQuery, Sass, Webpack, Git

Work Experience

Cost Plus World Market

Service Lead Supervisor, September 2017 - Current

Thousand Oaks, CA

- Manager in a high volume retail location for World Market and in charge of leading team of 15 total associates in both logistical and customer service tasks.
- Responsible for ensuring ensure daily sales and loyalty acquisition targets are met while delivering an excellent experience to customers
- Find solutions to customer issues involving poor customer experience and problem solve areas of improvement to prevent further issues

Home Department Head, September 2016 - September 2017

Simi Valley, CA

Supervisor, July 2017 - September 2017

- Department head for furniture in charge of maintaining and selling highest dollar items consisting of ~40% of total revenue.
- Attended workshops and training to develop both managerial skills and knowledge of company procedure.

Loyola University of Chicago

Chicago, IL

Greenhouse Aquaponics Manager

Jan 2015 – May 2016

- Trained, managed, and coached groups of interns and volunteers assigned to work on the aquaponics system and the urban agriculture program.
- Became a subject matter expert of the sustainable aquaponics system through mentoring and personal research and showcased research at workshops and conventions on and off campus.

Formal Education

Loyola University of Chicago

Chicago, IL

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science

May 2016

Supplementary Education

Free Code Camp

Legacy Front End Development

Moorpark College

Introduction to Java Course - M10J