James Andrew

DIGITAL DESIGNER & FRONTEND DEVELOPER

About Me

I recently graduated from Curtin University with a Bachelor of Design, majoring in Digital Experience and Interaction Design, and minoring in Graphic Design. I am actively seeking a frontend developer position, leveraging my strong skills in that area. However, I also possess valuable experience and expertise in UX/UI design and backend development, making me versatile and open to exploring other positions.

During my time at Curtin University, I have honed my skills in a comprehensive design process that encompasses research, ideation, refinement, prototyping, user testing, and development. Throughout the last year, I have specifically directed my focus towards frontend development, as I find it to be a perfect blend of problem-solving and creativity.

I thrive in team environments, stepping in where necessary to bridge gaps and contribute to achieving our collective goals. Throughout university group projects, I often assumed leadership roles to ensure effective coordination and successful outcomes. However, I am equally adept at playing a supportive role when others take the lead. I derive immense satisfaction from teaching and supporting others, and I aspire to be in a position where I can lead and mentor as a developer.

Frontend Skills

I have over two years of experience in frontend development, starting with a strong foundation in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Node.js. I have continuously expanded my skills by working with various frameworks and languages such as Lit-Element, Sass, and Next.js. Additionally, I have utilized Solid.js and TypeScript to develop my personal portfolio website, which serves as a showcase for the projects I completed during my university course.

Two notable projects that demonstrate my frontend development skills are BiblioFIle and Exhibition Space. In these projects, I successfully connected to and handled data from backend databases, showcasing my ability to work with both frontend and backend technologies. Furthermore, I have ensured that my Exhibition Space and portfolio website are fully functional and visually appealing across different browsers and devices, providing users with a seamless and intuitive experience.

During my involvement in the Exhibition Space project, I held a leadership position where I gained valuable experience in version control using GitHub repositories. I also developed strong debugging skills, as I successfully resolved errors in code contributed by team members by utilizing the console and analyzing deployment logs.

Contacts

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Education

Sacred Heart Highschool
Graduated with an ATAR of 76
2014 - 2019

Curtin University
Bachelor of Design, Digital Experience and Interaction Design Major and Graphic Design Minor
2020 - 2022

Employment History

Admin Officer
I went to multiple Catholic Homes Aged Care facilities and assisted the administrators with archiving and similar tasks.
2019-2021

ATAR Exam Supervisor
I assisted with the ATAR Physical Education practical exams
2020

Assistant Cook
I was an assistant cook at a City Beach Surf Club cafe which was also used for private functions
2017 - 2018

Portfolio Website

jamesandrewdigital.com