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SUMMARY

I am a Front-End Developer and UX Designer with a creative digital marketing background. I have been building my skills as a designer by assisting with the overhauling of the main athletic websites at two different universities by utilizing UX Design. I would be able to integrate both my skills as a digital marketer and designer to support the creation of a dynamic website that would focus on the ease of use of the website and the customers' overall needs.

TECHNICAL SUMMARY

Languages/Frameworks:

- HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, Angular, Node.js, Express, Postgres SQL, React, TypeScript

UX Design:

- Wireframe Production, Responsive Design, Graphic Design, Sketch, User Research

Programming Knowledge

- Git, Github, JSON, RESTful APIs, Bootstrap, Visual Studio Code, WordPress

Digital Marketing:

- Social Media Strategy/Analytics, eMail Marketing, Adobe Creative Suite, Database Analytics, SEO

Methodologies:

- Agile, Scrum

WEB/SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

GRGreen Project: <https://jo15on.github.io/GGreen/>

- Developed a digital web application to educate Grand Rapids residents about trash and recycling by utilizing **Angular with RESTful APIs** from the city of Grand Rapids in which it was deployed through **GitHub pages**
- Assisted in planning and implementing a dynamic responsive interface design and construction of the project using wireframing
- Worked in Agile development environment using advanced Scrum methodologies

Personal Portfolio: <http://www.jonolson.co>

- Built a responsive website which includes **Angular** framework then deployed to Netlify
- Designed the wireframing of a website using Sketch Design

CERTIFICATIONS

Google Analytics for Beginners

Completed March 2018

Advanced Google Analytics

Completed April 2020

Becoming a User Experience Designer

Completed August 2020

EDUCATIONAL SUMMARY

Grand Circus: Grand Rapids, MI

October 2019-March 2020

Front End Coding Bootcamp

GRCC: Grand Rapids, MI

May 2016 - June 2016

Web Design Online Course

University of Michigan: Ann Arbor, MI

September 2006 - May 2010

Bachelor of Arts – Economics

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY:

Digital Media Consulting

Summer 2017-Present

- Consulted with a professional MMA fighter, Robert Gidron, on all aspects of digital marketing to increase exposure of his brand which resulted in a **73% increase in social media engagement**
- Worked with an agent on how to best market Robert for his brand and his matches in which it led to an invitation to UFC training camp
- Familiarized with digital marketing's current trends and best practices to keep the engagement rate up to further expose him to the MMA world

University of Tulsa

Marketing Assistant

July 2014 - May 2015

- Responsible for the marketing and promotions of Women's Soccer and Softball while helping out with the marketing of Football and Men's Basketball
- Created Tulsa's first social media marketing and management strategic plan
- Carried out usability testing plan to improve design and drive consensus with the team on the overall of the main athletic website
- I saw a **38.5% increase in organic reach** and a **78% increase in engagement** from the Facebook Page as well as a **179% increase** in followers and an **80% increase** in engagement from the Instagram Page. All of it resulted in **5 straight sold-out home games** for Men's Basketball.
- I've seen an increase of a Tulsa Women's Soccer average home game attendance by **50%** and revenue by **125.7%** while generating \$1,088 of group ticket sales. I also have seen an increase of Tulsa Softball's average home attendance by **12.8%** and revenue by **176%**.

University of Detroit Mercy

Marketing Assistant

August 2013-May 2014

- Responsible for the marketing and promotions of Men's and Women's Soccer, Men's and Women's Lacrosse while managing the student section and Junior Titan Kid's Club
- Researched on the latest trends and platforms and presented new opportunities to the senior administrators
- Collaborated with the administrators and web developer on the overhaul of the main athletics website
- I saw an increase of **30%** in engagement on Facebook page and an increase in Twitter followers by **18%** while boosting engagement by 25%.
- I have seen an uptick of Detroit Mercy Men's Lacrosse home game attendance by **124.5%** in which we have witnessed the largest single-game attendance of 1,909 fans and Women's Lacrosse average home game attendance by **20.8%**

CURRENT EXPERIENCE:

Grand Rapids Sport and Social Club

League Ambassador

November 2016-Present

- Managed adult co-ed sports league nights
- Created a fun and social experience and environment for league members
- Established partnership relationship with vendors, facilities and the community to support the growing GRSSC brand