JACOB FIELD

JUNIOR FULL STACK ENGINEER

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<u>LinkedIn</u> <u>GitHub</u> <u>100 Days Of Code</u> <u>Portfolio</u>

PROFILE SUMMARY

I am a highly motivated and team-focused problem-solver, dedicated to launching my tech career. My passion for learning and technology is evident in my Master's research, where I explored the ethical implementations of AI development. This enthusiasm drives my commitment to working in tech, with a focus on creating memorable user experiences. I am analytically minded and am committed to continuous learning and personal development. Drawing from a background in Education, I'm eager to channel my knowledge into my tech career. Beyond work, I hone my musical skills, play guitar, bass, and drums. An ardent American Football fan, I am the founder of a flag American Football team – the Derbyshire Ducks.

EDUCATION

• School of Code Bootcamper – Intense 16-week course, my first role in tech. Sept 2023 – Dec 2023

MRes Philosophy (Merit) - University of Reading - Dissertation on the potentials and dangers of A.I.

• BA (hons) Philosophy (2:1) – University of Reading Sept 2015 – June 2018

A-Level Philosophy & Ethics (B), A-Level History (B), A-Level General Studies (B),
A-Level Psychology (C) - St. Mary's Catholic Secondary School Chesterfield

TECH WORK EXPERIENCE

Bootcamper

School Of Code

Sept 2023 - Jan 2024

- · Developed strong teamwork, problem-solving, and computational thinking in an Agile setting
- Created full-stack applications using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, PostgreSQL, React, Next.js, and Express.js
- · Proficient in creating REST APIs, working with JSON files, and prioritizing testing
- Enhanced communication and leadership skills through diverse team collaborations
- · Focused on pair-programming and problem-solving techniques
- · Spearheaded high-performing team to deliver full-stack application in condensed four-week period

Notable Projects:

OpenAl Haiku Generator:

- Demonstrated passion for Al and commitment to learning through React-based app
- · Utilised OpenAl API to generate Haikus based on user input
- · Created simple yet impactful user experience
- Enhanced skills in using OpenAl API, managing API Keys, and implementing environment variables with React
- Developed understanding of asynchronous nature of fetch requests
- · Overcame issues with data rendering before previous requests were complete

The Reading Room:

- · Cultivated collaborative, Agile environment through ownership and robust communication
- Developed full-stack Next.js app using Chakra UI and SupaBase
- Implemented authentication and created REST API
- · Seamlessly merged functionality with design to enhance children's reading habits
- · Introduced gamification inspired by Duo Lingo with playful avatar
- · Elevated user engagement with interactive features

Pilates Booking App:

- · Currently developing booking management web app for Pilates business
- Simplifying class posting, user registration, and admin tools for class management
- · Empowering business with precise income projections and resource efficiency
- · Utilising TypeScript, Next.js, and SupaBase backend for dynamic application
- · Implementing responsive database for real-time updates
- · Ensuring smooth user experience with dynamically adjusting frontend interface

Freedom 4 Girls Cycle Tracker:

- Collaborating with an inspiring charity to develop native mobile application
- Utilising React Native and SupaBase for efficient development
- Empowering users with period tracking features to predict cycles and manage symptoms
- · Providing valuable resources and guidance from F4G within the app
- Leveraging declarative programming for creating memorable user experiences
- Dedicated to ending inequalities associated with menstruation through technology

SKILLS

- HTML
- CSS
- JavaScript
- TypeScript
- React
- Next.js

- Node.js
- Express.js
- PostGres
- SQL
- SupaBase
- Angular

- GitFlow
- Jest
- PlayWright
- Tailwind
- Chakra Ul
- GoLang

ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

Immaculate Conception Primary School

May 2023 - Sept 2023

- Contributed to classroom success by assisting in lesson planning and organization, ensuring smooth operations
- Maintained open communication and delivered personalized support to students with special needs, fostering their academic progress

Events Information Assistant

University of Salford

Feb 2021 - March 2023

- Led essential services for the Events Team, excelling in managing Registration, Graduation, and ID Card collection
- Utilised data analysis to optimize service delivery
- · Demonstrated leadership in managing ID Card services and training new colleagues

Admissions Officer

BPP University

Feb 2020 - Feb 2021

- Successfully promoted the university to prospective students, providing personalized guidance throughout the application process
- Fostered effective communication and built rapport with applicants
- Surpassed enrollment targets while ensuring efficient and effective communication throughout the process

ACHIEVEMENTS

St Patrick's Hall JCR President

University of Reading

Sept 2016- June 2017

- · Developed leadership skills and collaborated with my team of nine in welcoming 300 new students into their residence halls
- Coordinated events, such as 'Welcome Week,' and provided welfare services to students
- Successfully fundraised and managed the Hall's finances to resolve £3,000 debt to the student's union

Environment & Ethics Officer

University of Reading

Sept 2016 - June 2017

- Led students in reducing the University's carbon emissions to under 40%
- Created university-wide projects, such as the Environmental Ambassadors' project of 100 ambassadors
- Organized lake clean-up projects and coordinated environmentally focused campaigns