## **JOHN TRAAS**

**FULL STACK DEVELOPER** 

### **DETAILS**

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### FEATURED PROJECT AND LINKS

**Angry Cat Design** 

LinkedIn

GitHub

### SKILLS

Desire to learn

Ability to Learn Quickly

Problem Solving

Ability to Work Under Pressure

Ability to Accept and Learn From Criticism

Flexible and adaptable

HTML5

CSS3

Python

JavaScript

jQuery

React

MongoDB

SQL

Git

Bootstrap

### **PROFILE**

Full Stack Developer with a background as a Teacher/Educator. My whole life I have been constantly pushing myself to gain new skills, never settling for what I have already learned. Ambitious and driven, I have been lucky enough to have traveled around the world while pursuing my passion for Learning, Music and Tech. I have full stack knowledge and an eye for design. I am currently looking to specialize in frontend with JavaScript using libraries such as React.

### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

## Design and Develop E-Commerce Store, Angry Cat Design

Landskrona

Aug 2020

By applying what I had learned through the Code Institute Full Stack Developer course, using modern frameworks and services such as Amazon Web Services, I was able to understand what my client wanted, then design, develop and deliver a fully functional e-commerce store, complete with a bespoke backend Admin dashboard and easy-to-use product management system.

### Freelance Writer/Musician, Freelance

Los Angeles, California

2015 - 2016

Worked as a contributor for moneyland.ch. A financial advise and credit card comparison service based in Zurich, Switzerland. My role comprised in-depth research and comparison of various credit card services, compiling said research and writing a clear, concise summary intended to assist the end user in making the best decision, based on their needs, on which credit card to apply for.

## Language Specialist / Exam Preparation Specialist, American Culture School

Instanbul, Turkey

2013 — 2015

I devised and implemented exam preparation programs for students looking to take the TOEFL and IELTS exams.

I also taught Business english to executives and professionals looking to expand their global opportunities.

## English Teacher, Emir Anaokulu Resitpasa School

Istanbul, Turkey

2014 - 2015

I planned and implemented programs that taught basic english using art activities, songs and games designed to make learning English fun for students age 3-6 years old.

## **English Teacher, Ozel Ilgi School**

Istanbul, Turkey

2014 — 2015

I taught both Spoken and Written English afternoon classes for grades I through to 11.

2007 - 2012

EVS (European Voluntary Service) was a cultural exchange program for youths overseen by the European Union. Individual program lengths varied from 3 months to 1 year.

Some of the projects I helped create and manage were:

- \* Cultural exchange program using Music as a bridge to connect cultures.
- \* Volunteer programs at local less advantaged schools.
- \* Volunteer assistance at schools for students with physical disabilities.

I developed and implemented creative strategy/concepts, oversaw budget management and production. Handled project advertising and public relations including website administration. Project logistics and road/travel management for the various projects.

# **Project Manager / Youth Counselor, Leeukop Prison** Johannesburg, South (Juvenile)

2002 - 2006

I worked as part of a team to create and implement social re-integration and community building activities. These activities were held four times a week and placed an emphasis on providing a space where inmates could feel safe to talk about their life experiences and reflect on the circumstances and choices that may have led them to where they were in life at that time. The program was designed to allow them to be honest with themselves and provide a route to both self-acceptance and self-respect with the end goal being to help guide them to an appreciation of community and how they could play a role in bettering themselves and being a positive influence on the world around them.

### **EDUCATION**

## Full Stack Web Developer, Code Institute (Dublin, Ireland)

Jan 2020 — Aug 2020

A fully accredited immersive Full Stack Software Development program with an emphasis on gaining skills in problem solving and working to a timeframe.

Required 4 projects ranging from a static frontend site to a full stack e-commerce store.

Covering a wide range of languages and frameworks such as:

Python(Django/Flask), JavaScript(jQuery).

Markup and style languages and libraries/frameworks: HTML5 and CSS3 (Bootstrap, Materialise).

Version control: Git.

SQL and NoSQL databases. Template languages: Jinja.

Storage and project deployment technologies: github, Heroku, AWS.

Payment services: Stripe.

### **History, Christian Vocational College**

Johannesburg, South Africa

Landskrona, Sweden

1998 - 2000