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CORE COMPETENCIES

Web development

HTML, CSS
Javascript, NodeJS, ExpressJS
Ruby on Rails,
PHP
React, Bootstrap
MySQL, NOSQL, SQL
Git, Github
WordPress customisation

Transferable skills

- Eight years of professional experience in roles using strong relationship-building, consultation, and written and verbal communication skills.
- Proven ability to quickly learn and apply new information and systems, and make informed judgements and decisions on the basis of my understanding.
- Demonstrated strategic planning and project management under tight deadlines.
- Proven ability to build relationships and liaise with internal and external partners.

ABOUT ME

I'm a web developer, and artist, passionate about creating elegant, functional tools that improve people's lives.

I have experience across a range of front and back end languages, frameworks and packages, but a preference for working with Javascript in React and Ruby on Rails. I am comfortable using collaboration and workflow management tools such as Git and Github.

I am currently transitioning from a 10-year career in project management, bringing transferable skills in problem-solving, relationship building and team-work, time management and communication.

From my classical art training, I bring a dedication to excellence, an eye for detail and the ability to realise a vision through the mastery and application of technique, commitment and grit.

Relevant experience / LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/jessicabommer/>

General Assembly (GA), Melbourne - Software Engineering Immersive - Nov 2020 to May 2021

Achievements: I was awarded the 'See Her Excel' scholarship for showing potential to excel in the tech industry.

VIC Government, Melbourne - Project/Policy Officer - 2016 to present

Duties: Coordinating a legislative amendment project, developing and implementing water market policies, licencing and visa nomination applications requiring significant customer and stakeholder engagement.

Achievements: I successfully reduced licence application waiting times by 75%, despite the pandemic.

Florence Academy of Art, Florence, Italy - Drawing and Painting Intensive - Jan 2018 to June 2019

Achievements: I was awarded a scholarship for maintaining high standards in the curriculum (4.0 GPA average), reflecting the values of the school and contributing to the campus culture.

NSW Government, Sydney - Policy/Project Officer - 2013 to 2016

Duties: Coordinating the Biosecurity Bill project including stakeholder consultation and engagement, advising the Premier on priority issues, requiring coordination of input from executives in line agencies.

Achievements: I coordinated the passage of priority biosecurity legislation through NSW Parliament.

SBS Television, Sydney - Public Relations Officer - January 2007 to January 2009

Duties: Responding by phone and email to viewer queries and comments, compiling data and undertaking analysis on viewer feedback, liaising with high profile guests, SBS executives and media personalities.

Achievements: Independently managed the switchboard and reception during a transmission shutdown.

Education and training

2020-2021 **General Assembly**, Melbourne - Software Engineering Immersive

2008-2011 **UNSW**, Sydney (included exchange semester in China) - Juris Doctor

2003-2007 **UNSW**, Sydney (included exchange year in China) - Bachelor of International Studies (Distinction)

Languages

English - native / Chinese (Mandarin) - intermediate / Italian - beginner / German - beginner.

Interests

Walking my dashie Sebastian (@beachboy_Seb) and creating at my art studio in Mornington (@Jessish_art).

I also really enjoy learning languages and sharing culture - I try to sneak in time for Chinese (Mandarin) comics and poems, and I teach English once a week online.

Referees

Available on request.