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Professional Summary

As an 8-year Combat Veteran in the West Virginia Army National Guard, where I earned an honorable discharge and multiple awards for exemplary service, including a deployment to Syria from 2019-2020, I bring a unique discipline and resilience to the tech world. As a Front-End Developer, I excel in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and React JS, creating intuitive and dynamic user experiences. My expertise in UI/UX design and Figma, combined with a proven ability to collaborate effectively, ensures the delivery of visually appealing and functional interfaces. Eager to continuously learn and innovate, I am ready to bring my skills to a forward-thinking team and tackle new challenges in web development.

Skills

- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React JS
- Next.js
- Bootstrap, Tailwind CSS
- jQuery, Vite
- Knowledge of Node.js
- Knowledge of Express.js
- UI/UX Design using Figma
- Responsive Web Design
- Cross-browser Compatibility
- Performance Optimization
- Team Collaboration
- Continuous Learning

Professional Experience

Frontend Developer (Freelance)

Self-Employed, December 2022 - Present

- Specialize in designing and developing custom websites for local businesses, enhancing user experience, and meeting specific commercial objectives.
- Conduct client consultations to determine website requirements and expectations, ensuring a clear understanding of business goals and user needs.
- Implement responsive web designs using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, and Tailwind CSS to ensure optimal viewing across various devices and browsers.
- Utilize Figma for advanced UI/UX design, creating visually appealing and intuitive interfaces that drive user engagement and customer satisfaction.
- Manage all aspects of the web development lifecycle, from initial design and development to deployment and ongoing maintenance.
- Foster strong relationships with clients, providing continuous support and updates to improve website functionality and performance based on user feedback and analytics.
- Continuously update technical knowledge and skills to stay current with industry trends and advancements, ensuring the delivery of modern and efficient web solutions.

Cavalry Scout

WV Army National Guard, April 2015 – April 2023

- Conducted detailed reconnaissance missions to gather actionable intelligence.
- Maintained high-tech communication gear, ensuring robust battlefield network reliability.
- Played a crucial role in training and mentoring tactical and survival skills recruits.
- Supported civil operations, including distributing COVID-19 testing kits and coordinating with local agencies.
- Honored with multiple awards for exemplary service and performance; recognized for leadership during deployment in Syria (2019-2020).

Education

Basic Leadership Course - Army

Awards

- Army Commendation Medal w/ C Device
- (2) Army Good Conduct Medal
- (2) Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal
- National Defense Service Medal
- Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
- Humanitarian Service Medal
- Armed Forces Service Medal
- Army Service Ribbon
- Overseas Service Ribbon
- Armed Forces Reserve Medal w/ M Device
- Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal with Campaign Star
- Driver And Mechanic Badge w/ Driver Wheeled Vehicles Clasp
- WV Emergency Service Ribbon
- WV State Service Ribbon
- WV Service Ribbon

Certifications

- Responsive Web Design- freeCodeCamp, February 2024
 - Focused on advanced CSS techniques and responsive layout strategies.
- Figma UI/UX Design Essentials
 Udemy, February 2024
 - Covered core principles of user interface and user experience design using Figma.
- React Basics- Meta, October 2023
 - o Introduction to React components, JSX, state management, and hooks.
- HTML and CSS in Depth– Meta, September 2023
 - A comprehensive study of HTML5 and CSS3, including layout techniques, Flexbox, and Grid.
- Programming with JavaScript- Meta, September 2023
 - Detailed exploration of JavaScript fundamentals, control structures, functions, and DOM manipulation.
- Version Control- Meta, September 2023
 - Principles and practices for using version control systems focusing on Git.
- Introduction to Front-End Development- Meta, August 2023
 - Overview of front-end web development, including basic web architecture, design, and debugging.