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Career Summary

Full Stack Web Developer with a background in Graphic Design and Visual Arts. Passionate about creating engaging visual user interfaces with seamless backend integration. Capable of creative problem-solving and team leadership.

Technical Skills

HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, Foundation, Materialize, Material-UI, JavaScript, jQuery, Handlebars, Node.Js, Express, React.js, GIT, GitHub, Heroku, Travis, MongoDB, Mongoose, SQL, MySQL, JawsDB, Bootstrap, APIs, JSON, AJAX, Axios, Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop.

Projects

Job&Dragons https://github.com/Winyumi/jobs-and-dragons | https://jobs-and-dragons.herokuapp.com/

- The app gamifies the job search process through an RPG dungeon crawler experience that provides helpful links, rewards for accomplishments, and motivation to keep improving job skills.
- Full Stack Web developer and Art Director on an eight member team
- React.js, MongoDB, Mongoose, MaterializeCSS, Node.js, Auth0, AuthenticJobs API, Github API, Express.

JobRocket https://github.com/michaelhrivnak/JobRocket.git | https://michaelhrivnak.github.io/JobRocket/

- Job Board page app for Toronto, Ontario job seekers looking for the perfect profession that is within a feasible traveling distance from their home via public transit.
- Full Stack Web developer, on a three person team
- HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, Javascript, Ajax. Adzuna and Google (map) APIs.

PostUp Cards https://github.com/JoshFrechette/PostUp-Cards | https://postup-cards.herokuapp.com/

- A virtual basketball card generator, this app allows a collector to indulge in their passion without cumbersome physical cards.
- Full Stack Web Developer, Project Manager, and Art Director on a four person team.
- Handlebars, FoundationCSS, Node.js, SQL, Sequelize, BalldontlieAPI, GiphyAPI.

Experience

Freelance

Web/Graphic Designer

2012 - Present

Toronto, ON

- Designed brands to enhance clients' exposure
- Designed websites with an emphasis on UI/UX
- Photo editing, graphic vector design, illustration, photography, iconography, data visualization

Web Designer (freelance)

2019

Marcom Group Inc.

Mississauga, ON

Designed the Catania Worldwide website, improving their portfolio and helping to build their reputation for web design.

- https://www.cataniaworldwide.ca/
- Created mockups and webflow charts to facilitate client concept presentations

Devised innovative solutions for clients' specific needs pertaining to website functionality

Junior Art Director 2014

Fonebook.ca Toronto, ON

- Designed marketing and advertising material to expand the brand for nationwide recognition
- Fostered relationships with new clients to build a positive reputation in new markets
- Wrote, proofread, and edited listing copy for Fonebook.ca and its clients to enhance brand recognition and maintain consistency across the guide and the website

Education

Full Stack Web Development, Bootcamp Certificate | University of Toronto | Toronto, Ontario A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical programming skills in HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, JQuery, Bootstrap. NodeJs, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, Handlebars.js & ReactJS

BA Design, Graphic Design, Honours | OCADU | Toronto, Ontario A four year program that taught higher level creative thinking and design process. Through Adobe programs and the Processing coding language, developed simple interactive programs to learn UI/UX development.

Professional Development

Business and Marketing Writing | University of Waterloo, Professional Development Project Management Fundamentals | University of Waterloo, Professional Development