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Skills & Technologies

- Node.js
- Javascript
- CSS/SCSS
- Angular.js
- React.js
- Git/Github
- JQuery
- Phonegap
- Photoshop,illustrator,InDesign
- Greensock
- Bootstrap,Foundation,Boilerplate
- SQL & SQLite

References

Available upon request

> " I am a Web Developer with a keen eye for design. I thrive working in front-end and love to flex my creativity using the most appropriate technologies. I'm a strong believer that a modern web-developer should be able to design, liaise with clients, and be able to pick up new technologies in a flash "

Education

Enspiral Dev Academy
Wellington campus
Web development bootcamp
11 Jan 2016 - 13 May 2016

Enspiral Dev Academy is a boot-camp-style course on steroids. Over the course of 2 months I produced real-life projects in an fast-paced enviroment, logging over 1000 hours. Enspiral places a great emphasis on practical learning, and focuses on teaching the latest industry-standards.

Design and Arts College
Christchurch Campus
Diploma Of Communications & Design
July 2011 - 2012

D&A was a one year that course that taught graphic design very practically, Using adobe creative suite. I gained a wealth of design knowledge here, as well as basic HTML & CSS.

Yoobee School of Design
Wellington campus
Diploma of Web Development
July 2014 - December 2015

Yoobee was a one year course that taught advanced HTML, CSS and Javascript. Also stepped into PHP and Laravel, as well as expanding on design principles. Yoobee was my introduction to stepping away from being just a designer to a developer.

Burnside High School
NCEA Level 3 Merit
university entrance achieved
July 2006 - 2011

During high school I started my journey to becoming a designer. I focused on Graphic Design and photography, and in my final year was a Prefect and international student liaison.

Employment

Enspiral Consulting
Web developer

For this role I worked with a team of 4 over 3 months to create a bespoke, corporate website for a large NZ based company. My main responsibilities were working with the Silverstripe framework, creating scalable SCSS, implementing and testing responsive design & sprint-meetings with clients and designers,

Cosmic Corner
2ic Salesperson
September 2013 - May 2014
Second-in-command of Manners St and Upper Cuba St
Responsible for sales, displays, cash-handling. My main purpose in this role was to interact with customers and represent Cosmic Corner's culture daily.

Amsterdam Coffeeshop
Barista
June 2013 - September 2013

Duties included customer service, coffee-making, food-handling, open-ing & closing solely. I worked closely with coffee providers to ensure we had fresh, daily ground coffee.

Highnet Internet Cafe
Floor manager
Worked solely helping customers with any issues, monitoring customers computer use, maintaining computer integrity. This role taught me the essential skills in working face-to-face with the public.

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Freelance

Spacesuit Clothing
Webmaster - current
I saw the production of this clients website from concept to deployment, starting in Adobe illustrator and moving into PHP to produce a online shop.

Michael Tuffery
Graphic Designer
Created promotional material for artist Michel Tuffery's upcoming exhibition "Lakapi". I often work with Michael to quickly create one-off documents.

Filigree Jewels
Database normalisation of customers details using MySQL. Spent time with the webmaster to optimise the database for future entries.

Paul Steele Events
Graphic designer
Created promotional material for various events. Mostly flyers, stickers and managing social media

Skills & Technologies

I specialise in working from beginning to end of a project. I love to create wirefames and come up with concepts alongside graphic designers, as I believe its integral in modern design that they can understand what is required by developers to make the production of a website as smooth as possible. In my experience being a 'translator' of the designers intentions from a development perspective saves so much confusion.

Although it can be a challenge for someone familiar with front-end, I have enjoyed stepping further into the backend, focusing mainly on databases such as Mysgl & mongoDB.

I'm a great practitioner of AGILE methodologies, and bring these practises into my own life to maintain organisation. No matter the size of the project, im a firm believer in Kanban boards and regular stand-ups. My ability to adapt to situations on a day-by-day basis, and prioritise has always been well-loved by groups im a part of.

My most recent focus is on working with single page applications with Angular2, and creating modular, reusable components with Polymer from Google.

Interests

I love to play with the internet of things, and have recently purchased a raspberry pi with the intention of creating a mirror I can talk to through the use of Annyang.js, a speech-recognition API. I've really been enjoying exploring the possibilities with everyday items becoming Internet-accessible.

I have a great interest in educating more Maori high-school students in the great opportunities learning to code can open, and have recently presented a talk on this subject at my own high-school. I plan to present the same talk as soon as I gain more contacts in education in Wellington.