Kevin Snijders

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My name is Kevin Snijders, a hard-working and stress-resistant graduate student as a Software Engineer at the Hogeschool van Amsterdam. During my study, I enjoyed the knowledge that I gained which was heavily focused on Back-end architecture and design. Through experiences such as internships, self-study and a part-time job as a Front-end Developer, I found out that I was interested in Front-end as well (maybe even more than Back-end). As a result, I am now focused on finding a job as a Junior Front-end Developer, but maybe in the future, I want to be able to combine them and focus on becoming a Full Stack Developer.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's degree, Software engineering *Hogeschool van Amsterdam (Amsterdam)*
2014 - 2018

Applicatieontwikkelaar (MBO 4) *Horizon college (Purmerend)*
2010 - 2014

WORK EXPERIENCE

Internship Full Stack Developer   *2017 – 2018*
Sofa Superstars, Amsterdam
- Wrote a thesis about how to implement a cross-site messaging system with near-real-time delivery.
- Created Usecases to gather requirements.
- Developed a cross-site messaging system based on Python, Django and Django Channels.
- Developed and implemented various APIs and a WebSocket connection.
- Implemented a React component to display messages.
- Created a library component with rollup.js to reuse the Front-end easily on other projects.

Junior Front-end Developer   *2016 – 2017*
Sofa Superstars, Amsterdam
- Converted designs in zeplin.io to HTML/Sass/JavaScript.
- Developed and implemented code focused on Browser Compatibility for older browsers (IE11, older safari, etc).
- Developed and implemented features for www.coachvanhetjaar.nl with a userbase of around 50.000 users.
- Implemented the Front-end for www.ttteammanager.nl.
- Refactored the old CSS of www.ploegleider.nl to implement theming.
- Participated in Scrum meetings, with the team.
- Was a point of contact for the Front-end intern.
- Worked as a team member on old and new projects.

Internship Web Developer   *2015 – 2016*
Sofa Superstars, Amsterdam
- Learned to work with Front-end technologies such as Sass, React, Gulp, and more.
- Fixed Front-end bugs and issues (pixel perfect, responsiveness, etc).
- Converted parts of Vanilla JS to React.
- Developed and implemented Player Profile feature with React for www.coachvanhetjaar.nl.
- Developed and implemented the Front-end for FC Groningen Rapport from scratch.

Internship multimedia   *2013 – 2014*

Youngbits, Purmerend
- Converted PSD designs to HTML/CSS templates.
- Learned the basics of Photoshop.
- Developed and implemented (WordPress) websites.

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Full Stack Developer   *2019 – 2019*

*Personal website (*kevinsnijders.github.io*):*
- Developed a single-page application (SPA) using React.
- Implemented theming with CSS variables and fallback for older browsers.
- Configured Webpack from scratch.
- Implemented progressive web app (PWA).
- Implemented tests with Jest, Enzyme and react-test-renderer.
- Developed and implemented a Node Express server with a Postgres database.
- Developed an API to gather the data of all the projects.
- Deployed the Front-end using Github Pages and the Back-end (Express + Postgres) with Heroku.

Co-Developer   *2015 – 2016*

KLM workshop tool:
- Created Usecases to gather requirements.
- Implemented the Front-end with HTML and Bootstrap.
- Implemented the MVC model.
- Participated in project meetings with the team and a mentor.
- Gave a product demo to the client.

KNOWLEDGE

Technologies:
HTML5, Sass, Bootstrap, JavaScript, jQuery, NPM, React, Redux, PWA, Webpack, Gulp, Jest, ESLint, Prettier, Babel, Node.js, Databases (PostgreSQL and MySQL), API's, Python, Django, Java, Wordpress, CircleCI, Github Pages, and Heroku.

Project management:
Git, JIRA, Trello, and Scrum.

LEARNING

Docker, Vue, and Redux.

SOFT SKILLS

Trustworthy, Flexibility, Perseverance, Team player, Willingness to learn, Patience, and Stress resistant.

LANGUAGES

Dutch (First language) and English.

REFERENCE

Upon request.