Leah J. Barnes

Front End Web Developer

Utilizing past art and design experience to create a web experience that is both effective and enjoyable. A versatile self-starter with exceptional written and verbal communication able to work individually but also excel at team collaboration. Looking forward to blending creative and technical skills.

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PROJECTS AND EXPERIENCE

Plan Your Day
- Created with HTML5 and Bootstrap
- Powered by jQuery and Moment JS
- Dynamically updates HTML and saves user input to local storage so schedule persists after page is refreshed. Utilizes Moment JS and CSS3 to color code past, present, and future hours of the day for easy readability.
- http://bit.ly/Day_Planner

FurEver Home
- Lead developer in a group of 3
- Powered by Materialize CSS, jQuery, The Dog API and The Cat API
- Search functionality based on user input
- http://bit.ly/FurEverHome

Take Note
- A note taking application that can be used to write, save, and delete notes
- Note Taker saves to and retrieves note data from a JSON file and uses an express backend
- The goal of this application is for users to be able to better organize their thoughts and keep track of tasks that need to be completed
- Built with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Node.js, Express.js
- http://bit.ly/LJB_TakeNote

Shelfie
- A virtual library app that allows users to create their own account to organize and catalog their books
- Users can search for books and add them to lists called "shelves". The books can then be moved between the shelves or deleted at user's discretion
- Built with Google Books API, Node.js, Express.js, Handlebars.js, Bulma, MVC Design Pattern, Passport.js, MySQL and Sequelize
- http://bit.ly/ShelfieLibrary

EDUCATION

Full Stack Web Development Certificate
University North Carolina Charlotte
10/2019 – Present   *Charlotte, NC*

BFA Studio Art Photography
Appalachian State University
08/2005 – 05/2010   *Boone, NC*

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages
HTML, CSS, JavaScript (ES6)

Tools
Bootstrap, Express, Node.js, jQuery, APIs, MySql, MongoDB

WORK EXPERIENCE

Product Photographer, Social Media Manager
Robert Abbey, Inc.
07/2015 – Present
Achievements/Tasks
- Created print and web images and graphics for home décor manufacturing company specializing in lighting
- Edited images and created graphics using Adobe Creative Suite
- Reduced outsourcing by 80% by bringing all photography and social media management in-house resulting in saving company over $20,000 anually
- Recognized by senior management as a talented employee with the ability to take on multiple roles and provide extremely fast turnaround with projects
- Selected for proven subject matter expertise to work with e-commerce partners and large format printers, providing them with necessary images and data

Freelance Photographer
Self Employed
05/2010 – 08/2015
Achievements/Tasks
- Worked as a professional photographer and editor on a wide range of projects including product photography, family portraits, and professional portraits
- Maintained excellent working relationships with clients
- Edited images using Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Lightroom
- Created content and maintained professional portfolio website