Lena Kalmikov, *Frontend Developer*

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Languages: **Hebrew** (Native) | **English** (Fluent) | **Russian** (Native) | **Spanish** (Intermediate)

Frontend developer with a deep love for coding and a solid grasp of UX/UI design. A self-learner adept at problem-solving and troubleshooting. A team player with experience working in a global company. Looking for a role that encourages meaningful contributions and inspires ongoing professional growth.

TECH STACK

Frontend: JavaScript • React • CSS • HTML • Material UI • Tailwind • Bootstrap • Jest • Figma
Backend, DBs, Tools: Node.js • Express.js • C# • Firebase • Git • GitHub • MongoDB • MSSql • Postman

PROJECTS

- **Board Games Website, Live demo** | GitHub
  Designed and developed a website for board game enthusiasts to connect and organize gaming sessions. Focused on UX/UI and ensured aesthetic appeal, intuitive navigation, and full responsiveness, including dark and light modes, loading skeletons, maps, and alerts.

  Enabled users to browse and rate board games, view and join upcoming events. Implemented functionalities for registered users to create, join, and delete events, and engage in interactive features such as commenting and seeing the event location on a map. Utilized technologies such as JavaScript, React, Material UI, Jest, Firestore database, and Firebase for Auth, Storage, and Hosting.

- **Chat and Play,** GitHub
  Created an online platform for users to play tic-tac-toe and chat in real-time with friends within private chatrooms. Implemented using JavaScript, React, CSS, Node, Express, Socket.IO, deployed to Azure Cloud.

- **Bookstore Catalogue Website,** GitHub
  Developed a platform allowing users to explore popular books, filter by genre, add book reviews, and perform CRUD operations as Admin. Built with C#, .Net ASP Core, JavaScript, CSS, Bootstrap and MSSql.

EDUCATION

- **Full Stack Development Bootcamp,** *Sela College*   2022 – 2023
  A year-long program that covered essential concepts such as *OOP, SOLID*, Data Structures, Algorithms, Complexity, Design Patterns, various programming languages, frameworks, and databases.
- **React, NodeJS, Express & MongoDB - The MERN FullStack Guide,** *Udemy*   2023
- **React - The Complete Guide (including Hooks, React Router, Redux),** *Udemy*   2023
- **DESIGN RULES: Principles + Practices for Great UI Design,** *Udemy*   2023
- Studied **Linguistics,** B.A, *Hebrew University of Jerusalem*   2013 – 2016

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Project Manager, *Baguette Translations*   2016 – Present
Working in an international company with clients and colleagues around the globe. Managing the full lifecycle of a project, including schedule, budget, resources, and QA. Working under tight schedules, tackling problems, and quickly finding suitable solutions.

VOLUNTEERING

For 3 years, I volunteered as a **linguistic editor at 'Little Big Science'**, a non-profit organization committed to advancing science accessibility to the public, a cause which I find immensely important and fulfilling.