MARINA KOVALEVA

FRONT-END DEVELOPER

PERSONAL PROFILE

Front End Developer focused on UI/UX, bringing a decade of experience as a Quality control software engineer where I specialised in functional and UX/UI testing.
Transitioning careers, I leverage a unique expertise user-centric presentation to ensure useful interfaces and seamless user experiences.

CONTACT DETAILS

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SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- JavaScript
- HTML5 & CSS3
- UX/UI Design
- Responsive Web Design
- VS Code
- Git, GitHub
- Jira, Azure DevOps
- Figma
- Adobe (Premiere, Photoshop, Lightroom), Procreate

OTHER SKILLS

Languages: English (Upper-Intermediate), Norsk (Upper-Intermediate).
In addition to my primary skills, I am an illustrator working in both traditional watercolor techniques and digital illustration.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

IT Tester

uTest, crowd platforms | Jan 2023 – Dec 2024

- Tested mobile and web applications with a focus on usability and user experience
- Provided structured feedback on UX/UI design, interaction flow, and accessibility

IT Tester

Simli Ltd | Oct 2022–Dec 2022 (Contract)

- Evaluated VR app interfaces on Android/iOS for intuitive navigation and user engagement
- Collaborated closely with developers to improve UI/UX

IT Quality Control Engineer / Test Lead

SoftDev Ltd | Jan 2012 – Feb 2019

- Development and testing of a Computer-Aided Design software
- Execution of Test Plans (UX/UI, functional and integration).
- Collaborated with developers to identify and resolve problems. Working in a multicultural team.
- Led a team of 8 testers across 4 projects
- Designed Test Plans, developed test documentation, analysed risks.
- Mentored junior test engineers and optimised workflows.

ACADEMIC PROFILE

Noroff School of Technology, Oslo

Front-End Development program | 2025–2026

State University of Telecommunications, St. Petersburg, Russia

Bachelor's degree and short master's degree | 2008–2014
Multichannel Telecommunication Systems

VOLUNTEERING

Board Member (HSE)

Sameiet Pelvikveien 1 | Mar 2024–present

Graphic Designer / Illustrator

Duepatruljen | Mar 2024 – present

Graphic Designer/Illustrator

Multiskole Parmenova Ltd | Aug 2021 – Sep 2023

Test Engineer

Krasiviy Peterburg NGO | 2020–2022

- Development and testing of a civic tech app, improving usability and user-centered functionality