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Work experience

Applied Systems

July 2016 — Currently

Web Developer

As a Web Developer at Applied Systems I work directly under the Senior Manager of Digital Development to deliver everything from full blown websites to landing pages and even mobile applications. Leveraging technologies such as HTML / CSS, Javascript, Umbraco, C#, Skeleton, and many more I work as a part of a team to deliver beautiful and functional software in a timely manor.

In my time spent at Applied I have been integral to a complete re-skin of 7 main international sites, developed several intranet pages, and was key to the building of a critical mobile app used by thousands of people during one of the industries most popular conventions. As a result I have grown exponentially as a developer. The varied work has allowed me to develop technical skills that can be applied equally as well working alone as in a part of a team making me a well rounded developer.

Georgia Gwinnett College

October 2015 — July 2016

IT / AV Support Technician

As a member of the GGC tech support team I was tasked with the maintenance and repair of audio visual and computing assets. The job required problem solving skills, personal responsibility, time management, and team work as I was the first to be called when a piece of equipment was malfunctioning and then was required to work either alone or with a team to see that the problem was fixed before it hindered the school's functioning. All the while I was tasked with taking detailed logs of everything that occurred for entry into our Help Desk ticketing system all while providing meaningful customer service to the instructors whose issues were being resolved.

U.S Navy Oct 2014 — 2015

Cryptologic Technician

I served as a Cryptologic Technician, a job in which one is trained to rapidly evaluate classified information and intelligence. The job entails utilizing and maintaining computers, specialized computer-assisted communications equipment and video display terminals. I was also the leader of my division and oversaw upwards of 80 troops. This experience left me with a habit of strong attention to detail, pride in my work, the ability to rapidly learn skills, and advanced technical ability.

Technical Skills

Programming/Web: Javascript, JQuery, C#, Razor, HTML 5, CSS 3, SASS, Bootstrap, AJAX

Paradigms/Approaches: Object Oriented Programming, Responsive Web Design, Mobile First Web Design

Software: Git, Visual Studio, Marketo, DoubleDutch CMS, Clarizen, Umbraco CMS, Photoshop

Qualifications

I am a graduate of the Capella and CareerBuilder RightSkill program, a joint initiative to fill the skill gap in the tech

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industry by providing employers with well trained, competent, and passionate Front-End Web Developers. As a participant I furthered my skills in the valuable technologies above in a curriculum that was based around building Mobile friendly websites and apps.

Education

Software Development

May 2015 — Present

Georgia Gwinnett College

I am currently a student enrolled in a Software Development program on track to a degree. In it I am learning to solve issues of every size by employing modern programming languages, techniques, and paradigms.

Interests

I enjoy taking on web development projects and haven't been without an active project for some time. Whenever I can, i strive to build new, interesting, and functional web sites or apps based on whatever problem I want to solve at the time. In addition, I am also an avid contributor to the open source Free Code Camp where I sharpen my skills with daily programming as well as guide new programmers on their way to becoming developers. I also routinely attend meet-ups and Hack-a-thons whenever the chance arises.

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