Nicole Blazier

Front-End Developer | React

Front-End Developer with experience in designing and implementing user-centric solutions using React. Proven track record of driving process innovation within cross-functional teams, significantly improving user experience and system efficiencies.

Experience

UX/UI Developer
CPS ENERGY
09/2023 - 04/2024
San Antonio, TX

- **Established Design Standards:** Helped to implement new UI Theme Kit that was tailored to companies design standards, allowing first time ever unification.
- **Accelerated Product Development:** Implemented a new prototyping process using Figma that reduced the feedback loop by 50%, allowing for quicker iterations.
- **Ensured Design Consistency:** Unifying visual elements across web and mobile platforms, which increased UI consistency by 90% and enhanced user navigation and satisfaction.
- **Refactored Code for Enhanced Performance:** Directed a major code refactoring initiative, optimizing front-end codebase for scalability and maintainability, resulting in a 35% improvement in loading times and a 25% reduction in bugs reported by users.
- **Fostered Cross-Functional Collaboration:** Established processes and documentation through a defined SDLC with weekly workshops between the requirements, design, development, and product management teams, improving communication and project alignment, resulting in a 15% increase in project delivery efficiency.

Front-End Developer: Service Delivery Expert
NOVARTIS
01/2019 - 04/2022
Prague, Czech Republic

- **Pioneered IoT, Blockchain, and AI Projects:** Played a pivotal role in collaborating on innovative projects within the Applied Tech Innovation team, leading to the development of advanced clinical supply chain solutions, smart injection technology, and AE Brain initiatives.
- **Enhanced Project Alignment with User and Business Needs:** Actively engaged in requirements gathering, designing wireframes and mockups, which improved the alignment of project deliverables with business objectives and user expectations.
- **Specialized in Modern Framework Implementation:** Spearheaded the development of robust front-end applications utilizing React and Angular frameworks, resulting in a 40% increase in application performance and user experience satisfaction.
- **Fostered Global Collaboration:** Worked synergistically with a global network across India, EU and USA of developers, designers, and business and systems analysts, enhancing team project cohesion, contributing to a 20% uptick in project delivery efficiency.
- **Expert in Application Debugging and Testing:** Utilized Postman and Jenkins for meticulous debugging and testing of applications, reducing bugs by 25%.

Special Projects
LOUISIANA MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION
03/2010 - 12/2013
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

- **Advocacy and Policy Leadership:** Championed municipal rights in grant funding negotiations, playing a crucial role in securing disaster recovery aid and municipal grants.
- **Strategic Collaboration and Program Management:** Played a pivotal role in managing the Municipal Infrastructure Grant Program with GOHSEP and OCD-DRU, overseeing the allocation and disbursement of a $30 million grant portfolio.
- **Public Outreach and Communication:** Led a comprehensive public outreach initiative to educate municipalities across 10 districts on the grant program requirements.

Achievements

Hackathon First-Place Winner
Won Novartis Hackathon with my team, developing an innovative solution for MS patients using IoT smart tech self-charging shoes, capturing patients data analytics.

EU Blockchain Innovation
Key blockchain representative on a trailblazing team that successfully pioneered first MVP distributed ledger technology solution for clinical supply chain tracking.

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Education

2018
Full Stack Certification
Data4You

2013
Masters of Business Administration
Texas A&M Commerce

2010
Communication Studies
Information Systems
Decision Sciences (ISDS)
Louisiana State University

Expertise

- Jira | Trello | MS Projects
- Adobe XD | Balsamiq | Figma | Figjam
- HTML5 | CSS5 | JavaScript
- React | Angular | Vue
- Intellij | VS Code | Atom
- Github | GitLab | Bitbucket
- Gulp | Jest
- Chrome Developer Tools | React
- Postman | Axios | Swagger

Hobbies

Backpacker | Crossfit | Taekwondo