Richard Gaskin

**TECHNICAL SKILLS**

I have technical knowledge of the following areas:

* Monetate.com
* MySQL, SQL and PHP (intermediate)
* HTML, XHTML, CSS (sass, less), GSS, HTML5
* JavaScript, JQuery, Vue.js, Vuex, Ajax (5+ Years Experience)
* Typescript, Java Spring Boot, Docker, Kubernetes (all less than a years experience)
* WebSockets, SSE (Server sent events)
* ActiveMQ messaging system
* Building Google chrome extensions.
* Proficient in Visual Studio Code, Sublime, Dreamweaver, Notepad++ and FileZilla
* Advanced knowledge of the Microsoft Office suite & Photoshop

**GENERAL SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE**

I have worked in the technology industry since 2013 and in that time I have developed a wide range of knowledge in computer software as well as hardware. I got into computing as a hobby and was all self taught. I did do my BTEC Diploma Level 2 in IT but I found a job so didn’t continue down that road.

There is a list of technologies I have used in each job description with a starting date and ending date below.

My strongest traits are in front end stacks as I find that more rewarding, but I am more than capable to work with backend tech stacks as well.

**Personal Projects**

One project I worked on that I’m proud of was a business idea based around custom furniture. I developed a business model in unison with the web app, just like uber or just eat. You can view it here: <http://builder.richardgaskin.co.uk/builder> some pages are restricted as the business model required it to be. So if you wish to know more about this don’t hesitate to ask, I can give you a demo. A small app I made that turns out is very handy and I use it to do list of stock or my shopping list. Is: <http://inventory.richardgaskin.co.uk/> both of these apps are built in Vuejs

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

allDayPA – Manchester

**Senior Full Stack Developer**

28th of October 2019 – present

* responsible for all internal front end applications
  + realtime dashboard for monitoring calls and devices
  + wallboard for displaying call counts and many other things.
  + Scripting app (PA assistant for getting the correct info)
  + Script Builder making it easy to build new scripts for different companies
  + view some screenshots of these projects [here](https://photos.app.goo.gl/2Cs9Ef7XLCk4uGz57)
* Responsible for the Design of the front end apps
* Responsible for the server architecture of all the applications I make this includes
  + webstomp(websockets)
  + SSE(Server sent events)
  + CRUD/REST APIs (express.js)
  + postgres DB
* responsible for the component structure and reusability of each component
* main front end framework I use is VueJs, I love this framework
* responsible for R&D (making sure we are using the best tech for the job)
* using Docker to deploy my code for staging and production level releases.
* Using kubernetes to manage all my Docker images on clusters

Matillion – Altrincham

**Vuejs Developer (contract)**

11th of September 2019 – 27th of September

* Developing a Landing App for Data Management Signup
* Working with UI/UX Designer and giving advice on features missed off
* Developing an Account Management App alongside the Signup App
* Keeping good communication between the other devs so I know what their requirements are so the whole project runs smoother.

JD Williams – Manchester

**Frontend Developer (contract)**

25st of March 2019 - 16th of August 2019

* Updating old systems to newer UI using css and javascript
* Building concepts
* Providing UX and UI advice on new concepts / ideas
* Taking complex problems and coming up with simple solutions.
* Working closely with the project managers to communicate issues and concerns

Jdsports – (jdplc) Bury

**Frontend Developer**

1st of Feb 2016 - 1st of Feb 2019

* making vue.js applications, so making changes is a lot easier and faster.
* Responsive mailer build, using redeye and litmus for testing
* Building interactive and responsive page builds for desktop, mobile and ipad view
* Working and understanding marketing techniques
* Working on team projects, team building
* Problem solving ( solving issues upon the websites)
* Updating content upon the websites
* Developing the blog with wordpress.
* A few sites I work on regularly include

<https://www.jdsports.co.uk/>

<https://m.jdsports.co.uk/>

<https://www.milletsports.co.uk/>

(can provide more urls on request.)

October 2015 to Feb 2016  
jdsports (jdplc) Bury  
**Contracted Frontend Developer**

March 2015 to October 2015  
SRL Ltd  
**Office work**this was just to fill the time between jobs

(World Web Design) Stalybridge.   
**Frontend Developer**

2014 to April 2015  
My responsibilities at World Web Design included:

* Front end web developer, this includes HTML, CSS, JavaScript, JQuery and a small amount of PHP mainly just to call events from the company’s CMS (Content Management System).
* Some examples of websites I have been involved in constructing are as follows.   
  <http://refineu.co.uk/>, <http://www.ssbiomat.co.uk/>, <http://bulldog-uk.com/>
* Server managing (Linux-Debian based) this included installing them from scratch and installing a LAMP environment for us to host our websites, file storage, etc.
* Network Management this included firewalls and port forwarding.
* Web Designer. Using Photoshop for fast mock ups and using Brackets to get a quick feel for the design without wasting too much time.

**EDUCATION**

2011 – 2014 **Tameside College, Ashton-u-Lyne**

**Ashton 6th Form College, Ashton-u-Lyne**

2006 – 2011 **West Hill Science College, Stalybridge**

**Tameside College, Ashton-u-Lyne**

Qualifications / Awards

2014 BTEC Diploma Level 2 in Information Technology

2012 Level 1 and 2 in Construction Diploma – Carpentry & Joinery

English, Level 1

2011 GCSE’s:

Additional Applied Science

English

**REFERENCES**

I have both academic and professional references that are available upon request.