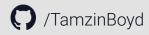
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KEY SKILLS

HTML5

CSS 3 & SASS

JavaScript ES6 (functional & OOP)

React JS

Firebase / Firestore

Node JS (Express & Swagger)

Problem solving

Unit Testing

Git Hub

Bootstrap

Googling!

Adobe Photoshop

INTRODUCTION

I am a driven and passionate junior Web Developer. By completing a self-paced boot-camp, alongside working full-time, I've proven that I am hard working and dedicated to pursuing a career in coding. I am an organised person who brings enthusiasm, good communication and a solution-oriented attitude to a team. I have a friendly nature and bring a wealth of previous experience. Being confident in my skills I am ready to pursue a challenging tech role with career opportunities. My main focus is front-end as I take pride in seeing the visual rewards of my work.

EXPERIENCE

Software Development - April 2021 to May 2022 - Nology

A remote course, mainly focused on front-end languages and frameworks such as JS and React. In addition to this we explored back-end including Node JS to create APIs and Firebase for databases and authentication. Unit testing was carried out with Jest, Enzyme and React Testing Library. I have awareness of TDD, Agile working and NPM.

As part of the course I contributed to a live client project, a web app built in React JS for students to monitor food waste and see the environmental impact of their food choices. I created a staged form for adding a recipe and also styled the menu items. I utilised useForm and Yup Resolver to create and validate the form then useState for the progression of each stage. The users' input was then submitted to Firestore. We used Trello to manage tickets, Figma for the design and GitHub for version control.

At each stage of the course we created a project to utilise skills learnt:

- Brew Dog beer finder in React, accessing a public API to render cards for each beer, allowing the user to filter and search results.
- Morse Code translator using HTML, CSS & JS.
- Alien text based game in JS, driven by OOP, using classes and objects.
- Calculator which was our first JavaScript project, I solved it using array methods.
- Hangman, a personal project using vanilla JS, HTML & CSS.
- Quiz web app, a personal project to help reinforce my knowledge.
 Built in React JS with Firebase for authentication.

To view projects and code visit my portfolio: www.tamzin-boyd.co.uk or github.com/TamzinBoyd

I am able to code responsive and functional websites as well as delivering professional branding through graphic design. As a naturally organised person, with an eye for detail, I aim to produce quality, DRY code. Through clean, semantic code I enjoy bringing creativity to life. To better myself as a developer I listen to industry podcasts.

If you have any questions then I'd love to hear from you!

CAREER

Project Coordinator - 2017 to Present Day - SE Controls (now remote)

Coordinate the installation of life safety smoke ventilation systems. Be reactive to arising problems and work to find efficient solutions. I have worked my way up from Project Administrator, to Senior Administrator and I am now a Project Coordinator. Key tasks include:

- Schedule engineers' attendance to sites, taking into consideration carious factors.
- Find solutions to last minute schedule issues.
- Communicate with colleagues and other departments to ensure smooth running of projects.
- Provide the Directors with forecasted figures for KPI reports.
- Generate commissioning paperwork for customers, ensuring they follow company guidelines and are of excellent standard.
- Carry out checks on projects to ensure they are in line with IFC quality standards.
- Organise the delivery of goods based on technical drawings.

Reception & Admin Assistant - 2009 to 2017 - Blue Cross (animal charity)

A rewarding role where I developed a wide range of skills, including clear communication and problem solving. I developed the centre's operations by providing admin support as well as constantly reviewing and updating systems to improve productivity. We worked as a team to rehome horses in need.

- Built up social media pages from scratch, posting content to raise centre awareness and support.
- Digitalised and maintained filing systems.
- Provided training and ongoing support to volunteers, including those less confident in using technology.
- Organised and coordinated fundraising events, maintaining a calm attitude under pressure.
- Recorded and edited horses' rehoming videos to enhance their chances of finding new homes.
- Increased awareness of Blue Cross by conducting TV/Radio interviews and attending events.
- Front of house for walk in customers, phone enquiries and emails, often handling difficult conversations.
- Finance admin including balancing daily & monthly payments and assisting with annual budgets.

Prior to this role I have experience as a Reception and Marketing Assistant and also worked in retail. I have a strong customer focused work ethic.

EDUCATION

2019 - ILM Management Workshop Programme - 9 week course teaching management skills BA(Hons) Interior Architecture and Design - University of Lincoln - Grade - 2:2

A-levels IT B, Art A, Design B

GCSEs 10 grades A-C, including Maths, English and Science



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