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Summary

Full Stack Developer with 9 years agency experience. Involved in all stages of the development process from planning, technical specifications, frontend, backend, infrastructure and deployment. Using various programming languages and technologies. Competent server provisioning via command line, continuous integration/deployment and git workflow.

Experience

Forge, Full Stack Developer   **Oct 2011 - Present**

Responsible for a wide range of tasks including the planning and development of new and existing websites and features, managing the server infrastructure, Git workflow, code reviews and deployment.

- Developing and maintaining the back end functionality of systems and websites;

- Writing technical specifications;

- Managing code reviews and deployment;

- Providing guidance to other team members on web development issues;

- Identifying and fixing bugs;

- Technical project management;

- Server administration;

- Creating Web APIs;

- Working with various frameworks and technologies. (WordPress, Laravel, React, Symfony);

Skills

- PHP, JS, SQL, HTML, CSS
- Composer, Node, NPM, Gulp, Yarn, Webkit

- Docker, Git, Gitlab, CI/CD, Ansible
- Command Line (Vim, Shell Scripts, SSH, SSL Config, vHost config)

- Nginx, Apache, DNS Configuration
- Digital Ocean, WPEngine, Plesk
- WordPress Theme, Plugin and API Development
- Laravel (experience)
- Symfony (exposure)
- Create React App, React Native (exposure)

Education

Anglia Ruskin University   **2004 - 2007**

Bachelor of Science (BSc) Multimedia Computing, Information Technology, 2:1

Graduated with Honors in Multimedia Computing
Dissertation titled "Effects of multimedia Learning Software in Schools"
Represented the University football team

Braintree College   **2002 - 2004**

A Level, Information Technology, Double C
Represented the college football team.