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FRONT-END WEB DEVELOPER (with back-end experience)





I am a self-taught web developer whose main focus has been on front-end development but for the past couple of months I've also been delving deeper into the back-end, particularly the technologies in the MEAN stack. I'm highly motivated and a very good self learner. I like figuring out how things work and then applying those skills on personal projects.

INDUSTRY RELATED SKILLS

HTML5	Javascript	Responsive Design	Git	Express.js	Chrome Developer Tools
CSS3	jQuery	Bootstrap	Node.js	MongoDB	REST

FEATURED PROJECTS

All projects were done all by myself, built from the ground up (except for using frameworks such as Bootstrap and some libraries). To see the live versions and code, visit my portfolio at thomas-ko.github.io/portfolio/.

Breakfast Rate April 2016

-Node -Mongo -Express -Restful Routing -Forms -jQuery -User Registration -HTML5 -CSS3 -Bootstrap -Responsive This app that let's users view, share, and comment on their favorite breakfast recipes. This was my first big project focusing on back-end development. I used more libraries than I had before, especially to make the forms more user-friendly and informative.

Freecodecamp Redesign

March 2016

-Javascript -jQuery -Responsive Layout -HTML5 -CSS3 -Vector Graphics

First impressions are everything. This redesign gives freecodecamp.com a fresh modern look that retains a "campsite" feel but makes the website appear more credible and professional. I focused a lot more on UX design to give the user a better experience while on the site.

Pizza Builder February 2016

-Javascript -jQuery -Responsive Layout -HTML5 -CSS3 -Vector Graphics

Using this app, users select/deselect ingredients and corresponding images appear/disappear on the pizza. After they're done, they can checkout and see the price they owe. In my javascript file, I focused on separating my concerns better than I'd done before.

RGB Color Game February 2016

-Javascript -Responsive Layout -HTML5 -CSS3

In this game, a user is shown an rgb value. It's his/her job to select the corresponding colored tile. For practice, I used only plain javascript to understand more about DOM manipulation and event listeners.

EDUCATION

These are just two of the more significant/recent online courses I've taken. I've also done many courses and projects from udacity, codecacademy, khanacademy. I'm currently working through freecodecamp's full-stack curriculum.

The Web Developer Bootcamp | Udemy

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Javascript: Understanding the Weird Parts | Udemy

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