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CORE SKILLS

- Html/CSS
- JavaScript
- React.js/Next.js

- Git
- Cypress testing
- Jira

- User-Centred Design
- Accessibility (WCAG,ARIA)
- Cross-functional collaboration

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

cxpartners, Bristol   March 2021 – March 2023
Junior Front-End Developer

At cxpartners I was part of the Public Service Pod, collaborating with UX designers, UX consultants, Senior developers and Technical leads to help create technical solutions for new projects and support on-going client projects.

Projects

Better Health: Rewards App:

In collaboration with an Australian development team, I supported the organisation of Azure DevOps tickets to ensure the smooth and efficient development of an app that has recently launched in [Wolverhampton](#). In addition to this, I provided exceptional customer support to trial users via email and phone, helping to troubleshoot technical issues and ensure a positive user experience. I also supported User Research sessions to gather valuable feedback from trial users and address any technical issues that arose during testing.

Women's Aid:

As part of the team at cxpartners, I manually tested new features and bug fixes on an [online live chat service](#) built in Next.js. I worked closely with the client and team to organise and support group User Acceptance testing, ensuring that the service met the client's needs and expectations. I also integrated automated testing scripts using Cypress, reducing manual testing time and increasing testing efficiency. Throughout the project, I worked with a variety of technologies including Twilio, Auth0, React and Jira.

IPSA (Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority):

I maintained client relationships for three of [IPSA's](#) Next.js based websites, ensuring that their needs and expectations were met throughout the development process. I supported the Lead Developer in resolving content issues using Contentful and Azure DevOps, streamlining the development process and ensuring that the websites were delivered on time and to the highest quality. My expertise in client communication and technical problem-solving allowed me to effectively support the development team and maintain positive relationships with the client.

Talk to Frank:

I played a critical role in upgrading the client's tech stack to meet their evolving needs. This included supporting the implementation of website analytics to comply with GDPR regulations, transitioning from GA to Matomo and taking the previous custom React framework and migrating it to Next.js in order to make it more maintainable. Through my expertise and attention to detail, I helped ensure that the client's [website](#) was fully compliant with the latest regulations, providing peace of mind and protection for their users' data. My commitment to delivering high-quality results helped to build and maintain a strong relationship with the client.

EDUCATION

DevelopMe_, Bristol, UK   October 2020

A 12-week project-driven software development course, taught by experienced industry professionals, providing a solid foundation in best practices. During this course I gained hands-on experience in HTML/CSS, JavaScript, React, and automated testing and collaborated effectively with cross-functional teams.

British Institute of Modern Music, Bristol, UK   September 2013 - 2016

BA(Hons) Professional Musicianship, 2:1