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ALEXANDRU-VALENTIN HARAPU

Let me contribute to your team by working as a developer with a background in Product Design. I can bridge the gap between UI/UX design and code.

LINK TO PORTFOLIO

TypeFast - a **typing game** designed to make practicing using the keyboard a fun thing. My very first experience playing with HTML, CSS, JS and HandlebarsJS in the frontend, and ExpressJS in the backend. Deployed using Netlify and Heroku.

HFB-Blog - as a former Chef, I decided to build **my own food blog** in my own style. A mobile first SPA made with ReactJS and Material-UI. Deployed using Heroku and S3.

TECH STACK



EXPERIENCE

ReboTime, Timisoara Romania — Web Development Internship

- UI development using ReactJS and the MaterialUI library.

EDUCATION

HK-Uni of Sci&Tech — Front-End Web Development with React

Completed the full stack web development course.

CodeCademy — Full Stack Web Development

Completed the full stack web development course.

Design, UAUIM — MDes (Master of Design)

BUCHAREST, ROMANIA

Broad curriculum including and not limited to graphic design, stage design, web design and interior design.

Product Design, Coventry University — BA (Bachelors of Art)

COVENTRY, UK

Product design with focus on research, prototyping and presentation.

RELEVANT SKILLS

Fluent in English, Swedish and Romanian. Can also speak German and Mandarin Chinese.

Driving license - B.

OTHER WORK

Kasai, Stockholm Sweden – Chef

2017 – 2019

- The position required fast paced and high quality work for a high-end restaurant.
- Customer focus.
- Ability to change teams and responsibilities dynamically during workflow.

EDGE Design & Technology, Stockholm Sweden – Production Manager

2014 – 2016

- Coordinating production in a time-pressure environment.
- Creative problem solving due to many possible unforeseen obstacles.

Hospitality Worker, Sweden & Taiwan – Concierge

- Work exchange during two of my visits to Taiwan.
- Experience with high-end customers at a 4star boutique hotel in Stockholm.

LIFE & HOBBIES

Trying to live a good life, borrowing from buddhist and stoic philosophy. I often practice self reflection, observation and meditation.

Fitness is important to me. The past few years I started practicing Mixed Martial Arts.

I am not a big fan of traditional sports, but I watch eSports occasionally, specifically StarCraft2. I don't really play any more.