

Alex Windett

WEB DEVELOPER

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PROFILE

As a motivated and reliable web developer working within a branding, design and marketing consultancy I have a proven track record of successfully working with PHP, CSS and JavaScript. This job has not only given me the opportunity to develop mobile first responsive websites for a wide range of clients, for example: 9BAR, Tyrrells, Dorset Cereals and Yeo Valley, it has also enabled me to contribute to internal projects, such as, programming the automation of website themes. I have experience of managing my clients, liaising with external developers and participating in group meetings. I have enjoyed utilising my communication skills and developing and maintaining successful working relationships with both internal and external colleagues.

SKILLS

CSS / SASS
Grunt / Gulp
Bower
HTML
PHP
Ruby / Ruby on Rails
node.js
jQuery / JavaScript
Git – GitHub and Bitbucket
Web Components - Google Polymer
Photoshop and Illustrator

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

FRONT END DEVELOPER **BIG FISH DESIGN LTD, LONDON SW10 0QJ** November 2014 – Present

- Maintaining and building the front end of websites and marketing campaigns from Photoshop or Illustrator design files.
- Producing designs for client approval.
- Assisting and advising account managers and designers with feasible strategies and options.
- Meeting with clients to discuss the initial brief and future proposals.
- Working closely with other developers within the company and externally.
- Learning new skills when needed and sharing knowledge with other team members.

EDUCATION

GENERAL ASSEMBLY, LONDON, E1 5JL **WEB DEVELOPMENT IMMERSIVE COURSE** June – September 2014

Three-month, full time course covering the basics of front and back end coding. Ranging from basic Ruby, HTML, CSS and version control to advanced Ruby on Rails, Responsive Design, JavaScript and several associated libraries. My final project was a mobile GPS ski tracking app where I taught myself D3.js and extensively used JavaScript and AJAX to create a mapping system.

UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE 2010 - 2013 **2:1 Degree BA Geography**

THE HARRODIAN SCHOOL, LONDON SW13 9QN 2002 – 2010 **3 A Levels, 1 AS Level** **10 GSCEs**

INTERESTS

Building upon my enthusiasm for web development I attend developer conferences and meet-ups whenever possible. I have also signed up as a volunteer mentor at Codebar and at my local primary school.

Working as a cook for 6 months in a French ski resort allowed me to follow my passion for skiing as well as food. It also gave me the inspiration to create the ski tracking app.

I am a keen sportsman and play 5-a-side at least once a week as well as, currently, organizing a London to Paris cycle ride

REFERENCE

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