Aleksejs Brehovs

Full Stack Developer

Skills

Ruby on Rails

Javascript ES6

React

HTML

CSS

SQL

Bootstrap

PostreSQL

Figma

MS Office

Excel (including VBA), Word, PowerPoint, Outlook

Teamwork

Management

Attention to detail

Communication

Customer Service

Negotiation

Problem-solving

Projects

Wheelp ☑

Web app to help find a vehicle expert to remotely check condition of a second-hand car before buying, in progress.

Superpowerly 2 AirBnB 1-week clone project - app that allows to rent superpowers

Interests

Music, Horticulture, Traveling, Puzzles

Profile

After building some simple tools in VBA for Excel in my previous role, I discovered a passion for coding, quit my job, and completed a web development course at Le Wagon with a goal to change my life and pursue a career in tech.

I am skilled in communication, team/project management, able to efficiently work both as a part of the team and independently, thriving when working to tight deadlines. Multi-lingual - fluent in English, Russian, Latvian, proficient in Finnish.

Education

Full Stack Web Development course, Le Wagon □

01/2022 - 03/2022 | London, UK

9-week full-time intensive coding bootcamp learning HTML, CSS, Bootstrap. JavaScript ES6, SQL, git, GitHub, Heroku and Ruby on Rails. Designed, implemented and shipped to production a clone of AirBnB and a Rails prototype of Wheelp, an app I am continuing to work on post-bootcamp.

First Class Honours Music Technology BSc, University of Hertfordshire

2011 - 2014 | Hatfield, UK

Finnic studies BA, University of Latvia

2007 - 2011 | Riga, Latvia

Including 6 months at University of Helsinki via Erasmus exchange programme.

Professional Experience

Health & Beauty Regional Buyer, Whole Foods Market

12/2019 - 01/2022 | London, UK

Worked with the lead buyer and a range of stakeholders to deliver on set KPI's and keep deliveries consistent to the stores during COVID pandemic. Curated a number of projects for the region, including:

Beauty Bag promotion (created and sourced a selection of new products from our partners) which returned a total of £20,000 profit in a month;

Beauty and Supplements sales - department's biggest quarterly category sales (negotiated support from suppliers, communicated the information to the stores, maintained the system updated with correct information and pricing).

Health & Beauty Associate Team Leader, Whole Foods Market

09/2017 - 11/2019 | London, UK

Managed all aspects of the H&B department at the location (including management of a team of 6 people), ensuring sales, margin, purchasing, and labour targets set by the leadership are met.

Controlled department inventory, executed promotional campaigns and sales at the store level. Made decisions on the range of products carried by the department.

Other duties included a variety of HR-related responsibilities, including conflict resolution and leading investigations at the store level.

Languages

Russian (Native), Latvian (Highly proficient), Finnish (Proficient), Italian (Beginner)