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## WORK HISTORY

### **Front-End Developer** *Freelancer on Upwork, remote | February 2022 – present*

- Collaborated with clients to help plan the infrastructure of sites and its layout. Built custom sections with JavaScript as well as jQuery to implement sliders, tab selectors and other custom components for their web pages with Shopify.
- Integrated 3<sup>rd</sup> party applications to be able to optimize their sites for better SEO, for follow up e-mails with their customers, for subscriptions, or for product reviews.
- Customized layout and themes for client websites with CSS.
- Researched various emerging web technologies, possible trends, and evaluated client's competitors to be able to provide options for possible ideas to incorporate on their sites.
- Built responsive sites with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Liquid.

### **Teacher** *The Country Day School, King City, Ontario | February 2019 - September 2021*

- Communicated and coordinated frequently with parents, students, and faculty to discuss instructional strategies and provide feedback.
- Assisted students with programming and coding activities using MIT Scratch, Dash and Dot, LEGO Mindstorm, and Osmo.

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## EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Commerce, Ryerson University** *Marketing Management September 2012- December 2016*

**Bachelor of Education, University of Ontario Institute of Technology** *September 2018 – December 2019*

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## PROJECTS

### **Web-Scraper** *November 2022- January 2023*

- User can input multiple links to articles on the web- which will return all articles titles and corresponding content. User selects which section of the article to capture as a summary which can be emailed to desired recipients.
- Typescript mono-repo with React for front-end UI and user state management. Node.js with express as its server environment, using MongoDB with mongoose as a database.
- Unit-testing for front-end with Jest and React-Testing library, back-end unit-testing with Mocha and Chai.

### **Job Tracker App** *September 2022- October 2022*

- User can keep track of all their job applications. These applications are then displayed and tracked with FusionCharts to show the frequency of when applications are sent out. Jobs can be set to "interview", "pending", or "declined" status.
- Uses an MVC design approach, with React and Context API to render views and manage state. JWT to authenticate the users, Node.js with express as its server environment, MongoDB as its database, with a layer of type-checking via TypeScript.

### **Reminder App** *August 2022 – September 2022*

- User can set various reminders with dates, priority, completion status, and descriptions. Has search functionality for reminders to be found based on their name/title, and sort functionality for reminders to be displayed by completion status or by priority (low, medium, high).
- React for the front-end of the application, with Redux to manage and store state. Firebase was incorporated as a database.

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## TECHNICAL PROFILE AND COMPETENCIES

**HTML | CSS | JavaScript | React | Node.js | TypeScript | MongoDB**

**Team player** | Always played and coached sports, work well with others, welcome to feedback and open communication.

**Life-long learner** | Have a growth-mindset as I am a curious person and always eager for challenges and new opportunities.

**Competitive** | Constantly pushing personal goals and learning new skills, whether its programming, reading, fitness, or DIY projects.

**Reliable & determined** | Always prepared to share what I know and can admit what I don't- but I will find the answer.

**Multilingual** | Fluent in English, Portuguese, and Spanish all oral and written.