

# ANNA BŁAZIAK

## Full Stack Web Developer

Portfolio: <https://aniablaziak.github.io/annablaziak-portfolio/>

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## PROFILE

Full Stack JavaScript Web Developer experienced with working in Agile and cross-functional teams. Enthusiastic learner with excellent communication skills and a great eye for detail. Passionate about great user experience, creative problem solving and clean, readable code.

**Technical Proficiencies:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript (ES6), Node.js, Express, Elixir, Phoenix, React, GraphQL, PostgreSQL, Handlebars.js, Sass, Jest, Travis CI, Figma, Heroku, Git & GitHub

## EXPERIENCE

### Junior Full Stack Developer, Made by Many

SEP 2019 - NOV 2019, LONDON, UK

- Introduced to the Elixir programming language by building an Instagram replica web application using the Phoenix framework and GraphQL on the backend and React with CSS-in-JS (Styled Components) on the frontend

### Developer Intern, Made by Many

JUL 2019 - SEP 2019, LONDON, UK

- Participated in a 10-week internship at a digital product consultancy, developing a functional product prototype, a web based application built with React, Node.js, PostgreSQL and Styled Components
- Learnt the process and **principles of user-centred design**
- Participated in defining and designing a digital product based on **user research and user testing**
- Acquired first-hand experience of **working in a cross-functional team**
- Worked and collaborated closely with the client

## Software Development Student, Founders & Coders

MAR 2019 - JUN 2019, LONDON, UK

- Participated in an 18-week, full stack web development course with an emphasis on peer-led learning and **pair programming**
- Gained practical experience of working on projects in **Agile teams**
- Built full stack projects in collaborations with charities and NGOs with the use of **design thinking, user research** and **user testing**
- **Hosted and mentored meetups** for prospect future course students

**Areas of learning:** JavaScript (ES6), Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, Semantic HTML, REST APIs, Sass, React, BEM, Test Driven Development, Continuous Integration

## Project Management Intern, Creative Translation

SEP 2018 - DEC 2018, LONDON, UK

Project Management Intern at a translation agency specialising in marketing translation, working with brands such as Airbnb, PayPal, Norwegian Airlines, to name a few.

My experience working as a Project Manager in the translation industry taught me **excellent time management skills, creative problem solving**, managing **working to tight deadlines** and maintaining an **impeccable eye for detail**. It also strengthened my **communication skills** and **empathetic approach** to the product audience.

## EDUCATION

### BA (Hons) Translation

SEP 2016 – JUN 2018

London Metropolitan University, United Kingdom

### BA English Studies (specialising in translation)

OCT 2014 – JUN 2016

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland

## ADDITIONAL INFO

I am passionate about diversity and inclusivity in the tech community and have been mentoring at Codebar, a weekly meet up enabling people from underrepresented groups to learn programming.

Here are some of tech conferences and meetups I have attended recently:

**Half Stack Conference 2018, ffconf 2018, // TODO Conf 2018**

**Front-end London, // TODO, JSMonthly, CSS London**