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Software Developer

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PROFILE SUMMARY

A passionate and driven Software Developer with a growth mindset who recently transitioned from a successful tech marketing career to pursue my childhood dreams of software development and creating impactful technology. My previous role in marketing for a carbon management software company allowed me to thrive in an agile environment, collaborating seamlessly with designers and engineers to deliver high quality products to prospects and customers. With many years of varying professional experiences I'm confident in my abilities to collaborate effectively, communicate, analyse complex problems, work efficiently, and adapt. I'm eager to leverage these skills and experiences in my next role.

SKILLS

LANGUAGES	Javascript |Python | Typescript | CSS | HTML | Swift (learning)
FRONT END	React | Next.js | Vite | Vercel | Bootstrap | Tailwind CSS
BACK END	SQL | AWS | REST APIs | Node.js | Express |Supabase
TESTING	Unit Testing |Playwright | Vitest | Jest |Pytest | Sentry
DESIGN	UX | UI | Figma | Accessibility
DEVOPS	Git | GitHub Actions | CI/CD

EXPERIENCE

ASSISTANT COACH - FELLOWSHIP   School of Code | United Kingdom | July 2024 - Present
Recognized for my technical and communication skills, I was invited by the School of Code to join as an Assistant Coach to provide bootcampers with mentorship and technical support around Full Stack Development. This role evolved into a fellowship where in addition to the above I also provide continuous feedback to the School of Code leadership team.

FULL-STACK DEVELOPMENT INTERN   School of Code | United Kingdom | February - June 2024
An intense 16-week bootcamp that trains individuals selected out of 1000's of applicants for industry best practices and standards. Over this period I worked in an agile scrum environment contributing to building and designing projects across 13 diverse teams.

- Participated in weekly hackathons and sprints around web development, backend, SQL, QA, Test-Driven Development, UX/UI, security, and technical writing.
- Developed collaborative coding skills through pair programming and feedback.
- Successfully deployed and hosted projects incorporating CI/CD.
- Implemented DevOps best practices in team projects.
- Attended guest talks from industry leaders across companies like Microsoft, Santander, The Economist and Iceland.

PROJECTS

SOCBrain   View GitHub Repo, View Project (Login: bootcamper@bootcamper.com, PW: 123456) | 2024
Tasked with improving the user and admin experience of the School of Code Learning Management System, SoCBrain is a slick and engaging quiz experience for the School of Code bootcampers' to test their technical knowledge. This app tracks technical progress for coaches to view via a dashboard, allowing for analysis of data to improve the bootcampers' learning experience. Within a year, SoCBrain will be a full-scale LMS allowing for a unique enhanced user and admin experience with limitless potential.
- Tech Stack: Next.js, Vercel, Typescript, Supabase, Tailwind CSS, Daisy UI, and Formik
- DevOps: GitHub Flow, Playwright and GitHub Actions
- Responsibilities: Design, wireframing, front-end code, back-end code, and code reviews.

COUNTRY SEARCH   View GitHub Repo, View Project | 2024

Using a bento grid design, Country Search fetches data from the Rest Countries API to display fun facts about countries from around the world at the click of a button.

- Tech Stack: Javascript, Rest Countries API, CSS, Netlify, Bento Grid Design, Figma

NELLY'S GREENHOUSE   View GitHub Repo (In build) | 2024

A business website for a client, showcasing products in a sleek grid layout. It also features a contact form for individuals or businesses to reach out directly, as the client does not handle online orders.

- Tech Stack: Typescript, Next.js, Supabase, CSS, Figma, Jest

JIMINI   View Demo | 2024

Created for the Women in Tech Hackathon, Jimini revolutionises collaborative working in the work environment by gamifying productivity and tailoring the experience for individuals with ADHD.

- Tech Stack: Next.js, Tailwind, Javascript, Node.js, Supabase, Playwright, Figma

WEATHER APP   View GitHub Repo, View Project | 2023

A minimalistic weather app, featuring the ability to select your current location, search any city, adjust from Fahrenheit to celsius and view the 6 day forecast.

- Tech Stack: Javascript, CSS, OpenWeather API, Netlify

Dice Game   View GitHub Repo |2024

A game where players take turns rolling dice with a maximum score limit of 50.

- Tech Stack: Python

EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

SENIOR FIELD MARKETING COORDINATOR   Sweep | London, UK | March 2022 - January 2024

Software Company Tracking Carbon and ESG Data
- Updated marketing and partner activities on the website via CMS.
- Led planning and operational activities of all events.
- Collaborated with engineers, marketing, sales and brand to seamlessly integrate marketing into the customer journey, generating qualified leads and helping the Sweep brand become top of mind.

EVENTS OFFICER   ClientEarth | London, UK | July 2019 - February 2022

Environmental Law Charity
- Led the execution of in person, hybrid and virtual events globally, including annual summits.
- Created landing pages, edited media and coordinated communication strategy.
- Drafted event briefings, risk assessments, reports, stats and copy for invitations, social media and registration pages.

EDUCATION

MA IN MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS | City, University of London   2018

BA IN HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE | Rutgers University   2015

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

EVENTS   AWS Summit | React Conference | Women in Tech Hackathon

CERTIFICATIONS   Full Stack Development | SheCodes Basic | SheCodes Plus | Understanding AI by DataCamp

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INTERESTS

HOBBIES   Sustainability in Tech | Horticulture | Playing Tennis | Cooking