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SKILLS (HARD)

- CSS
- Javascript
- React
- Git + Github
- HTML
- Mac OS
- Microsoft Office
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Node.js
- Agile Methodologies
- Scrum
- Writing
- Art History
- Photography

SKILLS (SOFT)

- Customer Service
- Communication
- Public Speaking
- Teamwork
- Leadership
- Presentations
- Languages: English (native), Japanese (intermediate), German (beginner)

INTRO I am a junior developer with a passion for technology, art, and social justice. In addition to my education in web development, I also hold a Master's Degree in Art History and Japanese language, and have over 7 years' experience working in the creative field. I am proficient in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React, the Adobe Creative Suite, and Figma, eager to create innovative and usable front-end code, and dedicated to promoting diversity within the tech world.

EXPERIENCE

Junior Full Stack Developer, Internship

Inu Health

Berlin, Germany

December 2020 - current

I am working on an app for women with endometriosis to track their menstrual cycle, and access audio therapies and meal plans. Along with my team, I am developing the frontend of web app using React.js, and the backend using Prisma, Postgres, and SQL. We are using Git, Github, Jira, and Slack for remote collaboration.

Art Acquisition, Freelance

April 2020 - current

I research art for sale within a client's budget, present my findings, and coordinate the purchases with the galleries. I focus particularly on the Japanese modern and contemporary art market, and digital art and non fungible tokens.

Curatorial Assistant

SomoS Art House

Berlin, Germany

Feb 2020 – June 2020

Assisted with administrative tasks, website administration through Wordpress, translation, writing and editing, archival research, communication with artists in residence, scheduling, installation, preparation, organization, and facilitation of events and projects, marketing and PR (social media, press clippings, newsletter, blogging), greeting and assisting exhibition visitors, giving tours, handling inquiries, documentation of exhibitions, and artist interviews.

Japanese to English Translator, Freelance

Fukuda Art Museum

Kyoto, Japan

January 2020 – current

I write and perform translations from Japanese to English remotely on an as-needed basis.

Art Administration

Vancouver International Sculpture Biennale
September 2018 – February 2019
Guided and assisted guests at the Patricia Piccini
exhibition, contributed to social media accounts,
photographed works, scheduled meetings, attended to
the gallery, gave tours, and engaged in critical discussion
with guests about the works.

Gallery Administrator & Translator

Bed & Art Hotel and Gallery Tokyo, Japan September 2016 — May 2017

Translated English-speaking artists' bios about from English to Japanese, and Japanese artists' bios from Japanese to English, liaised with artists, developed and ran social media campaign, scheduled meetings, wrote information about the artworks in both Japanese and English, and assisted with the setup and takedown of artworks.

Assistant English Teacher

Vories Gakuen Shiga, Japan August 2015 — July 2016

Assisted Japanese teachers of English in their 3rd and 4th year high school classes, created presentations, games, and lessons, graded papers and assignments, created and carried out after school and club activities including the English Speech and Debate Club and International Exchange Club, supervised field trips, aided and mentored exchange students, tutored students.

Administrative and Production Assistant

Planet Nutshell Animation Studio Cambridge, Massachusetts June 2013 – June 2014

Created and managed the website through Wordpress, managed social media, developed the content strategy, managed localization of content, scheduled meetings, created video scripts, greeted guests and clients, managed studio schedule, communicated with potential clients and animators, created the email newsletter, edited photo and video, and aided with video promotion and sales.

Gallery New Media Intern

The Fine Arts Center Colorado Springs, Colorado October 2012 – May 2013

Managed the Fine Arts Center on social media websites, edited the website using Wordpress, catalogued works and updated website database, interviewed artists, actors, and community members about shows and performances, took video and still photos of shows and performances, helped prepare and advertise shows.

EDUCATION

Full Stack Web Development Course

Wild Code School Graduated 2021

Master of Arts

The University of British Columbia, Vancouver Canada

Major: Art History

Focus: Modern Japanese Art

Graduated 2019

Certificate of Intermediate Japanese Language

Center for Japanese Language Waseda University, Tokyo Graduated 2017

Bachelor of Arts

The Colorado College, Colorado Springs CO Major: Art History Graduated 2013

REFERENCES

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