ALLISON R. THELEN

Elevating experiences, one pixel at a time!

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PROFILE

Web Developer & UI Designer with hands-on experience building responsive, user-first websites using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Figma, and Canva. Passionate about combining clean design with emerging tech like AI and prompt engineering to create inclusive digital experiences. Always eager to grow, adapt, and learn new skills in a collaborative environment!

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming & Markup Languages
HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Java, Python, PHP, SQL

Content & Educational Tools
ChatGPT (prompt engineering, instructional generation), Grok, Google Workspace (Docs, Sheets, Slides, Forms), Notion

Design & Prototyping
Figma, Canva, Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, After Effects, Lightroom), Balsamiq

Frameworks & Libraries
Bootstrap

Version Control
GitHub

Additional Tools
Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access, Outlook, Teams), Zoom, Slack, Cloudflare

SOFT SKILLS

- Collaborative and supportive team player
- Clear, approachable communicator
- Detail-oriented and organized
- Proactive problem-solver
- Adaptable in fast-paced environments
- Curious about AI and eager to integrate emerging tools
- Experienced in mentorship and peer support

AWARDS

Team Lead Award
August 2024 — *Podium Education*

Team Lead Impact Award
March 2025 — *Podium Education*

EDUCATION

University of South Florida, May 2023
Bachelor of Information Science with a Concentration in Web Development Technologies | GPA: 3.99

University of Central Florida, May 2021
Associate of Arts | GPA: 4.00

WORK EXPERIENCE

Podium Education, Remote — *Senior Web Development Team Lead*
AUGUST 2023 - PRESENT
- Mentor team leads and test curriculum to support course improvements.
- Guide 50+ students in synchronous Zoom classes on web development (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, AI, Bootstrap).
- Adapt teaching to diverse learning styles and foster an inclusive environment.
- Host office hours for personalized and group support.
- Create reusable evaluation feedback comments for fellow Team Leads, ensuring consistency and support in student assessments.
- Communicate proactively to resolve challenges and support success.

SeaWorld Parks & Entertainment, Tampa, FL— *Sales Clerk*
JANUARY 2020 - MARCH 2020
- Provided personalized guest experiences through photo sales and editing.
- Communicated effectively with diverse customers in a fast-paced setting.
- Maintained an organized and efficient workspace.

KEY PROJECTS

L'Oréal Beauty Product Chatbot (AI Routine Assistant) — *HTML, CSS, JavaScript, OpenAI API, Cloudflare*
- Developed an interactive AI chatbot to guide users through personalized skincare and beauty routines.
- Integrated OpenAI's API via Cloudflare Workers for secure, real-time product recommendations.
- Designed a responsive, accessible interface with support for multiple languages.
- Created a natural dialogue flow and user-friendly experience, mirroring educational feedback systems.
- Utilized on brand visuals and UI to align with L'Oréal's tone and customer engagement goals.

charity: water Landing Page — *HTML, CSS, JavaScript, OpenAI API, Cloudflare*
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Card Matching Game — *HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Canva*
- Created a 12-card matching game with theme-based visuals and audio effects.
- Used JavaScript to track progress with flip and match counters.
- Designed engaging UI to enhance interactivity and user experience.