

Asset Nakupov

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Self-taught and self-motivated Full-Stack Developer with hands-on experience in front-end and back-end technologies (React, Node.js, PostgreSQL, Python). With 7+ years of legal experience at Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP, I bring strong problem-solving skills, business acumen, and a strategic mindset. IELTS 8.5

Skills

HTML5, CSS3	JavaScript (ES6+)	React
Node.JS	Express.js	Jest
Python	C#	SQL
PostgreSQL	REST API	Prisma ORM
Webpack, Vite	Unity	Git, GitHub

- **Business Acumen & Project Management:** Demonstrated through leading legal teams and large-scale transactions.
- **Stakeholder Engagement:** Effective communication and strategic advising with multinational clients.

Projects

Full-Stack Social Media Platform

A robust social media application featuring user profiles, direct/group chats, posts with likes/comments, notifications, secure JWT authentication and content management modules.
Technologies: React, Styled-Components, Vite | Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, Prisma, Passport, JWT

Blog / Newsletter Platform

A full-stack blog with dual interfaces: a public-facing site and an admin portal for content management. Contains dynamic user authentication and a database-driven post storage system.
Technologies: React, Styled-Components, Vite | Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, Prisma, Passport

WHAT MAKES YOU LIVE? (Text RPG)

An immersive browser-based text RPG set in a Victorian-era fantasy realm, with branching storylines, player-driven choices, a reputation system, and turn-based combat.
Technologies: HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Map Quiz

An interactive map quiz game enabling players to explore a fantasy continent and complete location-based tasks, with features such as task prompts, interactive map exploration, and high score tracking.
Technologies: **Front-End:** React, HTML, CSS, JavaScript | **Back-End:** Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, Prisma, Passport, JWT, Bcrypt

Certifications & Courses

The Odin Project – Full-Stack JavaScript Path

June 2023 - June 2024

- Completed extensive self-directed curriculum focusing on modern web development using JS, Node.js, Express, and React.

Professional Experience

Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP

Senior Legal Associate

Jun 2016 – May 2023

- Managed high-stakes corporate, contract, and M&A projects, enhancing my analytical skills and business acumen. Led cross-functional teams, negotiated with multinational clients and government bodies, and consistently delivered on complex, high-value transactions.
- Personally highlighted in international law directories (The Legal 500 EMEA).

Education

KIMEP University

Bachelor of Laws (LLB), Law

2012 – 2016

- Graduated Cum Laude with a 100% scholarship, Top GPA, President’s List, and outstanding academic achievements.

Additional Strengths

- **Analytical Expertise:** Proven ability to manage high-stakes projects with precision.