

Blake Stickland

blakestickland@gmail.com | +61-417-793-053 | Melbourne, Australia

LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/blake-stickland-7bbb4a1ba>

GitHub: <https://github.com/blakestickland>

Portfolio: <https://blakestickland.github.io/portfolio/>

Full-Stack Web Developer with a desire to utilise my professional experience, background, and new web development skills as a Multimedia Programmer in the Arts. Recently earned a certificate for Full-Stack Web Development from Monash University with strongly grounded skills in JavaScript, HTML, CSS, jQuery, AJAX, Node.js, MySQL, MongoDB, and React.js. Expert knowledge of music and proficient in Japanese.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Node.js, JavaScript, jQuery, React.js, React Native, GIT, Github, MongoDB, MySQL, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Materialize, Media Queries, APIs, JSON, REST, AJAX, the command line, computer science fundamentals

APPLICATIONS BUILT

Hangry?

- A recipe search engine that displays recipe cards featuring recipe picture, ingredients, wine-pairing suggestion and cooking instructions; email and add-to-favorites options based on user-entered food keywords.
- Co-developer in a group of four
- JavaScript, AJAX, APIs, HTML, CSS
- Built keyword-search; AJAX API calls for wine-pairing and cooking instructions; assisted with HTML and styling.
- <https://lindahubi.github.io/Project-1/index.html>

EXPERIENCE (selected)

University of Melbourne

01/2019 – present

Venue Technical Support

- Provide technical solutions to university students for production and event sound and lighting needs.
- Problem-solves student installations and guide students to achieve efficient, time-conscious solutions.

Melbourne Recital Centre

10/2014 – present

Technician (Sound)

- Operate and co-ordinate sound-related concerts, recording sessions and livestreams in the 1000-seat capacity multi-performance space venue as part of a team for more than 550 events a year in the Centre.
- Contribute daily to achieving time and budget-related goals for both clients and the venue which help grow the Centre as a brand domestically and internationally with touring acts and promoters.

Federation Square (for AV contractor Creative Vision Audio)

10/2009 – present

Venue Technical Support

- Recognized by managers for professionalism in commitment to clients while dealing with unforeseeable circumstances.
- Consistently requested by management to operate high-profile events that demand attention to detail and an achievable client-focussed approach to the job.

EDUCATION

Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

Coding Bootcamp – Full Stack Web Development

A 24-week boot camp dedicated to designing and building web applications. Skills learned include HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Node js, MySQL, MongoDB, AJAX, and ReactJS.

La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) – Major: Computer Music Composition, Minor: Physics

A 4-year degree that included a thesis surveying real-time computer generated music programs. Subjects included a focus on C-language coded instruments and logic systems used in electronics.