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SKILLS

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient with:

JavaScript (ES6) • React • HTML5 • SASS/SCSS • CSS3 • styled-components

• Firebase • Git • Github • NPM • Agile (Scrum) • Adobe Creative Cloud

SOFT SKILLS

Creativity • Logical Learning • Leadership

• Dedication

LANGUAGE

English (B2) • Turkish (Native)

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

WHATWAS? - NOTE-TAKING APP | WEBSITE | GITHUB

Fall 2020 | Istanbul, Turkey

- Built and deployed website using **React**.
- Achieved 85% performance rating on Google Pagespeed Insights.
- Organised page navigations and error pages with **React Router**.
- Designed React components in styled-components.
- Created a WYSIWYG editor via react-quill.
- To simplify user authentication, integrated **Firebase Auth**.
- Creation of back-end with Firebase and Firestore.
- Reduced average database reads per user **800%** using Context API (*from 25k reads/day*).

PORTFOLIO | WEBSITE | GITHUB

Fall 2020 | Istanbul, Turkey

- Developed a portfolio website in **React**.
- Reduced page load time down under 2.5 seconds.
- Achieved 90+ performance rating on Google Pagespeed Insights.
- Use of SASS/SCSS for styling.
- Deployed to **Firebase** using **Github Actions** to achieve fast and reliable deployment.

TIC TAC TOE WITH MINIMAX ALGORITHM | WEBSITE | GITHUB

Summer 2020 | Istanbul, Turkey

- Created a Tic Tac Toe game in VanillaJS
- Implemented **Minimax Algorithm** to accomplish a competitive single-player game.

SNAKE GAME | WEBSITE | GITHUB

Summer 2020 | Istanbul, Turkey

- Developed a snake game in VanillaJS and HTML Canvas
- Designed front-end using SASS/SCSS.

HACKERNEWS API | GITHUB

Summer 2020 | Istanbul, Turkey

- Creation of Client-side by **React**.
- Use of **styled-components** to style React Components.
- Use of **Axios** to fetch Hacker News API.

ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

TINY CAVE STUDIOS FOUNDER, RECORDING ENGINEER

APRIL 2019 - JUNE 2020 | Istanbul, Turkey

- Founded a local recording studio in Istanbul.
- Besides recording facilities, musical career advisory services enriched the company's assets.
- This experience strengthened my soft skills, such as communication and decision making in altering conditions.
- Previous experiences as a bass guitarist in multiple bands provoked my sense of creativity, teamwork, and dedication.