**Calum Johnston**

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**PROFILE**

I have 4+ years of experience in designing and developing front-end web applications, focusing on modern, user-centric design principles. I have a high degree of proficiency in current web technologies including HTML, CSS and popular JavaScript libraries, and have used these skills to deploy effective projects in both professional and personal settings.

**EXPERIENCE**

**Web Developer**

**Hugh Gordon Architect** October 2015 – Present, Braddon ACT

• Designed, developed, and launched a new web presence for Hugh Gordon Architect Pty Ltd.

• WordPress CMS development, maintenance and updates, including taking regular site-wide backups.

• Custom HTML5, CSS3, and jQuery work to satisfy the needs of the business.

• Performed Search Engine Optimisation (SEO) services. Used various techniques to boost the Google page rankings over 20 places, to the front page for various queries, in turn boosting the site traffic by over 200%.

• Performed general IT services for the business, including maintenance and debugging of the email system, full Dropbox migrations, software migrations, and installing VOIP hardware.

**Cashier / Delivery Driver**

**Pizza Capers Gungahlin** August 2015 – January 2016, Braddon ACT

• Handled phone calls in a busy environment, while under heavy time constraints.

• High levels of customer interaction under pressure.

• Acted as the first point of contact between customers and the business.

**PERSONAL PROJECTS**

**wordcorrupt.me**

• A free, online document corruption tool.

• Over 130,000 unique page views in its first 16 hours of being deployed. Over 7000 unique Word documents and Excel files served in the first 24 hours of the service.

• Designed, developed, and built with HTML5, CSS3, jQuery and PHP.

• Originally designed as a proof of concept and to gain experience with PHP, growing from a weekend project.

**cheekytalk.me**

• A free, online text-to-speech generator, allowing messages to be shared between friends.

• Built with HTML5, CSS3, and jQuery.

• The nerdy part: Uses Google Translate's library of word pronunciations to formulate speech, then stores the message in a base64 encoded URL query string. The base64 encoded string is then decoded, and each word is played in sequence with a 420ms delay to imitate speech.

**EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Information Technology**

University of Canberra - Bruce, ACT - 2015 - Present

**High Distinction (96%) in Professional Practice in IT**

University of Canberra - Bruce, ACT - 2016

**Certificate of Achievement in Information Technology (T)**

Gungahlin College - Gungahlin, ACT - 2015

**TECHNICAL SKILLS**

**HTML** • CSS • **Javascript** • jQuery Library • **PHP** • GitHub • **MVC** • WordPress CMS • **Google** **Analytics** • Search Engine Optimisation • **Content** **Management** • Web Storefronts - **WooCommerce** • Content Writing • **Adobe** **Photoshop** • Microsoft Office Suite • **Web Hosting** • Domain Management • **DNS records**