CAROL WAITHAKA

Frontend Developer | UI/UX Designer

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SUMMARY

Experienced freelance frontend developer and UX designer with a strong background in creating user-centric web applications. Proficient in frontend technologies and UI/UX design principles, delivering responsive and intuitive digital experiences. Seeking opportunities to collaborate on innovative projects and contribute expertise in frontend development and UX/UI design.

EDUCATION

KCA University

Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science
2018 – 2022

SKILLS

Frontend Development:
- Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript (ES6+)
- Frameworks/Libraries: React.js
- Version Control: Git, SVN
- Responsive Design, Cross-browser Compatibility

UX/UI Design:
- Wireframing/Prototyping: Figma, Sketch
- User Research, Usability Testing
- UI Design Principles, Typography, Color Theory

STRENGTHS

- **Adaptability:** Quick learner with the ability to adapt to new technologies and project requirements seamlessly.

- **Strong Collaboration Skills**: Experience working effectively in cross-functional teams, collaborating with designers, developers, and stakeholders to achieve project goals.

REFERENCES

- Available upon request.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Web Developer & UX Designer

Bullion Solutions | 2022-2024

- Worked with various clients to develop responsive web applications and design intuitive user interfaces.
- Collaborated with stakeholders to understand project requirements and translate them into functional specifications.
- Implemented UI designs using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript frameworks such as React.js, ensuring cross-browser compatibility and performance optimization.
- Conducted user research, created wireframes and prototypes, and performed usability testing to improve user experience.
- Integrated third-party APIs and implemented authentication and authorization features for secure user access.
- Optimized website performance and SEO by implementing best practices and monitoring analytics data.

Web Developer & UX Designer

Life Reformation Centre | 2020-2022

- Designed and developed responsive web applications using HTML/CSS/JavaScript, ensuring cross-browser compatibility and optimal user experience.
- Conducted user research and usability testing to iteratively improve product designs, resulting in a 20% increase in user engagement.
- Collaborated with clients to define project requirements, create wireframes, prototypes, and deliver high-quality UI designs.

CERTIFICATIONS

- ITIL v4