



Charles McDougal

Long-time computer nerd looking to return to my roots as a full-stack web designer and developer after 10 years teaching English overseas. A strong desire to apply the skills I have acquired, such as collaborative planning, team management and recruitment, development of organizational documentation, editing and proofreading, and working remotely, to a technology career.

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hobbies and interests

typography/design, computer
games, origami, squash, fitness,
cooking, photography

technical skills

React – Learned Redux, Router v6, Next.js, custom hooks, deployment, API interaction, React w/ TypeScript through 48-hr Udemy course, personal project

Node.js – Learned Express server, MongoDB, Mongoose, Postman and Jest (for testing), socket.io through 35-hr Udemy course

HTML 5/CSS 3 – Clear understanding of the DOM, using dev tools in Firefox/Chrome for debugging, designing layouts and templates in Figma, modern CSS practices like variables, media queries, flexbox and grid

education

University of Maine, Orono, Maine 2008
Graduated with Bachelor of Arts in New Media

Udemy: The Complete Node.js Developer Course (3rd Edition) Jan 2022

Udemy: React - The Complete Guide Apr 2022

work history

Çakır Schools, Bursa, Turkey February 2015—Current
English Teacher, Head of Department

- Teach English as a second language to high school students from prep to grade 12; taught grades 4 and 6 in primary and middle schools
- Developed guidelines for head of department role, curriculum
- Responsible for proofreading exams and worksheets for the department
- Train teachers on classroom teaching technologies

Wall Street English, Bursa, Turkey December 2011—January 2015
English Teacher, Service Manager from March 2013

- Managed, supervised, interviewed, and hired a team of six teachers and two receptionists during a staff transition period for the school
- Increased active student enrollment from a low of 170 to over 300
- Tracked education of all 400+ students using software management tools
- Redesigned old posters and schedules, implementing updated corporate style guidelines, logos and typefaces

Colby College, Waterville, Maine Summers of 2000—2002, 2004
Web developer, Communications

- Updated and maintained dozens of pages for Colby's online presence including the Colby magazine and its associated CMS
- Worked directly with magazine print editors to ensure all web-based publications adhered to strict quality guidelines and matched the college's print materials; assisted with editing and review of language
- Used web technology including PHP, PostgreSQL, HTML, and JavaScript to develop a management tool for quarterly publications and archival issues
- Assisted with implementation of an updated college identity, including deploying a package of fonts, logos, letterheads, and other templates

website

<https://mcdougal-resume.web.app/>