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About

I'm a highly skilled, adaptable and enthusiastic front-end developer always looking to progress my current skill set and advance my career. I can work with minimal supervision or in a team environment. I'm punctual and reliable with a strong will to succeed. I feel I would be an asset to any company looking for an experienced and hard working employee with leadership experience.

Employment history

The Alloy Ltd.
UI Developer
August 2012 - present

Developing user interfaces and front-end code for a product design company. As the lead developer I have worked on a responsive web app for the health sector, UI redesign implementation for Grass Valley, trading turrets UI - working closely with BT and using the MEAN stack to communicate with IOT controllers (Arduino). I have also recently developed the company's new website.

- HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, AngularJS, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, Gulp, Sass and Qt / QML.
- Understanding of JavaScript OOP concepts.
- Developing pixel-perfect UIs across a variety of web platforms
- Documenting and following wireframes and workflows
- Cross-browser compatibility

Airborne Interactive Ltd.
Interactive Application Developer
September 2002 - August 2012

Developing in-flight entertainment interactive software for major airlines such as: American Airlines, Delta Airlines, Japan Airlines & TAM.

- Overseeing projects from concept to completion
- Using Qt with JavaScript and SQL to create UI interactive software
- Using JavaScript, SQL CSS, PHP & HTML to create browser UI interactive software
- Using bug tracking software (Bugzilla) and version control software (Subversion)
- Creating/editing images using Photoshop & Paint Shop Pro ready for use in an application
- Creating a detailed document of changes made, ready for release to client
- Liaising with clients on a global basis
- Travelling to California to carry out on-site support for Panasonic, who provide back end systems and hardware for the interactive
- General administrative duties

Top Banana Software Ltd
Web Designer
September 1999 - March 2002

Developing and creating web sites for a small design agency based in the South Coast.

- Experience in various web design packages and key software such as Paint Shop Pro, Dreamweaver, Flash and Microsoft Office.

- Update websites to client's specifications.
- Liaise with customers on a daily basis via phone and e-mail.

Skills

HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, AngularJS, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, Gulp, Sass, Qt / QML, Photoshop, Version Control, Bugzilla, Visual Studio, Microsoft Office.

Education

IT Using Level 2 NVQ

Gaining Skills in general computer usage and operations. Including preparing, monitoring and concluding use of IT entering data to create and update files, maintenance of IT hardware, creation of file structure, Data Protection Act and Health and Safety legislation research.

GNVQ Intermediate in Business Studies

Havant College

Business development, finance and organisation including customer service, consumer protection and retailing. Gaining key skills in communication, application of number and IT.

GCSEs; English, Physics, Mathematics, IT, Geography, Religious Studies
St. Johns College Southsea
1990-1998.