

Christopher Walsh

SOFTWARE TESTER · WEB DEVELOPER

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About Me

Political science graduate turned part front-end web developer and part QA tester. Junior front-end web development experience in a startup-like setting working with LAMP-stack technologies. Looking to transfer to a setting where I can work with cutting-edge technologies and frameworks and work on solutions to big problems with other headstrong developers and mentors.

Work Experience

Gleim Publications

Gainesville, FL

JUNIOR SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

January 2021 - Present

- Assisted development teams in clearing up issue ticket backlog by fixing bugs afflicting thousands of users, improving overall user experience.
- Provided user requirements analysis, design, and development support for enhancement of web applications accessed by hundreds of thousands of users worldwide and internal utilities used by hundreds of employees.
- Worked primarily with PHP, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Bash, MySQL, GitLab (for tracking projects), and Git version control.

Gleim Publications

Gainesville, FL

MANUAL QA TESTER

October 2020 - Present

- Tested within the Agile development methodology to ensure that bugs found during the life cycle of the product's development were found and addressed quickly.
- Conducted both white and black box manual QA testing techniques depending on test requirements. Testing done includes regression testing, smoke testing, sanity testing, holistic testing, and stress testing, among others.
- Documented test results by creating test reports communicating results of testing to developers, project managers, and QA/QC administration.
- Assisted developers in finding the root cause of bugs with exploratory testing and internal investigation into code.

Education

University of Florida

Gainesville, FL

B.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE

December 2019

- Relevant administrative coursework included Public Administration, Ethical Philosophy, and Communications.
- A.S. in Programming and Analysis included relevant technical coursework in Web Authoring, OOP, Software Testing, and Database Management.

Skills

Languages: Python, JavaScript, C++, SQL, PHP, Selenium Java

Technologies: HTML5, CSS3, SASS, MySQL, Git Version Control, Selenium, Jira

Personal Projects

Budgeter: A Budget App

VANILLA JAVASCRIPT

- Developed a budgeting app using the module pattern in vanilla JavaScript.
- Employed bubbling event delegation and event listeners to catch keypresses and clicks on the app.
- Implemented a local storage solution with the browser cache so that users' incomes and expenses are retrievable when they come back to the page.

Discord.py Chat Bot

PYTHON

- Developed a Discord bot using the Discord API and Discord.py module in Python.
- Bot has a plethora of moderation, gambling, and social commands in a modular format that allows for expansion in the future.
- Constructed a web page on my personal portfolio that allows visitors to add the bot to their Discord servers while displaying the bot's supported commands.
- Hosted the website and the bot so that they remain online indefinitely.

Personal Portfolio Website

HTML, SASS, VANILLA JAVASCRIPT

- Created a beautiful website from scratch using HTML, SASS, and JavaScript that is both responsive and elegant in design.
- Structured with CSS Flexbox and CSS Grid to provide a modern, easy-to-use user interface.
- Utilized SASS for creating variables, nesting CSS, and using mixins for reusable styling throughout the stylesheet.