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KAROL BRENNAN

Front End Developer / UX Designer

EXPERIENCE

Web Designer
International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans
02/2017 - PRESENT

Adobe Creative Cloud, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Responsive Design, SharePoint, SharePoint Designer

Created and launched redesigns for various sub-sections of the Foundation's primary website. Managed update requests through the IT Support Queue.

> - Redesigned and launched **jobsinbenefits.org**
> - Created a reusable CSS framework for the Foundation that would help facilitate a consistent user interface for forms and other interfaces created by on-staff developers
> - Created a user friendly interface for the Foundation's legacy .net based shopping cart
> - Re-wrote the HTML structure to be semantic and implemented a new design for the Foundation's annual conference session selection interface.

Web Developer
Liturgical Publications, Inc.
10/2015 - 02/2017

PHP, JavaScript, Git, Vagrant, Ansible, MySQL Workbench, Zend 1 Framework, ExactTarget, Google JavaScript API, Apache Cordova, Agile / Scrum

Developed new features and provided support for a suite of products designed to service churches and senior centers.

> - Re-engineered the theme development process and file structure for weconnect.com, effectively reducing the necessary development time by 75% while also making it easier to apply hotfixes across multiple themes at one time.
> - Developed a system to consume Google's JavaScript API data to provide geolocation services for parishesonline.com
> - Managed the development team's support queue, developing and releasing a variety of bug fixes for existing applications. Delegated other tasks as neeeded.

Web Designer
Liturgical Publications, Inc.
08/2013 - 10/2015

Adobe Creative Cloud, HTML, CSS, Foundation CSS, JavaScript, Responsive Web Design, SMACSS, Subversion, Git, Agile / Scrum

Designed and implemented themes for the WeConnect CMS. Created various layouts and interfaces and managed changes for LPIs suite of products.

> - Designed multiple themes / templates for **weconnect.com** as well as a variety of user interfaces across LPI's other products such as **parishesonline.com**.
> - Created responsive mobile designs for all existing themes / templates.
> - Refactored the CSS for all WeConnect themes to implement new mobile designs, the Foundation framework and follow a SMACSS structure. This was done while maintaining the theme's original design. The refactor effectively reduced the lines of code from thousands, down to hundreds per theme.

Web Designer
PowerSports Network
09/2012 - 08/2013

Adobe Creative Cloud, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SalesForce

Produced new designs and redesigns for dealership websites that carry Power-Sport, Marine and Commercial vehicles and equipment.

> - Designed/redesigned, executed changes, and maintained over 80 websites with an average turnaround of 2 new designs per week.
> - Integrated new web standards into a legacy application.
> - Mentored colleagues in the latest standards for HTML and CSS.

EDUCATION

Waukesha County Technical College

Web and Digital Media Design
Associate of Applied Science
Who's Who Among College Students | Phi Theta Kappa | National Technical Honor Society