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Front-end Designer & Developer

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Experience

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Senior Web Developer, Health Sciences Campus, West Virginia University, Morgantown, West Virginia

I plan, design, build, and maintain websites built on Umbraco CMS and small web applications that utilize the proprietary SOLE learning management system, and I help with writing training and support materials. I conduct code and design reviews among the group to help improve code quality and to ensure that websites are accessible and that consistent design patterns are used. I help develop enhancements to current processes and implement code methodologies to increase efficiency and consistency.

November 2011 – December 2014 Multimedia Producer, PMI, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

As a member of the PMI Digital team, my primary focus was on front-end development, including prototyping, UI development, JavaScript development, custom WordPress theme development, and providing UX design feedback. I planned, designed, built, and maintained internal websites and landing pages. I also assisted with creating motion graphics using After Effects.

June 2008 – December 2014 Freelance Front-end Designer & Developer

I worked with companies and individuals to plan, design, and build their websites; specializing in custom Wordpress development.

May 2011 – November 2011 User Experience Designer, Careerimp Inc., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

As the lead designer for the web application Résunate, my responsibilities included wireframe creation, user testing, and user interface design.

February 2011 – May 2011 Multimedia Developer, Fargo Design Co., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

My key responsibilities included existing site maintenance, front-end development, CMS implementation, and CMS template development. This involved breaking down web layouts in Photoshop and hand coding functional, standards based templates for WordPress and Joomla.

Skills

Strong understanding of content strategy, usability, consistency, and communication of user interface design.

Experience developing on various content management systems including Umbraco, WordPress, Joomla, and Drupal.

Fluent in hand-coded HTML5, CSS3/SASS, and JavaScript/jQuery to build responsive, accessible, standards based, cross-browser compatible websites.

Fundamental knowledge of the implementation of PHP and C#/.NET.

Proficient in using BEM naming conventions and ITCSS CSS architecture.

Experience using Git, BitBucket, Jira, GitHub, Node.js, Grunt, and Microsoft Team Foundation Server in workflow.

Experience using responsive front-end development frameworks including Bootstrap and Foundation.

Proficient in using Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere, and Encore.

Experience building cross-client email campaign templates.

Education

ITT Technical Institute, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Associate in Specialized Technology Degree, IT Multimedia