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Introduction

Hello! I'm an enthusiastic developer and creative thinker who enjoys discussing web technology and designing user experiences. Accessibility and linguistics are passions of mine.

Experience

Senior Front-End Developer, Royal Bank of Canada (RBC) – Feb 2016–Today
I've been building accessible (WCAG AA) and responsive applications for both the online banking web platform (client-facing) and internal applications using front-end technologies. I also founded and currently run an internal accessibility guild to share best practices and increase collective knowledge of accessibility and inclusive design.

Additionally, I've mentored interns, attended conferences to scout out upcoming student talent, and lead internal talks to groups of developers on topics such as accessibility testing and understanding CSS.

Quality Assurance Analyst, RBC – May 2015–Feb 2016
Tested the usability of internal applications with a screen reader before national and worldwide release, including recording defects and writing defect reproduction steps.

Web Developer, iQuest Media – Dec 2014–May 2015
Made existing clients' websites responsive using Bootstrap. Also introduced Sass to the development team and educated them on its benefits.

Mobile Developer (Co-op), RAVEN5 Boutique – April 2014–June 2014
Lead the development of 2 hybrid mobile apps using web technologies and Apache Cordova. Also had ideation sessions with designers and pitched content for promotional campaigns.

Education

University of Toronto; English and Linguistics, 2022
Sheridan College; Systems Analysis, 2014
Mohawk College; Advertising, 2010

Core skills

Web accessibility, inclusive design, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Angular 2+, git, ngrx.

Hobbies

Exercise, classic literature, and caring for my two pugs.

References

If you think you need them, I'd be happy to share some.