Derrick Johnson

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Front End Developer with a five-year history of professional experience with small clients and top companies like American Express as well. Began with a design background but eventually transitioned to the wonderful world of web development. Good working knowledge of modular and object-oriented programming in Javascript. Knowledgable of each phase involved in the web development project cycle, with experience working with customor experience, designers, back end developers and other front end developers.

Bachelors in Criminal Justice w/ Minor in Forensics - East Carolina University

Skills

- HTML5
- CSS3
- SASS/PostCSS
- Javascript/ES6
- jQuery
- NPM/Node
- Webpack
- Gulp
- Git/Github
- Mobile First/BEM
- Wordpress
- Photoshop

Experience

FRONT END DEVELOPER   Red Ventures // August 2016 - Present

Developed functional and responsive web components based on up-to-date business practices using HTML5, SCSS, JavaScript and JQuery. PHP was used as well to keep code modular and to load in components of a web page more efficiently.

- Tested front-end code in multiple browsers to ensure cross-browser compatability.
- Developed functional prototypes for clients to ensure quality control before project development phase.
- Developed several versions of web pages with different functionality, components or copy to leverage split testing.

CREATIVE DEVELOPER   Investor Management Services // December 2015 - August 2016

Developed and managed websites for financial company using HTML5, CSS3, jQuery and Wordpress.

- Oversaw all design and development phases of website development for clients.
- Attended kickoff meetings to discuss prototyping, branding and design for development of client websites.
- Gained experience working in an agile/waterfall/JIRA structure and occassionally worked in React for small tasks.

FRONT END DEVELOPER   Linium // November 2014 - December 2015

Developed and designed client websites using Photoshop, HTML5, SASS and Javascript.

- Converted PSDs into hand-coded HTML/CSS.
- Designed wireframes and functional web prototypes using front end development tools.
- Created HTML email templates and newsletters for e-mail marketing campaigns.

FRONT END DEVELOPER   Freelancer // January 2012 - Present

Design and develop websites using front end technologies such as HTML, SASS, Javascript, Gulp and Webpack.

IT/OPERATIONS SPECIALIST   Army National Guard // January 2009 - January 2015

Assisted with every day IT operations involving setup of military technologies, computers and other communications.