DONOVAN KNIGHT

FRONT-END DEVELOPER

LOS ANGELES, CA

BIO

I am a front-end developer, recently transitioning from a decade-long career in music production. I have spent the last year focused on learning and honing my skills as a web developer/software engineer. I believe I bring a fresh perspective, and I am looking for opportunities to grow in this new position,

WORK EXPERIENCE

Self-Employed Music Producer
2012-Present

- Produced records for word-renowned artists, including Justin Bieber, Jill Scott, Anderson .Paak, etc.
- Received Grammy nominations for work w/ Justin Bieber and D Smoke respectively
- Produced music on multiple RIAA-certified Platinum (over 1 million copies sold) albums.

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

- HTML
- CSS
- JavaScript
- GIT
- Debugging
- Test-driven development
- Visual Studio Code (VSC)
- Web-based code editors
- API's
- Responsive Web Design
- Photoshop
- Audio editing software/DAWS

PROJECTS

- To-Do List App - I built a simple web-based to-do list app. This project allowed me to practice interacting with the DOM dynamically injecting HTML elements into web pages. Built w/ HTML, CSS, and vanilla JavaScript.
- Choose Your Adventure Game - Using a story provided in the Kenzie Academy curriculum, I built a web app that prompts the user for input (page number), and builds a story based on the choices (page turns) made by the user. Built w/ HTML, CSS, and vanilla JavaScript.
- Seconds-Since-Birth Calculator - This web app accepts 3 user inputs (name, birth month, and birth year) and prints a custom message displaying a greeting to the user, The date (dynamically updated), and an approximate calculation (limited to month) of the seconds-passed since the user's birth. Although this project is quite simple, it is a glimpse into the ability of JavaScript to execute functions, perform calculations, and dynamically update web pages based on user interaction. Built w/ HTML, CSS, and vanilla JavaScript.

ACADEMIC HISTORY

Kenzie Academy (Indianapolis, IN (Remote)

Front-End Web Development | 2022

- Hands-on 6-month technical training curriculum
- Acquired web-development skills by building projects and receiving feedback from senior engineers.
- Learned to write clean, readable, and replicable code and follow industry-standard design best practices.
- Earned Associate Front-end Software Engineer Certification

Milford Mill High School (Baltimore, MD)

Arts, Media, and Communications | 2010

- Completed MCJROTC Leadership Education Program (4 years)
- Completed courses in piano, theatre, and music history as a part of the arts, media, and communication curriculum.
- Completed a 1 semester "Intro to HTML and JavaScript" course