Miguel Chito

Full Stack Web Developer



Summary

Full Stack Web Developer with experience in the MERN stack, REST API development, and pivotal web technologies such as JavaScript (ES6), React, Node.js, MongoDB, Express, HTML, and CSS.

Proficient in elevating user experience and refining interface design for dynamic web applications.

My journey has always been driven by a profound passion for knowledge and creation, which has steered my career trajectory from an early age. With a rich background spanning over a decade in Graphic and Editorial Design, I bring a unique fusion of creativity and technical prowess to development endeavors.

Additionally, my prior experience as a chef instilled in me a fervent dedication to creativity, adaptability, and meticulous attention to detail—qualities seamlessly integrated into my development work.

Education

Full Stack Web Developer Certification

Ironhack 2024

- 3 months intensive Web Development Training | +400 hours. 3 big projects
- Built and deployed web apps based on MERN stack connected to REST API: HTML, CSS, JavaScript (ES6), React JS, Express.js, Node.js, MongoDB, Mongoose, Postman.
- Workflow using git and GitHub. Working with API designs.

Food Production

Lisbon Culinary Arts School

2014 - 2016

Manage kitchen operations, control kitchen service production costs.

Bachelor in Graphic and Editorial Design

IADE - Lisbon Design University

2004 - 2008

• Higher University Education, Graphic and Editorial Design

Vocational and Technological College of Graphic Design

Lisbon Technological College of Graphic Design 2001 – 2

• Graphic Design, Visual Communication, Photography, Printing

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Projects

∅ EventSlap

Full-stack application that allows logged-in users to manage all the events and venues that they own in the database, doing full CRUD.

SPA frontend, built with React, consisting of multiple views and implementing all CRUD actions for logged users.

REST API backend built with Express.js, MongoDB, and Mongoose.

⊗ TopTravelTips

This project consists of multiple views, providing a user-friendly interface for exploring and sharing travel advice.

Single Page Application (SPA) using React. Integrated with an external API, the React application allows users to perform CRUD operations.

Paperboy

Small remake of the 80s legendary paperboy arcade game.

Browser-based game created using vanilla HTML, CSS, JavaScript, DOM manipulation, and Object-Oriented Programming (OOP).

Relevant Experience

Graphic and Editorial Designer

2015 - 2023

Freelance

Remote/Lisbon

- Developed graphic design projects (brochures, logos, infographics, advertisements), increasing client satisfaction by 20%.
- Demonstrated deep understanding of user experience principles.

Chef 2021 - 2023

Kafetaria SMK

Copenhagen Art Museum

- Executed cost control, resulting in reduced food costs by 10%.
- Led team to achieve the highest customer satisfaction ratings in restaurant history.

Work as chef in Southeast Asia

2016 - 2019

India, Thailand, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam, Indonesia

- Prepared traditional meals, emphasizing locally sourced ingredients.
- Engaged in community initiatives fostering cross-cultural communication and ethical values.

Graphic Designer | Website Manager | Retouching Artist 2011 - 2015

Kasuar Lisbon

- Finalized artwork and conducted high-end retouching for more than
 50 projects.
- Collaborated with advertising agencies on diverse projects, ensuring quality control and rapid prototyping
- Back-office operations and updating website in a regular basis

Volunteering

Social Worker

2020 - 2022

Danish Red Cross

- Volunteer for the Danish Red Cross at the Avnstrup Asylum Center.
- The projects include gardening activities, child care, IT training and social activities.

Skills

Technical Skills:

JavaScript(ES6) | React | Node.js | Git

MongoDB | Express.js | Mongoose | HTML5 | CSS3

Tailwind CSS | Sass | Postman | Rest API | GitHub

Chakra UI | Ejs | jQuery | SQL | PostgreSQL | Python

Soft Skills:

Time Management | Organization | Creative | Adaptation | Teamwork

Certifications

The Complete 2023 Web Development Bootcamp

Dr. Angela Yu, App Brewery

Project Management with Agile and Digital Methodologies

Talent Garden

Hobbies

Hiking | Tennis | Diving | Reading | | Camping | Traveling | Cooking |

Civilization (game)