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EDUCATION

Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science, Dalhousie University

09/2019 – 08/2023 | Halifax, Canada

WORK EXPERIENCE

Full-Stack Developer, Freelancer

09/2022 – 12/2022 | Halifax, Canada

- Worked and collaborated with **two business clients** simultaneously.
- Engaged in **1-on-1** product meetings while ensuring a clear understanding of the clients' vision and goals.
- Created and deployed a **Wordpress** website that initiated the client's online presence and rapidly boosted their sales by enabling online orders and reservations.
- Developed and deployed a business website for a yacht company using the **Bootstrap** and **Laravel** frameworks, significantly enhancing the business's online presence.
- Successfully delivered an **MVP** on time to gather rapid feedback from the clients.

Digital Inventory Manager, Dixel Development

06/2022 – 09/2022 | Halifax, Canada

- Utilized **Excel** to streamline the material data management, effectively enhancing data clarity, and optimizing project processes.
- Implemented an **ODBC driver** to seamlessly connect Excel spreadsheets to a **relational database**, enabling efficient query execution and reducing time and complexity.
- Managed daily event schedulers in **MySQL** to automate end-of-day inventory checks.

Software Developer Intern, Sayisal Donusum Tech

03/2021 – 06/2021 | Izmir, Turkey

- Help designing and implementing web applications in a **team of 3** using JavaScript libraries such as **React.js** for front-end development and **Redux** for global application state management.
- Used **Cloud Firestore** and the **Firebase Authentication** platform to manage client data, reducing the implementation time for the entire project significantly.
- Performed a **sprint reviews** and **code analysis** with the project director and developers.

Software Developer Intern, Planet Programming

06/2019 – 08/2019 | Izmir, Turkey

- Contributed developing custom **ES6 JavaScript snippets** for reuse by the developer team throughout the project, eliminating frequent code repetition and reducing time.
- Assisted the project team with the **documentation** process and engaged in **pair programming**.
- Collaborated with an **agile team** and used **Kanban** to prioritize requirements.

PROJECTS

Cluster_JS, https://kuru-emre.github.io/Cluster_JS | https://github.com/kuru-emre/Cluster_JS

- A **front-end** application created to help people **visualize clusters** in their data, whether it's in spreadsheets or images.
- The technologies used were **React** with **TypeScript**, **Redux**, and **Material Design**.
- Configured a **CI/CD** pipeline using **GitHub workflows** to ensure consistent deployment.

Nova Scotia Cricket Association, <https://test.cricketnovascotia.ca> | <https://github.com/kuru-emre/NSCA>

- A **full-stack** web application for efficient cricket games management with a user-friendly **CMS** for seamless administration.
- Technologies used were **PHP**, **CodeIgniter 4**, **MySQL**, and **Bootstrap**.
- **Migrated** a stalled vanilla PHP project into a fully functional CodeIgniter 4 project with new features.
- Used **story point** estimation using **T-Shirt size** estimation method.
- Held regular **standups**, **sprints**, and **retrospective meetings** with a team of 6.

CourseHive, <https://coursehive.vercel.app/> | <https://github.com/kuru-emre/CourseHive>

- A **full-stack** Node.js application for management and creation of online classes.
- Technologies used were **Node**, **React** with **TypeScript**, **Express**, and **MongoDB**.
- **Designed and co-developed** the application with a cohesive team of 4 developers.
- Implemented **REST APIs**, optimizing client-server communication and enhancing user experience.

SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** Java, JavaScript / TypeScript, Python, C++, PHP, SQL
- **Frameworks and Libraries:** Node, React, GraphQL, Angular, Redux, Laravel, Django, Express, Tailwind, Vite
- **Tools:** Git, AWS, Docker, Postman, Visual Studio, IntelliJ, Jira, Confluence, Figma, Azure Boards

VOLUNTEERING

CoderDojo, Mentor

06/2019 – 08/2019 | Izmir, Turkey

- Taught programming principles through the use of Scratch and Python languages.