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FULL STACK DEVELOPER

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ABOUT

I am a Full Stack Developer based in Toronto with a passion for building responsive, accessible & clean UI/UX, visual design and interaction design. I possess a great curiosity & strong desire to keep learning, be creative, have a growth mindset & a positive attitude. With experience in client support, banking & law across two continents, I make an impact with my work and bring ideas to life in a meaningful & creative way. I enjoy being part of every stage of development from planning to building, debugging & deployment. Envisioning inclusive & accessible technologies that can improve & streamline lives is what inspires me the most.

SKILLS

Technical Toolkit - UI/UX design, HTML, CSS, Tailwind CSS, MUI 5, JavaScript, jQuery, Typescript, React, Redux, React Native, Angular, Vue, API integration, JSON-templating, PHP, Laravel, MERN full-stack, MongoDB, Next.js, Node+Express, PostgreSQL/SQL/NoSQL database, Wordpress, Elementor, Shopify, CRMs - Salesforce & Zendesk, Figma, AWS, Firebase, JIRA, Docker, AWS, CI/CD pipelines, Git, GitHub, Responsive Design, SEO knowledge & Accessibility Standards.

Core Skills - Collaborative, curious, quick learner, strong written & verbal communication skills, pair programmer, kind and down to earth. .

Interests - Addicted to playing chess, won several chess tournaments & was the best chess player both in school & university. Love traveling, photography & learning new languages.

PROJECTS

Track-Crypto - track-crypto-13d5b.web.app
- Built a cryptocurrency tracking app with React, Tailwind CSS and fetched live coin data from CoinGecko API. Built user authentication and user's coin Watchlist with Firebase in the backend.

RideX - ride-x.netlify.app/
- Choose a ride, select pick up & drop off locations/cities. Upon selection, it will display locations on the map, list the available rides & ride cost.

Movie Night - movie-night-app.netlify.app
- Fetch movies & display them according to the user's search query. Another API call to display movie details upon specific movie clicks.

Local Business Landing Page - local-business-landing-page.netlify.app
- Modern responsive landing page for a local business with 3D header image, about, best sellers, contact & other sections.

EDUCATION

MERN Full Stack Course   Nov'22 - Jan'23
Udemy Inc
- Deep dived into MERN stack, NodeJS, Authentication, Express Framework, Databases (SQL, MongoDB), Sockets, File I/O, GraphQL APIs, CI/CD, AWS & Zero Downtime Deployment.
- Built multiple projects including a project with SpaceX API to build a NASA launch system.

Full Stack Web Dev Bootcamp   Oct'21 - Mar' 22
Juno College of Technology, Toronto, ON
- Deep dived into HTML, CSS, Javascript, React.js Typescript, API, AJAX, React, Git & GitHub.
- Built multiple Javascript, React.js projects with API - individually, pair programmed & in groups.

Web Development Course   May'20 - Nov'20
Udemy, Inc.
- Programmed a JavaScript based Google Chrome extension. Learned the fundamentals of HTML, CSS, Javascript & jQuery.

Master of Laws   Jan'14 - June'15
Osgoode Hall Law School, Toronto, ON
- Secured 'A' grade in all the courses taken.
- Specialization in Business Law.

WORK EXPERIENCE

PayBright (Resolution Department)   Toronto, ON
Client Support Specialist   Oct'21 - Dec'22

- Use AWS as PaaS/IaaS & Salesforce CRM daily to engage in 500+ calls weekly to collect 'Promise to Pay' from clients across Canada.
- Consistently meet the collections target of about $15,000 to $20,000 on a monthly basis.

Ontario Covid-19 Vaccine Portal   Toronto, ON
Vaccination Appointment Services   Apr'21 - Oct'21

- Used AWS as PaaS/IaaS & Salesforce CRM daily to book 1200+ vaccinations appointments across Ontario over the phone.

- Assisted seniors, immunocompromised & technologically challenged individuals ensuring they have a high level of customer service.

McCague Borlack LLP   Toronto, ON
Junior Lawyer   Dec'19 - May'20

- Drafted 30+ agreements, petitions & expert report summaries. Researched current legal positions & precedent cases relevant to a case.

- Trusted to serve as the junior fall back person to my seniors when they couldn't make it to an initial client intake, client meeting or a court hearing.