AUGUSTINE DARKO

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Summary

Creative designer with a degree in Publishing Studies and practical experience in visual storytelling, layout design, typography, and user-centered digital content. Currently expanding skills in **web development**.

Skills

Languages: *HTML | CSS | JavaScript*
Frameworks: *Tailwind CSS | React*
Design Tools: *Adobe Illustrator & InDesign | Figma | Lunacy*
Version Control & Collaboration: *Git | GitHub*
Soft Skills: *Communication | Effective Teamwork*

Experience

MEST – Accra, Ghana | *Frontend Engineer | 05/2025 - Present*
- Collaborating with team members to develop a drag-and-drop API for interactive demonstrations.
- Building hands-on experience with frontend tools while gaining foundational knowledge in full-stack web development processes.

GPAK Limited – Graphic Road, Accra | *Assistant Press Coordinator | 11/2023 - 10/2024*
- Oversaw the print production workflow, from reviewing customer job tickets to final packaging.
- Operated the Computer-to-Plate (CTP) machine for the creation of quality print plates.

Projects

Personal Portfolio | *Open Source*
- Explored modern frontend techniques and interactive design elements to build a responsive personal portfolio website.
- Applied HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Tailwind CSS to bring the project to life and showcase personal skills and projects.

Clothing website | *Open Source*
- Developed a multi-page website for a fictional clothing brand using HTML and CSS.
- Gained hands-on experience in structuring content, styling layouts, and deploying a site online.

Drag and Drop API | *Academic Project*
- Collaborated with a team to design a gamified demonstration explaining the HTML Drag and Drop API.
- Implemented core functionalities using HTML and JavaScript while enhancing engagement through interactivity.

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Education

BA Publishing Studies (Printing Technology) | *Graduation: Nov 2023*
Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi

Visual Art (Picture Making) | *Graduation: Jun 2019*
Koforidua Senior High Technical School, Koforidua

Awards & Certifications

2024 | *Google UX Design* | Coursera (JA Ghana, Grow with Google)
2025 | Leadership and Problem-solving skills | Aspire Leaders Program