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CAREER OBJECTIVE

Self-motivated software engineer versed in team, and self sufficient roles. I am seeking a position to further hone my skill set as a developer, where my experience and work ethic will make a direct impact on the team and resulting product. Looking for a full-time, contract, or freelance opportunity either onsite in the Toronto area or remote.

QUALIFICATIONS

Over four years of extensive experience developing and maintaining applications on the LAMP stack, including Javascript SPAs, WordPress websites, headless WordPress applications, data-driven Laravel applications, and much more. Up to date knowledge of WCAG/AODA best practices, standards, and development using the latest tools and technologies.

SKILLS

Languages & Frameworks: PHP, Laravel, SQL, JavaScript, Vue, React, Next, Nuxt, Gatsby, Node, Express, jQuery, HTML, CSS, TailwindCSS, Bootstrap, Materialize, PHPUnit, Jest

Operating Systems: macOS/OS X, Windows

Tools & Services: Git, Subversion, Digital Ocean, REST, Composer, Apache, Nginx, NPM, Webpack, Grunt, VSCode, Slack, Trello, Kibana, Jira, Github, Sentry, Firebase, Twilio, MySQL

EXPERIENCE

Independent Freelancer

June 2016 - Present

Developer

- Professionally communicated with clients through the conception, development, maintenance and revamping processes of their websites, applications, and scripts
- Architected, developed, and maintained secure, scalable, data driven websites, applications, and web services from the ground up
- Contributed to existing in-production projects providing features, support, and version migrations based on established conventions, principles, and patterns

Elite Carpet Care & Restorations

September 2020 - December 2020

Developer, Designer

- Professionally communicated with the client through the conception, design, development, and launch of their website
- Architected, designed, developed, and launched a secure website using Adobe XD, ReactJS + GatsbyJS

After Digital

April 2019 - May 2020

Frontend Developer

- Consistently surpassed deadlines of assigned tasks working independently as well as in a team environment contributing to an in-house suite of ticketing management platform tools
- Benchmarked and refactored non-performant code by offloading any unnecessary processes from the web server and response time to the end user

- Identified and replaced architecturally flawed code leveraging appropriate object oriented design patterns and paradigms resulting in enhanced extensibility, reusability, maintainability, readability and improved performance across many integral components of the business model
- Tested UI components for any WCAG/AODA violations, and made updates to any failures
- Collaborated closely with the design team, to ensure accessible designs were created from the ground up
- Contributed to our in-house UI component library using Vue

fatBuzz

November 2018 - April 2019

Frontend Developer

- Consistently surpassed deadlines of assigned tasks working independently as well as in a team environment
- Professionally communicated with clients to determine further features to be implemented
- Identified and replaced architecturally flawed stylesheets, to ensure consistent, readable code across pre-existing applications
- Tested UI components for any WCAG/AODA violations, and made updates to any failures
- Collaborated closely with the design team, to ensure accessible designs were created from the ground up

INTERESTS

I am an avid explorer and supporter of the Vue/Laravel community as a whole. I love the idea of cryptocurrency and hope to do some more development in that space whether professionally or as a side project.

References are available upon request.