Jessica Eldredge

FRONT-END DEVELOPER

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I'm an empathetic developer who enjoys building user experiences with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. I care deeply about people, and collaborating with my teammates to build products that will make users—and developers!—happy. As a lifelong learner, I believe in mentorship and fostering respectful environments for sharing knowledge.

Skills

- HTML
- CSS
- Sass
- Web standards
- Git
- JavaScript
- jQuery
- User experience

Exposure to:
Ruby, Ruby on Rails, Node.js, PHP (Wordpress)

Experience

SLATE MAGAZINE   SEP 2016–PRESENT
Senior web developer

- Work with designers to implement the redesign of Slate cover stories.
- Work with full-stack developers to build layouts and components in a new Nodejs-based CMS as part of an ongoing content migration effort.
- Contribute to documentation of setup and usage of the new CMS.
- Collaborate with other developers to establish and document code style guides and development workflows.
- Lead a weekly front-end skill and knowledge share.

SHOPIFY   SEP 2013–DEC 2014
Front-end developer

- Built the UI for the Shopify admin application, used by Shopify store owners to manage their businesses.
- Built HTML and CSS components for the Shopify UI style guide, working with designers to create a consistent visual language for the Shopify admin application.
- Built the UI for an internal app that connected Shopify employees with each other to have lunch.
- Led the effort to implement the new style guide for the redesign of the Shopify admin.

LIVINGSOCIAL
Front-end developer

MAR 2010–JUL 2013

- Led the UI development for the LivingSocial Merchant Center and related applications.
- Built a style guide to maintain visual consistency and code quality.
- Mentored junior developers and interns, and assisted them in their transition to full-time employment at the company.

MARKET HARDWARE
Web designer

APR 2009–MAR 2010

- Designed and developed websites for clients in a variety of services industries.
- Led in-house training sessions on HTML and CSS development for project managers and customer service.

COMPUWARE CORPORATION
Web analyst

NOV 2006–APR 2009

- Built standards-compliant web-based versions of print publications for the National Science Foundation.

Education

CENTER FOR DIGITAL IMAGING ARTS AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

2009

Certification, Graphic and Web Design

JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY

2004

B.A., English, Technical & Scientific Communication

Community

- Presented "Sketchnoting: Creative Notes for Technical Content" at RailsConf 2014, Scottish Ruby 2014, and Golden Gate Ruby 2014
- Rails Girls DC coach
- Refresh Ottawa organizer
- Refresh DC organizer
- gSchool (now Galvanize) mentor
- Turing School mentor
- Hungry Academy mentor
- Art Directors Club of Metropolitan Washington board member