Joanna Colson

An inquisitive, industrious and dedicated full-stack web developer with extensive business and information technology experience. An enthusiastic team member, I learn quickly and independently, using a logical, analytical approach to produce consistent, reliable results. I thrive where talent, teamwork and balance are valued.

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PROJECTS

Gig Bulletin Board — *Work-sharing board written using the MEAN technology stack*

A bulletin board for posting projects for developer opportunities. Technologies used: MongoDB, Express, AngularJS, NodeJS, HTML5, Materialize, CSS3, JavaScript.

LGBTQ Allies — *Map-based information app for LGBTQ-friendly businesses and resources*

A clearinghouse of LGBTQ resources listed by resource category. Technologies used: Ruby, Rails, Oauth, AJAX, JSON, PostgreSQL, Bootstrap, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript.

Sunscreen Funscreen — *An award-winning General Assembly Hackathon application*

An app to determine how often to use sunscreen based on location and UV index. Technologies used: HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, JavaScript, AJAX, JSON, Git and Github.

Map Book Viewer — *Address Book with Map & Street Views*

A responsive graphical address book using Google's Map and Street Views. Technologies used: HTML5, CSS3, JQuery, Javascript, AJAX, Git and Github.

TECHNOLOGY EXPERIENCE

General Assembly, Seattle, WA — *Web Development Student* March 2017 - June 2017

Studying in General Assembly's Web Development Intensive program, implemented three full-stack methodologies in their 12-week program.

Amazon, Kent, WA — *Seasonal Process Assistant* April 2016 - Present

Supported the pick, pack and ship functions of the Amazon BFI4 Fulfillment Center.

CG Tech Services, Seattle, WA — *Office Manager* Sept 2014 - April 2015

Managed a small tech design firm's office operations, working with the technical, administrative and accounting staff to run the office.

Falco Sult & Co, Redmond, WA — *Senior Technology Consultant* April 2007 - Feb 2010

Led the IT Business Consulting practice. Analysed requirements, designed and implemented technology solutions for client businesses.

Colson Technology, Redmond, WA — *Technology Consultant* June 1994 - April 2007

Hands-on design and implementation of technology solutions for businesses in the greater Seattle area. Built and ran a Microsoft Gold Certified Partner business.

EDUCATION

Bellevue College, Bellevue, WA — *Associate of Arts*

AA in Network Services & Computing Systems, graduated with High Distinction.

University of Washington, Seattle, WA — *Bachelor of Arts*

BA in Business Administration, Quantitative Methods focus, Summa Cum Laude.

SKILLS

HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript and JQuery.

Git and GitHub.

Flexbox, Bootstrap and Materialize.

JSON, AJAX and APIs.

SQL, PostgreSQL, Postico, Node.js, Express, ORM, Sequelize.

Ruby on Rails, AngularJS, ReactJS, Ruby and PHP.

Auth and Oauth.

Mocha, Chai and Supertest.

CERTIFICATIONS

Certificate of Achievement – Cisco Support Technician

Certificate of Achievement – Microsoft Network Support

Microsoft Certified Desktop Support Technician (MCDST)

Microsoft Certified Systems Administrator (MCSA)

Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer (MCSE)

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Avid student of nutritional science, applied to the global diabetes & obesity epidemics.