



Stella Skopal

Senior Frontend Developer

Hello,

My name is Stella, and I am an experienced Graphic Designer and Frontend Developer known for my keen eye for aesthetics and passion for creating visually stunning websites and applications. With several years of experience in the tech industry, I have honed my skills in crafting designs that seamlessly blend form and function.

My meticulous approach shines through in every project I undertake, from carefully selecting the perfect color scheme to ensuring the precise placement of buttons and links. I thrive on the challenge of creating user-friendly and visually appealing interfaces that leave a lasting impression.

In addition to my technical expertise, I possess a strong attention to detail that permeates all aspects of my work. Whether collaborating with a team or working independently, I am always eager to contribute my skills and knowledge to bring projects to life. I am a dedicated professional committed to staying up-to-date with the latest trends and technologies in the Frontend development field, constantly seeking opportunities to expand my repertoire and push the boundaries of what can be achieved.

By embracing new tools and techniques, I strive to deliver innovative solutions that exceed expectations and meet the ever-evolving needs of clients. I am driven by a genuine passion for my craft and a relentless pursuit of excellence, always seeking to create impactful and memorable digital experiences.

I look forward to leveraging my skills and expertise to contribute to your organization's success and help shape the future of digital design and development.

Education.

University of Zagreb – Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences – Sociology

Certified Macromedia Developer

Certified Frontend and Graphic Developer

Work Experience

Owner & Developer, eMotikka (2017-2023)

- **Grand Hotel Zagreb**; Frontend Developer, grandhotelzagreb.com (WordPress/Elementor)

Senior Frontend Developer, Very Big Things (2021 - 2022)

- **WriteByMe**; Lead Frontend Developer, writebyme.io (JS/React/Gatsby)
 - [The Webby Awards Honoree](#)
- **The Beach People**, Shopify web maintenance, and new Component development, thebeachpeople.co (Shopify/Liquid)
- **Ryder System, Inc.**, Design System Consultant (*Technical Analysis of in-scope applications - Applications Technology Stack Overview, Assessment of frontend codebase*)

Lead Frontend Developer, Q agency (2018 - 2020)

- NewsUK; Agile team developer on project **Experttraveller** (WordPress + React)
- NewsUK; Agile team developer on project **MoneyMentor** (WordPress + React)
- Teeküche GmbH; Agile team developer on project **Ti - Der Erfrischungstee** (HTML5/CSS3/JavaScript)
- Zizooboats GmbH; Agile team developer on project **Zizoo.com** (PHP + JavaScript)

Frontend Developer, BonsAI (SPAN) (2018)

- **BonsAI** Cognitive Visitor Management System – intranet app (*design & development*)

Web/Graphic designer (2017-2023)

- **Koios consulting** Ltd (all promo materials)
- **Grand Hotel Zagreb**
- **PureForn** Ltd, **PonchoBolero** Ltd
- **Atlantic Heat Treating** LTD
- **Životna linija** (web design, WordPress site, flyers, billboards)
- **Zagreb City Council** – Civil Initiative

Frontend Developer, Trikoder (2013 - 2016)

- **Gutgemacht.at**, Dedicated Frontend developer (Agile team), (PHP/Symfony - JavaScript)
- Member of development and maintenance teams for **Ichkoche.at**, **Vecernji.hr**, **Njuskalo.hr**, **Vrijeme.net**, **Kurir/Stil.rs** (JS/HTML5/CSS3)

Frontend Developer and Graphic Designer, Moja-trgovina.net (2011 - 2013)

- Design, development, and maintenance of projects MakroMikro, Sancta Domenica, Frigo, Samsung, Lg

Frontend Developer and Graphic Designer, Art's (2008 - 2011)

- Design, development, and maintenance of projects **HUP** (website and annual report), **Kukuriku** (website), **Hrvatski nanbudo savez**, Hrvatski sajam nogometa, **Dekokamen**, **Kastafsko Kulturno Leto**, **Sunčane šume**, Militarium, personal pages for Belcante, Martina Zadro, Sandra Bagarić

Freelance Frontend Developer and Graphic Designer (2006 - 2008)

- Design, development, and maintenance of projects HCR, PolarisPlus, Šafram, personal pages for photographer Majda Turkić, World of Stickers, Carbon Modun, Amadeus fashion, Hummel Hrvatska, Villa Ina, Javorova dolina

Frontend Developer and Graphic Designer, DZ Design (2005 - 2006)

- Design, development, and maintenance of projects Jaškapack, Teh-gradnja, Uvez, ASTEKS, DBT

Frontend Developer and Designer, NETMedia / The M+ Group (2003 - 2005)

- Design, development, and maintenance of web projects Splitski festival zabavne glazbe, CRS, Hotel Consul, Dr. Luigi, Tiss d.o.o., Lego.nl, SamsungKlikz.nl

Web Design Lecturer at Open University Mencl (2005 - 2008)

Graphic Editor for Croatian Amateur Theatre Festival (2004)

Graphic Editor in Press service – Split Summer Festival (2003)

Graphic/Web Designer and Frontend Developer, Gloster (2002 - 2003)

- Web, multimedia CDs, posters, booklets and logos (Brodosplit, Matko Trebotić, Muzej hrvatskih arheoloških spomenika Split, Hotel Jadran Split)

Skills

- HTML5 (Semantic HTML, Web Accessibility, SEO)
- CSS3 (SCSS - preferred, Tailwind, Material UI)
- JavaScript (jQuery)
- React (Gatsby, Netlify)
- Design Systems with React & Storybook
- Advanced Responsive CSS Layouts (Flexbox, Grid, Responsive Web Typography)
- Animations and Transitions (CSS and SVG animations, GSAP)
- User interface development
- Cross-browser compatibility
- Page speed optimization

TOOLS:

- WordPress, Shopify, Contentful, Netlify
- Figma, InVision, Adobe Creative Suite, Corel
- Jira, Trello, Slack
- Webpack, Grunt, Vite
- Git
- [CodePen](#) (mentorship profile), [JSFiddle](#) (mentorship profile)
- BrowserStack

ORGANIZATION AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS

- Communication skills, teamwork, cooperation, and mentorship - experience gained through education and work with large groups of users on domestic and international projects
- Problem-solving skills and critical thinking
- Energetic, inspired, professional, decisive, confident, and focused
- Member of Agile team (internal Scrum training completed)
- Vast experience in different areas of graphic design
- Experience in freelancing and organizing remote work (Slack, Jira, Trello) as a team member
- Software development educator (Adult Education Center - Mencl) and a team mentor

Conferences

- The Future of Design Systems 2022
- Smashing Meets Design Systems 2022
- Newcastle, UK – Frontend NE: The Conference 2019
- Front-Trends – 2014, Warsaw, Poland
- WebCamp – Zagreb, Croatia

Interests

- Design Systems (attending Workshops and Conferences :))
- Collage art (personal brand [PonchoBolero](#))
- Graphic design (<https://emotikka.my.canva.site/>)
- Mentoring ([CodePen](#) and [JSFiddle](#))
- Photography
- Personal development
- Volunteering



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