〖 Kirsten Demko 〗

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MY PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Full-stack web developer with 3+ years of learning experience and 460+ hours of training through a full-time cohort. Supplemented learning through self-directed study and independent client work, gaining hands-on experience with technologies including Java, SpringBoot, MySQL, HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. As a professional, developed custom websites and web applications for individuals and small businesses, emphasizing user-focused design, accessibility, and maintainability. Experience managing full projects from initial planning through deployment and ongoing support. Looking for a role to further build professional experience on collaborative teams. Excited to apply creativity and analytical problem-solving skills while contributing to technical best practices like source control, testing and documentation. Committed to ongoing personal and professional growth through gaining experience that allows me to utilize my creativity along with my technical skills.

MY TECHNICAL SKILLS

☑ Certified JavaScript Developer (W3Schools) | *May 2, 2023* | **Certificate of Completion**
☑ SQL Crash Course (Uplimit) | *June 27, 2023* | **Certificate of Completion**

- Java
- Spring
- Database Management (MySQL | Oracle | MongoDB)
- Git & GitHub
- REST APIs | RESTful API
- SOLID OOP Principles
- Dependencies Injection
- Agile Workflow
- MERN Stack | MEAN Stack
- Unit Testing (JUnit, Mockito)
- HTML & CSS
- JavaScript

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Full-Stack Developer | Remote | May '23 - Present | *Full Stack Developer*
- Used Java & Spring Framework to create, update and maintain applications
- Built relational databases (MySQL) to manage data efficiently.
- Created, updated and maintained scalable and clean API solutions (with Java).
- Continuous integration and CI/CD practices using Git.

ChooseU (formerly Generation USA) Full Stack Java Developer Program | Feb '23 - June '23
Training Participant (Completed) | **Certificate of Completion**
- Developed full stack web applications using Java and Spring Boot with RESTful APIs.
- Embraced test-driven development and participated in Agile methodologies.
- Worked with peers to optimize code and deliver responsive & secure web applications.

Freelance English Teacher | Remote | April '20 - June '23 | *Lead Teacher*
- Developed and delivered customized language lessons to diverse learners.
- Utilized various technologies including Zoom, Calendly, and Heroku.

Language Link | Saint-Petersburg, Russia | August '20 - April '22 | *English Teacher*
- Utilized technologies such as Google Classroom and Kahoot
- Managed classrooms of up to 20 high-school aged and adult students

EDUCATION

St. Petersburg College (SPC) | St. Petersburg, FL | Associate's Degree in Education