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Frontend Developer.

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Sydney, NSW.

Australian Citizen.

I started my career as a Front-end Developer in 2019 and have completed a Certification IV in Web development and a Bachelor's Degree in Law.

With valuable experience crafting responsive web applications and interactive user interfaces, I have honed my skills in utilizing modern web technologies. I am proficient in JavaScript and React and have leveraged this robust library in numerous projects to create scalable front-end solutions. My expertise extends to React hooks, TypeScript, Jest, and associated libraries, enabling me to develop dynamic and engaging web applications that deliver seamless user experiences.

I have fostered close collaboration with cross-functional teams, including designers and backend developers, throughout my professional journey. This collaborative approach ensures the cohesive implementation of UI designs and smooth integration with the backend. I have developed a strong familiarity with agile development methodologies and am proficient in utilizing tools like Jira and Git for efficient version control and project management.

My strengths are task prioritization, effective communication, collaboration with management, and developing streamlined organizational procedures. Whether working independently or as part of a team, I excel in problem-solving and remain accountable when addressing diverse business requirements across the IT landscape.

Education & Credentials

- **Web-based Technologies Certificate IV**
TAFE – Sydney, (June – Dec. 2019)
- **Bachelor Degree in Law.**
Tiradentes University - Brazil, (Aug. 2003 – Aug. 2008).
- **Programming Skills:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React.js, TypeScript.
- **Languages:** Portuguese (native), English (fluent), Spanish (work proficiency)

Professional Experience

Palo IT

An international software development and consulting firm with a strong focus on digital and technology innovation.

<https://www.palo-it.com/en-au/>

Software Engineer. (Sep. 2021 – Apr. 2023), Sydney, NSW.

Main Responsibilities

- Worked in an agile environment (Scrum).
- Responsible for presenting new features to senior stakeholders on sprint reviews.
- Clarifying requirements and suggested alternative solutions during scrum ceremonies.
- Working on various projects focused on developing the front end with React.
- Developed a web application for cyber insurance quotation using React, .NET, NodeJS,

Cypress, Jest, MongoDB, and Azure DevOps. Responsibilities included developing the front end, implementing the back end, and ensuring the quality of the application through the unit and end-to-end testing.

- Created a marketplace website to sell NFT collections for subscribers using React, GraphQL, .NET, NodeJS, and Storybook. Responsibilities included developing the front end and managing the development process through Jira and GitHub.
- Worked with a team to develop an MVP for a web application to help parents and kids overcome anxiety through a program created by researchers in psychology. We built it with Next.js, AWS Amplify, Jest, and GraphQL. Responsibilities included developing the front end and ensuring the quality of the application through unit testing.

Achievements:

- Promoted to mid-level software engineer after the first annual review.
- Improved my communication and collaboration skills working in large and small teams with direct contact with stakeholders and product owners.
- Improved my teamwork and feedback skills by doing pull request peer reviews.

Academy Xi

Practical and skill-specific courses for people who want to up-skill and companies wanting to upgrade their capabilities in design, innovation, and digital transformation. <https://academyxi.com/>

Frontend Web Developer Instructor & Mentor. (Sept. 2020- July 2021 & May 2022 – Aug. 2022), Sydney.

Main Responsibilities:

- Delivering online small group sessions to a diverse group of learners and guiding them in their learning journey
- Bringing the learning experience to life, building community, and enhancing relevance through drawing on my own industry experience
- Providing relevant and timely feedback to students on formative and summative assessment and client projects
- Explaining complex topics in a non-technical way
- Coaching and guiding students to be as employable as possible and supporting them to develop industry-standard portfolios.
- Providing differentiated and one-on-one support to motivate and support participants to persevere through challenges.

Achievements:

- Instructed and supported 60 people to get into the IT field, contributing to their technical learning - HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript, Git, GitHub, Terminal, Unit Testing (Mocha), and React.
- Created complementary resources - activities, PPTs - to deliver more dynamic and informative sessions.
- Improved my leadership and logical thinking skills helping teams and individuals to overcome personal, teamwork, and code-related issues.

IT Projects

Letmeask. (Jul – 2021)

<https://letmeask-ecru.vercel.app>

- Letmeask is a Q&A platform built with React.js, TypeScript, Styled Components, and Firebase. Log in with your Google account, create a room and share its code with those who would be interested in asking questions about the chosen topic.

Portfolio Website. (Jul. 2019 – Mar. 2020)

<https://laizeferraz.com/portfolio.html>

- Personal website portfolio designed to show all the projects I developed during my certification at TAFE NSW.

- Adobe XD, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP

Epilepsy Action Australia.

Administrative Assistant. *Volunteer* (Jun. 2018 – Jun. 2019). Sydney, NSW.

Main Responsibilities:

- iMIS data system.
- Front-desk, general administration, and stock management.
- Updating and creating spreadsheets (Excel).
- Data management to process courses certificate.
- Processing invoices and directing mail and incoming packages for delivery.
- Writing and issuing emails to teams and departments on behalf of teams or senior staff.

National Trust of Australia.

Administrative Assistant. *Volunteer* (Mar. 2018 – Feb. 2019) Sydney, NSW.

Main Responsibilities:

- Assisted with direct mail.
- Helped with fundraising events.
- Assisted with donor and membership database.

Jan. 2013 – Sep. 2015 (Studying English & French in Montreal, Canada)

Legal Firms (Apr. 2008 – Jan. 2013)

Lawyer – Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Main Responsibilities:

- Courtroom advocacy and litigation.
- Legal research
- Organized and planned legal disputes.
- Drafted contracts and bids.
- Negotiated deals and litigations.
- Maintained complaints database in Excel.
- Managed calendars and scheduled trials.

References upon Request