Leonardo Faria

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Software Developer for the past 10+ years with experience in design, architecture, development, and delivery of custom websites and applications.

Focus on front-end technologies.
Extensive hands-on experience in Ruby on Rails and JavaScript.
Experience in a leadership position leading up to six developers.

Experience

Thinkific
Technical Architect - Front-end

Vancouver
Sep 2020 - Present

Responsible for defining the technical vision of front-end technologies. Duties include:

- Providing technical leadership and feedback on solutions created by product teams
- Creating prototypes of implementations that demonstrate the feasibility of technical solutions
- Working closely with the Design System team to assist in developing the component library
- Mentoring developers in fostering a comprehensive understanding of the existing architecture

Engineering Team Lead

Oct 2017 - Sep 2020

Responsible for timely software delivery and the professional development of team members. Duties include:

- Owning projects end-to-end, including the redesign of part of the Thinkific platform and the creation of Thinkific Design System
- Facilitating 1-1s and completing performance reviews
- Mentoring developers
- Assisting in recruiting and hiring of engineers using Topgrading processes

Software Engineer

Nov 2016 - Oct 2017

Working in software development using Ruby on Rails, Ember.js and React to deliver value to the Thinkific product

Dynamic Leap Technology
Full Stack Developer

Vancouver
Feb 2016 - Nov 2016

Developing websites using WordPress and Single Page Applications with Ember for clients of Dynamic Lead Technology.

604media
Full Stack Developer

Vancouver
Oct 2015 - Jan 2016

- Working in the development of Intranet applications using PHP (Laravel and WordPress)
- Creating iOS/Android apps with Phonegap for 604media clients

Ministry of Social Security
Full Stack Developer

Brasilia, Brazil
Sep 2011 - Aug 2015

- Developing and maintaining new and legacy Intranet applications used by thousands of civil servants in Brazil
- Developing of new central Ministry of Social Security website using WordPress (still in use by millions of citizens)
- Creating iOS and Android apps using Phonegap - one of the first mobile apps of the public sector

Freelance
Full Stack Developer

Brazil
2006 - 2015

- Development of applications/websites using several languages including Ruby, PHP, and Flash;
- Mobile development (iOS and Android) using Ionic (Writing for IELTS and TOEFL).

Education

Deque University
Web Accessibility Curriculum 2.0

Online
2020

Langara College
Web and Mobile App Development
Post-Degree Diploma

Vancouver
2015 - 2016

Pitagoras University
Bachelor of Information Systems

Brazil
2006 - 2011