

Luke Vella

UI Developer & Designer

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Summary

I am a front-end developer with over 5 years of professional experience. Most of my work has revolved around creating large scale single-page applications and responsive user-interfaces. I enjoy staying on the bleeding edge of technologies and discovering better and more efficient ways to improve my workflow. My strong design background allows me to both communicate my thoughts effectively when working in a team but also work independently.

Work Experience

- 2014 - 2015

ArtWalk

Freelance Developer

artwalk.city

Developed a CMS built on top of Wordpress to deliver complex data using a RESTful API. Developed an iOS app using the AFNetworking library to consume and present data from the API.
- 2012 - 2014

Zeepex

Frontend Developer & Designer

zeepex.com

Designed and developed a single-page application using object-oriented and modular javascript. Developed an isomorphic javascript plugin that given some basic information could find social media profiles belonging to a user in real-time.
- 2009 - 2011

AWHPoker

Frontend Developer & Designer

Created a web application that interfaced with the gaming network's SOAP API to display information from the network's back-office to the poker room's users. Responsible for the design and development of multiple internationalized websites and marketing tools.

Education

- 2009 - 2012

University of Malta

B.Sc. Computer Science & Artificial Intelligence

Projects

- 2015 **Rally** rally.co
Web Application
Rally is a collaborative scheduling service that helps people vote on a date to host an event.
- 2013 **Freeshot** freeshotapp.com
iOS App
Freeshot is an iOS app for the Dribbble design community. It has received over 25,000 downloads on the App Store.

Skills & Expertise

Specialities

Web Applications, iOS Apps, User Interfaces, User Experience.

Languages

Object-Oriented Javascript, HTML5, CSS3, SASS/SCSS, Node.js, PHP, Swift, Objective-C, Java.

Frameworks & Libraries

Angular.js, Express.js, Backbone.js, Marionette.js, Require.js, Compass, Bourbon, jQuery, Yii, CodeIgniter.

Apps, Tools & Misc.

Git, Gulp, Bower, Apache, Unix, Atom, Sketch, Xcode, MySQL, MongoDB, Photoshop.

Links

- <https://linkedin.com/in/lukevella>
- <https://github.com/lukevella>
- <https://dribbble.com/lukevella>
- <https://twitter.com/imlukevella>