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Full-Stack Bootcamp Graduate from the University of Oregon with experience in graphic design. Skills in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, ReactJs and responsive web design, with strengths in original design/layout, meeting deadlines, teamwork and communication skills. Known to have a positive demeanor and enjoys problem solving/resolution, with an eagerness to learn new skills in order to facilitate positive team-driven environments, resulting in user-friendly and more efficient experiences on the web.

Technical Skills

Languages: HTML, CSS, Javascript, Node.js, MySQLdb, Express, MongoDB, Handlebars.js, ReactJS

Applications: Visual Studio Code

Projects

NBA FANBOI: Fan App

Github: <https://github.com/maxskewes/NBA-Fanboi>

Deployed: <https://nbafanboi.herokuapp.com/>

An app designed by a team of four. It features realtime scores, stats and standings, as well as allowing the user to star favorite players.

- Duties included front-end design, creating a polished UI, logo design, conceptualization, presentation.

Built with: Handlebars, Javascript, Node, MySQL, CSS, Bootstrap

WANDERLUST: Travel App

Github: <https://github.com/maxskewes/Wanderlust>

Deployed: <https://maxskewes.github.io/Wanderlust/>

An app designed by a team of three. It features a responsive map and allows users to find information on perspective travel destinations.

- Duties included front-end design, original artwork/text, conceptualization, presentation.

Built with: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, JQuery, Materialize, Open Weather API, Google Maps API, Google Places API.

Experience

CO-FOUNDER/ORGANIZER/DESIGNER:

Bridgetown Bluegrass Festival (501c3)

2017 - present | Portland, OR

Founded the non-profit to grow a large Portland-based music festival. Managed all aspects of the festival's planning, launch and execution. Sourced venues, vendors, bands and staff.

- Increased gross income from \$12,000 in 2017 to \$21,700 in 2019.
- Designed all pixel-based and vector graphics, logos, layout and original artwork for merchandise and promotion.

- Boosted attendance from approx. 400 people in 2017, to approx. 900 people in 2019.
- Coordinated the enlisting, training and scheduling of 30+ volunteers.
- Donated over \$15,000 to charitable organizations, most notably Do-Good Multnomah's Women's Shelter.

BLUEGRASS BANJO PLAYER:

Scratchdog Stringband

2015 - present | Portland, OR

Professional musician in an internationally touring band.

- Received a grant from the U.S. State Department to tour Eastern Russia in 2018 in an educational & diplomatic ambassador capacity.
- Created all graphic design, logos, layout and original artwork for album production, merchandise and promotion.

BREWER:

Cider Riot!

2015 - 2019 | Portland, OR

Burnside Brewing

2011 - 2018 | Portland, OR

Roots Brewing

2008 - 2011 | Portland, OR

Alameda Brewing

2006 - 2009 | Portland, OR

- Conceptualized, manufactured, monitored, branded and produced consumer-ready fermented beverages.
- Earned multiple Bronze, Silver and Gold medals from domestic and international brewing competitions.

Education

CODING BOOTCAMP CERTIFICATE:

University of Oregon

2019 - 2020 | Portland, OR

An immersive, 24-week program in full stack web development with training in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Express.js, React.js, Node.js, Database Theory, Bookshelf.js, MongoDB, MySQL, Command Line, Git, Java and more.

CERTIFICATE OF IRISH STUDIES/ARTS/MUSIC:

University College Cork (Coláiste na hOllscoile Corcaigh)

2000 - 2004 | Cork, Ireland

First Class Honours in Irish Language (Gaeilge), Music Performance and Composition.

ASSOCIATES DEGREE OF LIBERAL ARTS:

Marylhurst University

1998-2000 | Marylhurst, OR

Two year Liberal Arts degree program.