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#### PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

User-Centric React Developer with several years of experience contributing to design and development of interactive websites and custom applications projected to serve over 100,000 users. Well-developed ability to collaborate with UX designers, product managers, and back-end developers throughout all phase of projects. *Proficient in ReactJS, Typescript, Node.js, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, WordPress, Material-UI, Chakra-UI, Next.js, Bootstrap, Formik, Git, GitHub, Bitbucket, Jira, SQL, Slack, and social media platforms.* 

#### **EDUCATION & TRAINING**

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

Online

**Full Stack Coding Certificate** 

Completed intensive coursework in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React, MySQL, and Node.js.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CORK

Cork, IE

Certificate of Irish Language Studies

Graduated with First Class Honors.

MARYLHURST UNIVERSITY

Lake Oswego, OR

Associate Degree - Liberal Arts

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

RESUME SCRIPTER Portland, OR

React Developer

Oct. 2021 - Jan. 2023

- Worked with career-tech startup to develop scalable platform to help workforce development teams craft impressive resumes and cover letters in minutes, projected to serve over 50,000 job seekers in first year of launch.
- Collaborated with software engineer and UX consultant throughout development of complex ReactJS application, promoting full adherence to Figma design specifications across multiple display sizes.
- Developed custom and reusable components, utilizing Chakra UI, Material UI (mui), typescript, formik, create-react-app, and Next.js while adhering to UX/UI principles of continuity, intuitivism, equality, and accessibility.
- Created designated screens and dashboards using Elementor, maintaining consistency of branding and components.

### HACK FOR LA - Civic Tech Index

Los Angeles, CA

## Front End Lead Developer - Pro Bono

Mar. 2021 - July 2022

- Served as lead developer throughout creation of React application projected to serve over 100,000 volunteers worldwide, utilizing ReactJS with Material-UI framework from Figma design.
- Built online index application uniting civic tech organizations, allowing users to quickly locate and filter organizations and volunteer opportunities based on causes, affiliations, and regions.
- Leveraged GitHub open-source communities to make charitable work more visible to potential donors and volunteers, with application currently serving 300+ organizations working on hunger remediation, criminal justice reform, and affordable housing.
- Worked with product managers throughout development of features and improvements, promoting seamless user experiences.

### **BRIDGETOWN BLUEGRASS FESTIVAL**

Portland, OR

### Co-founder/Organizer/Designer

Nov. 2016 - Present

- Oversaw launch and expansion of nonprofit music festival showcasing work of over 250 talented artists to date, earning favorable reviews in regional media outlets such as Willamette Week and the Portland Mercury.
- Contributed to development of organizational website, social media presence, registration processes, and e-commerce features, successfully raising over \$15,000 for Portland-based women's shelter and achieving 80% increase in festival revenue.
- Created content to engage broader audiences which led to nearly 250% increase in event attendance in one-year-period.
- Designed festival posters, promotional videos, pamphlets and merchandise, selling out of limited-edition t-shirts during all events.
- Trained and supervised over 30 dedicated volunteers to date, overseeing scheduling of shifts and venue walkthroughs.

# INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Portland, OR

Website Developer

Nov. 2020 - Present

Created intuitive, modern websites for companies across sectors including legal services, real estate, entertainment, and food

- and beverage sectors, implementing e-commerce capabilities for products sold across North America.
- Contracted for building of business websites using ReactJS and frameworks including Material UI, Chakra-UI, and Next.js.