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FRONT END DEVELOPER & UX DESIGNER

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TECHNOLOGIES </>

HTML 5
SASS/CSS 3
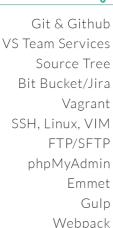Javascript
jQuery
Jasmine
Cypress
Bootstrap 2/3/4
AngularJS/Angular
Angular CLI
Typescript
Ionic
Android
PHP
SQL

SOFTWARE 💻

Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Flash
Wordpress
VS Code
Sublime Text
AWS S3
Espresso
Mailchimp
Filezilla

DEVELOPMENT 🔗

Git & Github
VS Team Services
Source Tree
Bit Bucket/Jira
Vagrant
SSH, Linux, VIM
FTP/SFTP
phpMyAdmin
Emmet
Gulp
Webpack
PostCSS
Agile
npm
Dev Tools
Source Maps

📝 PERSONAL STATEMENT

Creative, highly motivated Front End Developer/UX Designer with experience creating responsive websites from conception to completion. Experience developing robust PWA with a focus on delivering compelling user experiences.

💼 EXPERIENCE

Lead UI Developer in Accenture in a team of 14. Responsible for implementing UI designs, defining and enforcing UI policies, coordinator of the UI/UX Guild and owner of branding.

Connects | PROJECT #1
April 2017 - December 2017

1. Implemented and improved two UI solutions based on prototypes provided.
2. After 8 months in the company I was promoted to Lead UI Developer.
3. Conducted two user testing sessions, captured feedback and defined our personas.
4. All code was componentized, reusable, leveraging Angular/Bootstrap, tested with Jasmine, linted, WCAG compliant, optimised for speed and fully responsive.

Client Business Projectionss | PROJECT #2
December 2017 - June 2018

1. Redefined SCSS architecture to be modular, introduced SCSS lint script and unused SCSS script, refactored SCSS and leveraged all SCSS functionality - variables, mixins etc.
2. Made site responsive mid-way through the project and migrated system from Bootstrap 3 to 4 simultaneously. Implemented Autoprefixer to add vendor prefixes at runtime.
3. Stood in as Scrum Master for the first two months and fulfilled Scrum duties.

Accenture Talent Planning and Treasury Cash Forecast | PROJECT #3 and #4
June 2018 - October 2018

1. Implemented web metrics script to gain insights into user activity and behaviour on ATP.
2. Taking a static prototype and implementing a functional UI solution.

The UI/UX Guild | PROJECT #5
April 2017 - Present

1. Making monthly presentations, organising lunch, meeting rooms, presenters, speakers and excercises. Spreading Design Thinking methodology across CIO.
2. Condensed a three day Design Thinking Academy workshop into three Guilds.
3. Delivered approximately 30+ UI/UX Guilds

Resume Matching | PROJECT #6
October 2018 - November 2018

1. Designed 4 high fidelity prototypes and implemented 2 functional UI solutions. See Flikr.
2. Given 6 weeks to complete the work and completed in 3 weeks.

Front End Developer and acting Project Manager at Visual ID. Mainly responsible for the design, functionality & maintenance of all client side access points and PM duties.

System Maintenance & Improvement | PROJECT #1
July 2015 - April 2017

1. Leading system upgrade from Bootstrap 2 to 3 and all dependent libraries.
2. Redesigning and implementing two internal tools, used by over 4000 clients. See Flikr.
3. Improving system functionality and updating interfaces with more modern designs.
4. Creating wireframes/storyboards, conducting usability tests and implementing fedback.

DESIGN

Design Thinking
User-centered
Colour theory
Grid systems
Typography

UX

Balsamiq
Adobe XD
Axure
Research
User Testing
Interviews

SEO

Email Marketing
Google Analytics
Google Adsense
Link Building
Blogging

INTERESTS

Skateboarding
Kickboxing
Socialising
Travelling

ATTRIBUTES

Hardworking
Confident
Motivated
Diligent
Friendly

Brochure Site | PROJECT #2
July 2015 - September 2016

1. Customising Wordpress site to align with Visual ID identity and migration of old blog.
2. Conducting usability testing for qualitative analysis and implementing feedback.
3. Completed project 2 weeks before deadline.

Doddle Web Application | PROJECT #3
September 2015 - July 2016

1. Creating Bootstrap data driven wizard for increasing user productivity. See Github.
2. Responsible for managing the team of 6 - meeting project deadlines, scheduling and chairing scrum meetings, delegating tasks and interfacing with Doddle partners/clients.
3. Ensuring Doddle renders and behaves correctly on all browsers.

Doddle Brochure Site | PROJECT #4
September 2015 - Octiober 2016

1. Customising Wordpress site to align with Doddle identity, designing graphics in Photoshop and implementing Live chat feature.
2. Leading marketing campaign by blogging, targeting keywords and sharing content.

Creator of Simple CSS, a CSS portal with a focus on graphical user experience. This part - time project gained attention online in September of 2016 and has been an exciting project.

Simple CSS | SEE PORTFOLIO
September 2016 - Present

1. Creating Simple CSS using Isotope.js, Clipboard.js, Bootstrap 3, Javascript, PHP, SQL, Stripe and CSS3.
2. Created Simple CSS job board from scratch, including CRUD database operations and implemented Stripe API and SSL. See Simple CSS.
3. Mentioned by numerous influencers such as Web Designer Depot, Web Designer News, Sitepoint, Creative Bloq, Awwwards, Sitepoint and more (see portfolio) and won multiple awards (see LinkedIn).
4. 9.5K backlinks to date, roughly 150 visitors per day, 1500 email subscribers and is a registered Google Adsense Publisher.

I am always looking for side-projects to work on and I am in a constantly aiming to develop and improve. Here are some other things I have worked on:

Freelance | PORTFOLIO & GITHUB
September 2011 - Present

1. Brochure site and business card design for a relative's new business. See Portfolio.
2. Angular UFC web app developed as a personal side project. See Portfolio.
3. Ionic and Angular mobile app developed as a personal side project. See Github.
4. Simple CSS built using Isotope.js, clipboard.js and Javascript. See above. See Portfolio.

🎓 EDUCATION

Multimedia Programming/Web Engineering | INSTITUTE OF ART, DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY
2012 - 2015

Web Design | DUBLIN BUSINESS SCHOOL
2011

Civil Engineering | DUBLIN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
2009 - 2011

Online Training | LYNDA.COM, TEAM TREEHOUSE, INTERNAL
2012 - 2015
Angular.js, Angular, Less, Sass, Git, Typography, Ionic

👥 REFERENCES

References available upon request or see LinkedIn.