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## Objective

Highly skilled and results-oriented software developer with extensive experience in full-stack development, data infrastructure management, and team leadership. Adept at providing technical solutions to non-technical teams, improving productivity, and reducing costs. Seeking a challenging position to leverage my skills in software development and team management.

## Skills

- Programming Languages: Proficient in JavaScript, HTML/CSS, PHP
- Frameworks and Tools:
  - Node.js
  - Vue.js
  - Typescript
  - React, react-query
  - Laravel
  - Google Cloud Tools (BigQuery, Looker Studio)
  - Redis
  - Docker
  - Plaid API
- Web Development: Strong background in both front-end and back-end development, API integration, and data infrastructure
- Project Management: Effective at managing projects, hiring and training staff, and fostering a culture of learning and development
- Communication: Excellent communication skills with the ability to provide technical solutions to non-technical teams

## Work Experience

### Developer, Convertoo

February 2022 - Present

- Managed and maintained all team tech services, including internal and user-side tools using Node.js, Vue.js, PHP, HandlebarsJS, and Google Cloud tools.

- Hired and trained a new Junior Developer, significantly increasing the tech team's productivity.
- Collaborated with other technical teams to provide backend central services for WordPress sites.
- Achieved a 75% reduction in Google Cloud costs, saving the team £9k per month.
- Fully automated the finance team's daily revenue and events upload process, saving them over 6 hours per day.
- Contributed to the main console project, an internal tooling system for marketers to manage products, flexible landing pages, and automated integrations with partners.

## Junior Developer, Investoo Group

January 2020 - February 2022

- Developed over 60 landing pages using SCSS, Blade PHP, Handlebars, and Tailwind CSS.
- Implemented all partner API integrations and built new front-end features, improving UI and UX of internal tools.
- Worked within a team using Sprint and Agile methodologies to enhance project efficiency.

## Projects

### Landing Page Builder / Service

- Designed and implemented a landing page builder for content marketing teams, featuring Laravel, Inertia JS, drag and drop capabilities, and multilingual content support.

### Automated Reports (Looker Studio, Slack)

- Developed microservices for automatic data pulling from APIs to BigQuery and generating insightful reports for finance and commercial teams, saving hours of manual work weekly.

### Money Saver (Personal Project)

- Created a web-based, mobile-first app for finance tracking and budgeting using Node.js, Vue.js, and the Plaid API, featuring a custom algorithm for daily, weekly, and monthly budget suggestions.

### NJ's Stronglifts (Personal Project)

- Developed a web-based, mobile-first app for workout tracking using Laravel and Vue.js, with custom algorithms for workout plan customization.

## Tanguage (Personal Project)

- Built a flashcard game for learning Spanish, featuring word importation from CSV files and sentence integration using scraped data from SpanishDict.com.

## Education

- A Levels in Philosophy, Psychology, and Film Studies (2018)
  - 10 GCSEs, including an A in Maths (2016)
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