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JAVASCRIPT FULLSTACK
Front-end Specialist

PROFILE

Former Royal Marines Commando, skilled web developer, motivated and passionate about creating dynamic and inclusive websites. Experience in both front-end and back-end development with a strong understanding of modern web technologies.

Proficient in front-end development with specialisation in JavaScript, CSS3, and HTML5. Highly skilled in fluid designs, responsive layouts, and modular CSS. Solid skills in back-end development, including Node.js, Express, MongoDB, and RESTful APIs.

EXPERIENCES

Fullstack Web Developer

Nurvnet - Massy, France. 2021

- Web development skills applied to optimise websites, with a focus on user-friendly front-end interfaces and efficient back-end systems.
- Development and maintenance of custom website solutions, along with the implementation of RESTful APIs for enhanced efficiency and user interactions.

Marketing and Communication Manager

Self-employed - Paris, France. 2018 / 2020

- Successfully enabled an amateur freediving athlete to secure funding for training, competition fees, and sponsorships through project identification, development, and management.
- Implemented marketing strategies and communication campaigns to attract sponsors and generate income for the athlete.

Manager of Freediving Center

Freediving Lanzarote - Canary Islands, Spain. 2015 / 2018

- Established and managed all aspects of a successful freediving training and coaching centre, including operations, marketing, sales, and administration.
- Led a team of instructors and staff to deliver high-quality training programs and ensure customer satisfaction.

Information Manager

Ministry of Defense & FCO - London, UK. 2013 / 2015

- Provided comprehensive data management, administrative support, and developed computer systems for the subcontractor management unit and the Deployment and International Operations departments.
- Utilised secure military networks and held Top Secret clearance to ensure the integrity and availability of classified data.

Royal Marines Commando

43 Commando, S Squadron - Faslane, UK. 2008 / 2014

- Served as a Commando during the Libyan crisis in 2011.
- Held the position of 2IC (Second-in-Command) in an intervention team, responsible for securing the operation zone and facilitating the repatriation of identified citizens.

WEB DEVELOPMENT

Front-end

Highly skilled in creating fluid and dynamic layouts that seamlessly adapt to different devices and screen sizes while adhering to accessibility guidelines and providing an inclusive user experience. Utilises HTML5, CSS3, and JavaScript ES6.

Back-end

Proficient in backend development with Node.js, Express, & MongoDB. Good understanding of database management, security, and CRUD operations. Strong skills in designing and implementing RESTful APIs. Skilled in implementing user authentication, email communication, and file uploading and downloading functionalities.

Other Technologies

PHP, MySQL.
AWS, GitHub, Postman.
Photoshop, Figma.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Fullstack JS Web Developer
O'clock, Grande École Du
Numérique
Paris, France, 2022.

Web & Mobile Web Developer
Doranco, École Supérieure des
Technologies Créative
Paris, France, 2021.

LANGUAGES

English native
French native
Spanish intermediate
Russian beginner