Nick Abate

Full Stack Software Engineer

nickabate.dev | Portfolio

Profile

Self-taught developer turned bootcamp graduate and designated Chartered Professional Accountant, with a proven track record of applying technical expertise to dynamic business demands. My passion for learning and applying technical skills led me to software engineering, where I strive to create memorable user experiences with efficient & scalable code that follows web best practices.

Languages & Skills

HTML, CSS, Sass, JavaScript, React, Redux, Axios, DOM APIs, User Authentication, OAuth, Firebase, Netlify

Node, Express, MySQL, REST APIs, Heroku

Agile/Scrum Collaborative Development, Jest, Git, GitHub, Jira, Visual Studio Code

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Socials

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Experience

Software Engineering Bootcamp Teaching Assistant | BrainStation *FEB 2023 - MAY 2023, FULL-TIME CONTRACT (REMOTE)*

- Guided students by teaching full stack engineering skills with live code walkthroughs, whiteboarding challenges and hackathon participation.
- Conducted peer code review and debugging, promoting industry best practices through constructive feedback and personalized mentoring sessions.

Self-Taught Web Developer | Portfolio - nickabate.dev

JAN 2022 - CURRENT

- Designed full stack web applications based on user stories, with functional interfaces for mobile-first fully responsive web designs.
- Developed full stack projects with modern web frameworks, built and tested RESTful APIs, researched new technology and tools for performant software.

Projects

Glucoast | Live Site | GitHub Repo

BrainStation Capstone Project - Live Demo Presentation

 Developed a responsive React application with dynamic data visualization, utilizing an Express.js server with CRUD functionality. All-in-one dashboard utility app to assist diabetics with managing their glucose levels.

Education

Software Engineering Diploma | BrainStation

NOV 2022 - FEB 2023, TORONTO, ON (REMOTE)

- 12-week intensive program featuring software engineering foundations, full stack project development, agile methodologies, DevOps and deployment.
- Translated mockups and high fidelity Figma wireframes to functioning responsive web applications via weekly sprints and scrums.
- Built understanding of programming and computer science concepts, fundamental knowledge of core web principles, fluency with databases.

Past Experience

Senior Staff Accountant | Chaggares & Bonhomme CPA

NOV 2020 - NOV 2022, NEWMARKET, ON (HYBRID)

- Remodelled and documented accounting controls, policies and procedures of profit and not-for-profit entities, improving their regulation compliance.
- Conducted technical research, mentoring junior staff through instruction in technical training, enhancing workflow requirements and turnover time.

Senior Accountant | Deloitte LLP

DEC 2019 - NOV 2020, TORONTO, ON (HYBRID)

- Planned and executed audit engagements with global businesses to address business risks, meet stakeholder demands and regulatory requirements.
- Documented business processes, risks and internal controls, creating technical memos and audit procedures to revamp audit flow.

CPA Designation | Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada SEPT 2014 - MAY 2016, TORONTO, ON

B.B.A. with Distinction | University of Guelph-Humber

SEPT 2009 - APR 2013, TORONTO, ON