

Nick Vila - Cover Letter

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Hiring Manager / Fellow Gamer,

I'm excited to apply for a position at your company. I bring a background in web development, design, video editing, and community organizing, paired with a lifelong passion for games, technology, and creativity. Whether assisting customers, supporting a project, or lending a hand wherever needed, I approach each task with reliability, curiosity, and enthusiasm.

I recently graduated from FullStack Academy with a Full-Stack Development certificate. Through that program, I learned how to take ideas from concept to completion: designing user flows, writing clean, efficient code, and collaborating closely with teammates to deliver projects under tight deadlines.

Alongside my technical skills, I've spent over a decade across multiple industries, from retail and food service to IT management. These experiences strengthened my communication, adaptability, and problem-solving skills, giving me confidence in both customer-facing and technical environments.

I would love the opportunity to contribute my mix of technical ability, creative energy, and dedication to your team. Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to the possibility of discussing how I can help your company grow and succeed.

Sincerely, Nick Vila



PLAYER PROFILE



Name: Nick Vila

Class: Web Developer, Creative, Customer Service Pro

Special Abilities: Adaptable +4, Creativity +5, Communication +4,

Passion for Games & Media +MAX

Playtime: 20+ years of professional experience across retail, food service,

professional IT and recently development.

Current Quest: Join your company!

CONTROLS

Development

- Javascript (front & backend)
- React
- PostgreSQL
- Tailwind CSS
- Git/Github

Other Tools

- Figma
- OBS StudioAdobe Suite
- Twitch & Youtube
- (Live Stream Tools)



Technical Skills

- Windows + Linux OS Administration
- System Configuration & Troubleshooting
- Network Setup & Diagnostics

Soft Skills

- Communication
- Problem-Solving
- TeamworkLeadership
- AdaptabilityCreativity



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EXPERIENCE LEVELS

Level 1: EB Games/GameStop (5+ years): Retail, sales, customer service.

Level 2: Journey's Sneakers (~8 years): Team leadership, reliability.

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Level 3: Restaurant Industry (5 years): Service, adaptability, multitasking.

Level 4: Network Engineer / QA Tester (~3 years): Technical expertise, professional environment skills, organizational/project skills.

Level 5: MSP (IT 10+ years): Technical support, management, problem-solving, project planning.

Bonus Stage: FullStack Academy (3 months full-time): Certificate in Full-Stack Development, team coordination, logging / documentation



SIDE QUESTS / BONUS CONTENT

Side Quest: LIJoe's YouTube & Twitch Channel (1 year)
Collaborated with LIJoe to manage and grow his online presence by editing Twitch VODs for YouTube, designing channel logos and video packages, and producing tournament content. Highlights include corunning "Beta Bash," one of the first Street Fighter V beta tournaments, where I created all promotional graphics and developed a custom animated scoreboard in After Effects.

Special Assignment: BMW National Aftersales Conference (NAC) Selected twice to lead the network setup for BMW's largest North American annual event. Oversaw wiring and configuration to ensure staff booths and participants had reliable internet access, coordinating closely with venue teams and mapping optimal cable runs. Balanced this role while also representing the Aftersales department at its booth, supporting one of BMW's flagship diagnostic programs.

Secret Mission: East Coast Throwdown (2009 - 2015)
Assisted (and ran 1) in organizing one of the East Coast's premier fighting game tournaments alongside SweetJohnnyCage (John Gallagher) and LIJoe (Joe Ciaramelli). Contributed to venue coordination, prize distribution, tournament logistics, and live stream production, helping establish ECT as a flagship event in the FGC.

Nick Vila - Character Story

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ABOUT THE DEVELOPER

Born with a controller in one hand and a keyboard in the other, Nick Vila is a creator who blends code, everything he makes. From building retro-inspired websites to crafting real-world Al, Nick treats every idea like a new level to explore.





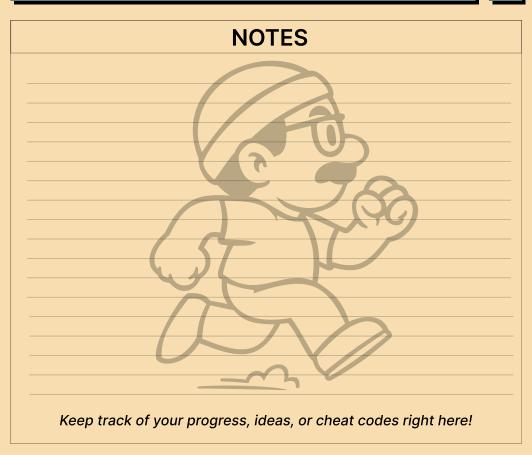
When he's not debugging or designing, you'll probably find him tinkering with old tech, organizing his VHS collection, or sketching his next big concept.

THANK YOU FOR PLAYING!

Your curiosity and creativity keep the pixels glowing. Game on and don't forget to save your progress!

Developer's Note: Some artwork in this manual was created with the assistance of Al and redrawn in vector by hand for print.

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Thanks!

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