Beth Johnson



Software Engineer in Sedalia, MO

I care about creating sustainable and visually interesting solutions that help improve lives and support communities.

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EDUCATION

LaunchCode, Women+ JavaScript & Java Web Development Course — 2022

State Fair Community College, Associate of Applied Science, Computer Information Systems — 2019

University of Missouri, B.A. Journalism — 1993

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

ARK — Community Service Social Network

- Collaborated with the development team to conceptualize the mission and functionality of the app.
- Created user stories and wireframes as part of the UX design process.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance Photo Editor/Designer — Sedalia, MO

August 2015 - Present

- Research and editing of a wide range of image content for various clients, including Apple, IDEO and CNN. Collaboration with editors to translate creative briefs and editorial content into visual stories.
- Designed logo and branding for Fit Food Fast, a local food truck.

Instructor — State Fair Community College, Sedalia, MO

January 2018 - Present

- Instruction of Digital Illustration and Digital Imaging classes using Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop.
- Mentoring student projects emphasizing best practices of design, non-destructive editing and image research.

Photo Editor — The Wall Street Journal, New York, NY

December 2013 - August 2015

- Assigned photographers, created photo briefs, executed production, researched and edited visuals for US features and breaking news.
- Collaborated with art directors, visual editors and data visualization designers on page design, digital slideshows and interactive features.

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

- Java
- JavaScript
- Spring Boot
- · HTML5/CSS3
- C#

FRAMEWORKS

AngularJS

DATABASES

MySQL

TOOLS

- AdobePhotoshop
- Adobe Illustrator

SERVICE

Sedalia Area Farmers' Market

Board member and volunteer, 2018-Present. Redesigned logo, designed posters, promotional PS animations, and banners.