

Paulina Kiendys

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Highly skilled and motivated developer with a strong foundation in building customer-centric web applications. Experienced in collaborating with cross-functional teams, utilizing modern technologies, and delivering high-quality solutions. Adept at translating design concepts into intuitive user experiences. Seeking a challenging developer position to contribute my expertise and creativity.

EXPERIENCE

Frontend Developer Intern

Jan 2023 - May

2023

Skapamer, Malmö

- Developed customer features using Handlebars.js, SASS, and JavaScript, enhancing user engagement and site functionality.
- Collaborated effectively using Figma, Monday, and MS Teams, ensuring seamless communication and design integration.
- Implemented version control via GitHub and monitored deployment using AWS.
- Leveraged GraphQL to optimize data retrieval, enhancing application performance.
- Gained valuable insights into the ecommerce industry and BigCommerce platform.

Software Developer Intern

Oct 2022 - Dec 2022

AEB Sweden Branch, Malmö

- Contributed to bug fixes and feature tasks, applying Agile methodologies (Scrum) and version control with Git.
- Expanded proficiency in Angular, TypeScript, GraphQL, and noSQL databases (ArangoDB).
- Strengthened frontend and backend skills for diverse business use cases.
- Improved communication and problem-solving abilities through team collaboration.

EDUCATION

Higher Vocational Education - Front End Developer

Sep 2021 - May

2023

Medieinstitutet, Malmö

Courses:

- HTML and CSS - responsive design, accessibility.
- Graphical tools for interface design - wireframes, Adobe XD, Illustrator.
- UX/Usability - personas, Figma.
- Dynamic web development - API development, Node, Express, MySQL, ORM, Postman.
- Working in projects with agile methods - Scrum, Kanban, Trello, Jira.
- Work methodology for developers - Git, version control.
- JavaScript - React, Vue, Firebase, Testing, Redux, TypeScript.
- Degree project - MongoDB, Express, Angular, Node.

Master of Arts (M.A.) - Honours in Modern Languages (Spanish)

Sep 2013 - Jun

2017

University of St Andrews, St Andrews

- First Class Honours Degree with a Distinction in spoken Spanish.
- 2014: Selected to the Deans' List for academic performance.
- 2015: Year abroad in Spain - Universidad de Granada.
- 2016-2017: Elected class representative.
- Dissertation: "A study of the didactic purpose of José Martí in the nineteenth century children's magazine 'La Edad de Oro', within the broader context of Spanish American literature."

PROJECTS

Degree Project - Memories

May 2023 - Sep

2023

- Developed a web app using MongoDB, Express, Angular and Node.
- Implemented robust authentication with JSON Web Tokens and managed state with NgRx.
- Showcased UI skills using Angular Material, resulting in an efficient user experience.
- Server: <https://github.com/paulinakiendys/examensarbete-server>
- Client: <https://github.com/paulinakiendys/examensarbete-client>

School Assignment – The Movie Database

Sep 2022 - Sep

2022

- Created a responsive React.js app using React Router v6 and React Bootstrap.
- Utilized Movie Database API and axios for data fetching.
- Implemented search, pagination, and viewing history features.
- Enhanced expertise in component-based architecture and API integration.
- Code: <https://github.com/paulinakiendys/the-movie-database>
- Live: <https://fed21-tmdb.netlify.app/>

Group Project – Kill the Virus

Mar 2022 - Mar

2022

- Collaboratively built a multiplayer game using Node.js, Express.js, Socket.io, and MongoDB.
- Managed game history, scores, and real-time updates via a game lobby.
- Demonstrated project management skills with GitHub, Microsoft Teams, and Trello.
- Strengthened teamwork and communication abilities in a dynamic environment.
- Code: <https://github.com/paulinakiendys/kill-the-virus>
- Live: <http://fed21-game.herokuapp.com/>

SKILLS

Expert in: Agile environment, Angular, Angular Material, authentication, authorization, Bootstrap, collaboration, communication, constructive feedback, CSS3, code review, debugging, English, front-end development, Git, GitHub, GraphQL, HTML5, Jira, Kanban, MongoDB, MySQL, Next, Node, NoSQL, npm, object-oriented principles, ORM Frameworks, Polish, problem-solving, React, React Hooks, React Query, React Router, responsive web applications, RESTful APIs, RxJs, Scrum, software development, SPA, Spanish, Swedish, Tailwind CSS, teamwork, troubleshooting, TypeScript, Vanilla JavaScript, Visual Studio Code, web application development

Intermediate in: Adobe XD, axios, design, Figma, Illustrator, NgRx, Redux, SASS, SCSS, Storybook, technical documentation, UI, UX, Vue, Webflow

Basic in: automated testing, AWS, Brazilian Portuguese, CI/CD, Docker, end-to-end tests, French, integration tests, Italian, Kubernetes, Next.js, React Native, React Native Paper, SAlFe, testing, unit tests

References available upon request.