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< SUMMARY />

Passionate, solutions-focused and driven front-end developer with a Front-End Web Development Certificate from edX. Experienced in front-end development via a wide spectrum of tools and technologies as well as, utilising a combination of communication, collaboration, problem-solving and dedication to finding modern web solutions. I have a strong ability to plan, design, build and maintain websites whatever the specification. I've also the ability to work in fast-paced and agile focused environments, with collaborative, solution-driven development at the forefront.

< TECHNICAL SKILLS />

Softwares / Platforms: Git, GitHub, WordPress, Linux Servers.

Software Languages: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript + ES6, JQuery, Node.js and React.js.

< PROJECTS />

Smart IT Web Development Website | www.smartit-webdevelopment.com

- My Web Development company (Smart IT Web Development Limited), a UK based company specialising in but not limited to, front end web development.
- I was responsible for the whole project, from initial specification planning, design and branding to full deployment and SEO configuration.
- This site is hosted on the company's own dedicated Ubuntu Server using the CyberPanel Control Panel and uses the WordPress CMS as the front-end, and LiteSpeed for caching.

TeamTree | <https://github.com/reececorkhill/TeamTree>

- TeamTree is a Node.js command-line application designed to streamline the process of generating a cohesive HTML webpage containing essential information about members of a software engineering team.

Readmegician | <https://github.com/reececorkhill/Readmegician>

- Readmegician is a Node.js command-line application which takes user input and choices and generates a README.md file ready for them to add to their project.

Guess The Movie | <https://github.com/reececorkhill/Guess-The-Movie>

- Guess The Movie is an interactive JavaScript based Movie Quiz which uses 3rd party API's to give the user clues about a random movie, which the user then gains points because of which are stored in local storage.

Travelerrr | <https://github.com/reececorkhill/Travelerrr-JS>

- Travelerrr is a JavaScript based application which uses 3rd party API's to allow the user to check the weather in a given city on the go, a handy tool to use when travelling.

< RELEVANT EXPERIENCE />

Founder & Director

July 2023 – Present

Smart IT Web Development Limited

Looking As both the Founder and Director of Smart IT Web Development Limited, I'm dedicated to delivering cutting-edge web solutions tailored to meet our clients' diverse needs. With a focus on innovation and client satisfaction, I oversee the strategic direction, operations and business development initiatives of the company, whilst also running the day-to-day operational tasks.

Key Accomplishments:

- Started the business with no qualifications or certificates, I'm completely self-taught.
- Became an official Fasthosts Solutions Partner within the first 4 months of trading.
- Built a profitable business whilst being employed full time elsewhere, which continues to grow.
- Recognised by several clients for the exceptional work and customer service I deliver.

< ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE />

Business Development Executive

July 2022 – February 2024

Whistl UK Ltd

Looking for a career change and wanting to learn more about business, I decided to apply for an internal position within the company and started my new role as Business Development Executive. My new role consisted of day-to-day duties of qualifying leads and liaising with both cold and warm prospects with the aim of keeping them engaged.

Key Accomplishments:

- Attended business and industry related events and built a network of 1000+ connections.
- Built a lead tracking system to view leads, past and present and extract real-time reports.
- Worked alongside C-level executives to implement strategic changes to processes to increase lead-conversion rates.

Customer Service Advisor

October 2016 – July 2022

Spark Response (Part of the Whistl Group)

Started by career when I was 16 years old by joining Spark Response, which was a fully office-based role working for various big-name clients, taking call's and answering emails. Being solutions driven I was eager to be the best at what I was doing and knew my role in the team, so I utilised my communication skills and critical thinking to make sure the client's seen results. Spark Response was then acquired by the Whistl Group in 2018 and my career progressed further.

Key Accomplishments:

- Started my life in the working world at a young age.
- Nominated for the Customer Service Advisor of the year award within my first 2 years working.
- Recognised by a large client for my technical skills, I was given the task of communicating with their technical team to help resolve user reported mobile app issues.
- Loyal to the company, I spent 6 years of my career in this specific role.

< EDUCATION />

edX - Front-end Web Development Certificate (Grade: TBC)

November 2023 – March 2024

An intensive 16 week Front-end Web Development Bootcamp which focused on gaining skills in modern front-end web development technologies and languages.

The Open University - BSc (Honours) Computing and IT (Software)

April 2021 - October 2022

Studied for my Bachelors Degree in Computing and IT (Software) at the Open University but did not return past year 1 due to change in career and wanting to