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Profile

I am a Web Developer who has recently transitioned from a background in hospitality management.

I am currently looking for an entry-level web developer position and for an environment in which I can learn, develop and explore different technologies. However, I know how much investment and risk goes into hiring new entry level staff, so I am willing to take an opportunity with a strong commitment and loyalty.

People who I have worked with will describe me as a team player who is absolutely reliable and fun to work with. They would also say that I work hard and learn fast.

I thrive working under pressure, specially with other people and being creative by coming up with new ideas and approaches.

Skills / Technical

Programing - Web: HTML5, CSS3, SASS, PHP, JavaScript, JSX, Webpack, Node.js, Express.js, React.js, Redux.js, Apache, Bootstrap and Foundation.

CMS: Silverstripe and Wordpress.

VCS: Git, Github and Subversion.

Operating System: OSX, Ubuntu and Windows.

Databases: MySQL, SQL, SQLite and Knex.

EDA Experience

At EDA (Enspiral Dev Academy) we were focused on database-driven web development using Node.JS and Express for the back-end.

We interacted mainly with SQL databases such as Postgres and SQLite, both using SQL queries and Knex ORM. We utilised Git for version control system, also Linux and MAC OSX while coding.

We used lots of new technologies at this Bootcamp, including HTML5, CSS3, modern JavaScript and EcmaScript 6/7. Babel, Browserify, Webpack and other technologies were implemented for backwards compatibility with older browsers.

I used React.js and Redux.js for client-side rendering and DOM manipulation, and explored advanced features such as AJAX with SuperAgent and Websockets.

Other technical topics covered during the course were RESTful API design, using JSON by writing the documentation first. We deployed our projects into Heroku and Github pages.

From the beginning, we started applying test-driven development, as well as, many agile techniques such as Kanban boards, sprints, re-assessing and iterations. We learnt the basics of OOP but most of what we produced corresponds to functional programming.

One of the core aspects of Dev Academy's curriculum is peer programming and team dynamics. We worked in pairs most days and completed many projects along the way, almost one per week. This taught me many things I consider really valuable such as: being able to excel working as a team, thriving working under stressful situations, and being able to learn and evolve from mistakes.

All the code developed during the course can be found on my Github page (see header of this CV).

Also, I consider myself highly motivated, diligent, well organized, responsible, fast learner, proactive, honest and committed.

Work Experience

Web Developer (Internship) – Signify Ltd. – from April 2017 to Present.

My duties as an intern at Signify are doing site migration. This involves Apache configuration (Debian/Ubuntu configuration structure), creating and updating databases using MySQL, updating PHP website code, setting up sites and testing on development – pre-live and live environment. Also updating Silverstripe and Wordpress CMS.

Web Developer Graduated Student at Enspiral Dev. Academy from August 2016 to February 2017 – Wellington NZ.

Sous Chef – Compass Group – March 2016 to October 2016 - Wellington NZ.

In this role I improved my ability to work effectively with a bigger team. As leader, I learnt relationships and staff support is paramount. Over the period I worked here, I found that through close connections we achieve better results as a team.

Essentially, I was responsible for planning and directing food preparation in a kitchen for more than 350 students. This involved supervising kitchen staff, as well as keeping an eye out for problems that arise in the kitchen and seizing control of a situation at a moment's notice.

Trip Around Asia - January 2016 to March 2016.

Senior Chef de Partie – Nosh Hospitality– Sydney Australia – July 2015 to December 2015.

This position involved going to different venues around Sydney including NSW Parliament house, University of New South Wales and others. My duties as a Chef were: food and ingredients quality checking, recipes and menu development, food presentation and maintaining highest standards in quality and service.

Senior Chef de Partie – Asado – Perth Australia – January 2015 to July 2015.

My duties in Asado were: ensuring consistency in the preparation and presentation of our a la carte items, maintaining and enhancing food products through creative

menu developments and presentations, actively interacting with guests at tables while balancing operational, administrative and colleague needs.

Trip Around Europe - November 2014 to January 2015.

Head Chef - Blend Bar - June 2013 to November 2014 - Wellington NZ.

As a head chef I was responsible for everything that happened in the kitchen. I was overseeing all dishes from start to finish, I was interviewing and hiring new staff, managing kitchen's daily operations, creating new dishes and menus, maintaining and raising the food's profit margins for the business, monitoring and controlling stock levels and implementing health and safety procedures.

Trip Around Latin America – October 2012 to May 2016.

Head Chef – Bruhaus – January 2012 to September 2012 – Wellington NZ.

Sous Chef – Picnic Café – January 2011 to December 2011 – Wellington NZ.

Education

Web Development - Enspiral Dev. Academy – Wellington NZ. – August 2016 – February 2017.

International Gastronomic Management - INACAP - Technical University of Chile - Santiago - Chile - 2008 - 2009

International Gastronomy - INACAP Technical University of Chile with a University - Santiago - Chile - 2007.

Interests

During my spare time I try to keep fit, playing music and explore my passion for new technologies. I also love cooking for friends and family. I have a keen interest in photography and I have had visited, with my camera, several countries within Europe, South East Asia and Latin America.