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Full-Stack Web Developer

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A ABOUT ME

I am a Full-Stack Web Developer born and raised in New Zealand who has a versatile background in different divisions of various organisations. It may not seem like it from my roles, but tech is what I am truly passionate about. I made the decision to take the skills I have learned from my previous roles and transfer them over to the tech world. I am looking to start my career as a developer within an organization which can utilize my skills, provide me a sense of accomplishment, and most importantly grow. On a personal level I am a confident, professional, flexible and a highly motivated individual who is looking forward to a genuine opportunity for progression.



TECHNICAL SKILLS

React, React Native, NextJS, TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Tailwind CSS, Git, WordPress, Handlebars, API, Node.js, Firebase Authorization, Firestore & Real Time Database. Supertest, Superagent, AuthO, Express and SQLite (with Knex), Microsoft Office Suite, SharePoint.



B HUMAN SKILLS

Problem-solving, Teamwork, Leadership, Communication, Fast learner



August 2024 - Current

FREELANCE WEB DEVELOPER - Self Employed

- Designing, creating and hosting websites for clients using a multitude of technologies including but not limited to React, JavaScript, TypeScript and WordPress.
- Built mobile-first, responsive designs ensuring optimal user experience across devices.
- Implemented on-page SEO strategies to improve search engine visibility.
- Work closely with clients to understand their needs and deliver customized solutions.
- Provide ongoing maintenance and updates for existing websites
- Coordinate and conduct data migration between websites for clients

July 2018 - Current

RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY & PROJECT MANAGER - Self Employed

- Handle all tenant inquiries, advertising properties, vetting potential applicants, and conducting viewings.
- Research market trends to determine competitive rental pricing.
- Conduct property inspections and coordinate with tenants and contractors for fixes and maintenance with contractors.
- Oversee renovation projects and contractors work, ensuring quality standards are met and timely completion.

| | + Liaise with subcontractors to streamline renovation workflow. |
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| Sept 2022 – Aug 2023 | FINANCE SUPPORT – Nexus Logistics |
| | Verified and validated cost data for container trips using Microsoft D365. Resolved discrepancies in Transport Management Systems, working with internal and external stakeholders. Identified and added additional charges for extra services on container trips. Reconciled financial data across multiple platforms, producing detailed reports. Provided IT support, including hardware setup and troubleshooting. |
| April 2018 – Sept 2022 | QAD COORDINATOR - Amcor Flexibles |
| | + Managed stock for 200+ products, ensuring just-in-time availability. + Assisted with production planning, prioritizing tasks to meet deadlines. + Created and maintained sales reports for the Goodman Fielder bread packaging line. + Acted as a liaison between office staff and factory workers, ensuring clear communication. + Led morning exercise routines for factory staff in the conversion department. + Served as an MPI Transitional Facility Operator, ensuring compliance with biosecurity regulations. + Validated and corrected production data errors caused by human or system issues. + Conducted quality control checks to meet strict manufacturing standards. + Trained new staff, both on the factory floor and in the office. |
| Feb 2016 – March 2018 | CONSTRUCTION PROJECT COORDINATOR - Self Employed |
| May 2016 – Aug 2016 | ECOMMERCE ASSISTANT – Postie Plus Group |
| Aug 2015 – Jan 2016 | MARKETING COORDINATOR – Catch a Coupon |
| Jan 2015 – Jul 2015 | INTERNATIONAL STUDENT COORDINATOR – Last Resort |
| L EDUCATION | |
| Completed 2023 | NEW ZEALAND CERTIFICATE IN APPLIED SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT (LEVEL 6) – Dev Academy |
| Completed 2021 | ONLINE BIOSECURITY AWARENESS TRAINING & MPI TRANSITIONAL FACILITY OPERATOR TRAINING - IVS Training |
| Graduated 2015 | BACHELOR OF ARTS – Auckland University of Technology Major: Japanese Studies |
| Completed 2013 | LEVEL 2 (N2) JAPANESE-LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST (JLPT) – Yoshida Institute of Japanese Language |
| A REFERENCES | |

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