STUART BLOXHAM

FULL STACK WEB DEVELOPER

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Link to my portfolio

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SKILLS

HTML & CSS

Vanilla Javascript

Ruby on Rails

React & Gatsby - to be revisited

Relational databases

SQL Queries

Git & Github

Bootstrap

API integrations

CMS Integrations

Heroku, Netlify, Cloudinary & Hosting

Figma & Design

EDUCATION

Le Wagon Web Development Bootcamp
Oct '22 - Dec '23
Full stack Web Development

Leeds University
2006 - 2008
Sports Development & Marketing

Bishops Stortford College
1996 - 2006
A Levels - Art, Design, PE & Business Studies

PROFILE

A Junior developer based in Hertfordshire with over 7 years of experience in client-facing roles. Prior to completing a Coding Bootcamp with Le Wagon in December 2022, I was self-taught in HTML, CSS and Javascript/React & Gatsby, capable of building websites alongside a full-time job in another industry. At Le Wagon, I learned a multitude of Full Stack disciplines such as Git workflows, Ruby & Ruby on Rails, Databases, Design systems, Javascript & working with APIs. Working on the course with "buddies" and teammates allowed me to experience working as a team remotely, communicating through Slack and Zoom.

With a background in sales and dealing with professional clients, I look forward to the transition to becoming a highly effective developer with a strong understanding of client needs and expectations. With a genuine interest in Web Development, I am very excited to continue learning in the field and build a successful career. I am currently working on improving my Javascript and React skills whilst adding Typescript to my skillset. I am keeping an eye on Remix & Svelte which could be a valuable framework to have under my belt.

BOOTCAMP/TRAINING EXPERIENCE

Le Wagon Bootcamp (full-time intensive)   Oct '22 - Dec '22

- Learned Ruby, Ruby on Rails, Javascript & StimulusJS, HTML, CSS (incl. Flexbox & Grid), SCSS, Bootstrap, Git workflow, Figma, data extraction from web scraping & APIs, read/write to CSV & JSON files, Software Design Patterns (MVC), writing maintainable code, Relational Databases & SQL (CRUD & JOIN), Webpack & NodeJS, Deployment
- Worked with 'buddies' every day to solve multiple challenges
- Communicated through Slack & Zoom, collaborated on Github
- Developed 2 ideas into a live web application. My team's final project was built in 10 days (materialised.shop)

    www.materialised.shop

Self Taught Learning   ~2020-2022

- Studied HTML, CSS, SCSS & SASS, Bootstrap, MaterializeCSS, Basic Javascript, React and GatsbyJS through various online sources
- Learned Figma and how to use modern design principles
- Built small websites using GastsbyJS and connecting to Strapi CMS to allow them to manage the content themselves, all designed these websites using Figma

    www.bloxywebservices.co.uk

WORK EXPERIENCE

Operations Supervisor and Supplies Manager (construction)

Rosco & Perlini   Nov '20 - Oct '22

- Liaised with the Director to ensure the business is operating at a high efficiency
- Oversaw operations of several site locations to maintain high-level finishes of works with a detailed eye
- Liaised with clients to maintain relationships and provide updates
- Organised site materials for new and existing jobs
- Maintained and increased team morale in harsh weather and conditions

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MY WORK/PROJECTS

RUBY ON RAILS

🌐 www.materialised.shop
  🐙 https://github.com/sbloxy123/materialised

🌐 www.airbnb-sbloxy123.herokuapp.com
  🐙 https://github.com/sbloxy123/buddy_bookers

GATSBY / REACT

🌐 www.bloxywebservices.co.uk
  🐙 https://github.com/sbloxy123/my-portfolio-code.

🌐 Lace & Blossom
  🐙 https://github.com/sbloxy123/lace-and-blossom

🌐 Bryan Johnson Cichlids
  🐙 https://github.com/sbloxy123/bjc-wed-030320

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Recruitment Consultant

Just Pharma   Apr '19 - Nov '20

- Provided consultancy approach to candidates and clients
- Successfully placed candidates within a range of markets within the industry, showing adaptability to new and challenging roles
- Supported colleagues with advice in attracting and securing candidates
- Developed reliable and trustworthy relationships with experts within the industry

Country Homes Negotiator

Mullucks Wells Estate Agents   Nov '16 - Apr '19

- Met with clients to discuss marketing strategy and retain property instructions
- Succinctly communicated with clients
- Negotiations with buyers and sellers
- Generated new business through regular contact with active buyers and sellers
- Working with local newspapers and journalists for client retention and company brand recognition through advertising

Multiple roles - Organisation Manager, Shop Manager, Cashier

Bloxham Bookmakers   Apr '08 - June '16

- Oversaw operations of family business
- High level of customer service and retention
- Developed new shop openings & oversaw refurbishments
- Training and development of staff
- Created a desirable shop atmosphere and obtained customer loyalty by building a rapport with customers
- Set up a small company website on WordPress plus social media pages to increase target market recognition
- Implemented strategic business plans and marketing strategies
- Designed Posters for shopfront

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

- DIY, home renovations & gardening - recently refurbished our victorian cottage
- Golf, running, general fitness and cooking

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Good afternoon,

Please find attached my CV for the Junior Developer position you are advertising.

Whilst having a strong background in client-facing roles I stumbled across Web Development and saw it as a great step forward in my career. Upon dipping my toes into the code, I was instantly hooked and wanted to build a career in the industry.

Prior to joining Le Wagon Bootcamp I was self-taught in **HTML, CSS, Javascript, React & Gatsby**. I decided to fully commit to getting into the industry by joining Le Wagon' Bootcamp where I picked up a more professional experience and a multitude of disciplines as a **Full Stack Developer** including **Javascript, Ruby on Rails, Git, relational databases, and working with API's,** all whilst working with teammates through Slack, Git & Zoom.

I'm currently **advancing my Javascript skills and am learning Typescript**. After this, I'm interested in **NextJS** and am keeping an eye on Svelte as the community grows.

I hope my profile has grabbed your attention and could be a fit within your organisation, please let me know if you have any questions and I look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,
Stuart