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PROFILE

I'm an ambitious and driven developer who takes pride in delivering clean, readable code that aligns with best practices and industry standards. Experienced in taking ownership of large, undefined pieces of work from conception to completion. I'm always seeking a challenge and strive to use my initiative to solve practical problems and meet deadlines and targets. I'm sociable with a quirky sense of humour, and enjoy engaging and collaborating with my co-workers in and out of work.

WORK EXPERIENCE

ENGINEER, WHICH?, LONDON **March 2020 – Present**

I began working within the design system team, building core components to be consumed by other aspects of the codebase. I moved to the delivery team which has the responsibility of fetching and resolving data and creating page and template structure. Later, in the reviews squad, I helped migrate legacy Ruby code to the new system. Finally, I joined the payroll squad. We implemented the transition between authentication providers, leveraging AWS CDK and an "architecture as code" approach to create an abstraction layer for processing payroll requests. Technologies used - React, Node.js, JavaScript, TypeScript, AWS, GraphQL

PRODUCT DEVELOPER, COSTA, LONDON **January 2019 – September 2019**

Costa officially demerged after the acquisition by Coca Cola. We successfully delivered the last journey of the Costa rebuild in April. I then contributed to the conversion of our CMS from AEM to Contentful. We decided to also take the opportunity to create a new repository and use Gatsby to refactor all components to better standards and best practices. Changes included using React Hooks for state management and implementing styled components instead of CSS modules.

Technologies used - React, JavaScript, TypeScript, AEM/Contentful, GraphQL

PRODUCT DEVELOPER, WHITBREAD, LONDON **October 2016 – January 2019**

Favouring front end development, I joined Whitbread working initially under the restaurant web team, operating under agile methodologies. I helped implement and deliver the Beefeater redesign and later worked on a POC to transition all brands from AngularJS to Angular 2+. I then accepted an offer to work in the newly founded Costa web team. I helped decide which technologies to use and delivered product owner requirements to release incrementally.

Technologies used - AngularJS/Angular, React, AEM, JavaScript

FULL-STACK WEB DEVELOPER, BDS, DUMFRIES **December 2013 – April 2016**

I worked in the BDS Web division that specialises in the construction and management of data-driven websites and brochure websites. The majority of my time was spent developing the new Palgrave Macmillan website alongside other developers. I also contributed to our in-house CMS from product suggestions to implementation and delivery.

Technologies used - ASP, jQuery, PHP, JavaScript, CSS

FULL-STACK WEB DEVELOPER, SUPERCONTROL, CASTLE DOUGLAS **June 2012 – November 2013**

Due to my love for web development I decided to join SC as a full stack developer. SC is a property booking system, and I was part of their web development team. I had the responsibility to talk to clients and help shape and implement their website independently from the rest of my team. I also briefly contributed to the API for booking management requests.

Technologies used - ASP, jQuery, SQL, PHP, JavaScript, CSS

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER, BUSINESS MICROS, PENPONT June 2011 – June 2012

After university I quickly began working as a software engineer at BM. I worked within a small team to create the next iteration of their window manufacturing software. This included tasks such as creating POCs on SQL database performance, to designing new UI configurations.

Technologies used - VB.NET, SQL, ASP.NET, Silverlight

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF WEST SCOTLAND, DUMFRIES

Computing honours degree

KINGSTON UNIVERSITY, LONDON

Computing HND

REFERENCES

Available upon request.