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Front End UI Developer

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Summary

Front End UI Developer with solid skills in HTML5, CSS3, SASS and more, and exposure to JavaScript etc. A competent and methodical coder who works quickly and efficiently, with attention to detail, and regularly delivers above expectations. Works well alone or as part of a team, communicates easily, both with colleagues and clients. A self-starter, fast learner, and always keen to learn more.

In my spare time I provide IT support for a large group of friends and family. I also build PCs, ranging from low spec to gaming PCs. I enjoy gaming, especially racing, and recently bought an HTC VIVE to enhance the whole racing experience. I also have a passion for performance cars.

Expertise

Experienced in

- HTML
- HTML5
- CSS
- CSS3
- SASS
- Gulp.js
- Swig (Node.js)

Exposure to

- LESS
- jQuery
- JSON
- AJAX
- JavaScript
- JS Frameworks
- ReactJS

Tools & processes

- Version control - SourceTree/ TortoiseHg
- Repositories - GitHub/ BitBucket/ Mercurial
- Component-orientated structured builds
- Website deployment (Windows IIS)
- JIRA
- Sitecore content editing/ migration
- Front End Template integration to Sitecore



Experience

Front End UI Developer

HeathWallace
Nov 2014 – present

UI Developer working on a variety of responsive web development projects, mainly for clients in the financial industry such as HSBC, Sainsbury's Bank, and many more.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Producing high quality, cross-browser code to meet current web standards, ensuring good accessibility throughout
- Working closely with UX/UI Designers and translating their PSDs into web pages
- Maintaining and updating existing sites (Lead Dev on some of these projects)
- Deploying to UAT and live web servers
- Quoting for work
- Technical Developer in client meetings
- Delegating and prioritising work
- Nurturing relationships and working closely with Project Managers
- Training using lynda.com in spare time

Junior Web Developer

Training & freelance
July 2013 – Nov 2014

I built on my existing knowledge with online training, and completed a number of courses. In addition I worked closely with other developers to gain real experience, albeit unpaid. I then progressed to build websites for my own clients.

COURSES:

- Become a Certified Web Developer
- The CSS and CSS3 Crash Course
- Learn jQuery: An In-depth Course For Beginners
- The Ultimate Guide to WordPress for Beginners

Web Developer (freelance)

Art Directions Ltd - www.artdirections.co.uk
Feb 2014 – March 2014

I built a new website for Art Directions using a bootstrap framework. It's a fully responsive site using multiple jQuery plugins. This was my first experience of building and modifying code, working for a client to whom a pixel perfect end result was extremely impotant. It gave me valuable experience of working closely with a Web Designer and allowed me to expand on my coding and Photoshop skills.

LANGUAGES:

- HTML5
- CSS3
- jQuery

Web Developer (freelance)

MPG Remapping
June 2013 – Aug 2013

I built my first website in HTML and CSS. I've learnt so much since then and revisited the site to make improvements. I also made the site responsive with the new skills I acquired.

LANGUAGES:

- HTML
- CSS
- jQuery

Professional Driver

W S Hunts Transport
Nov 1993 – Jun 2013

I was one the most trusted for managing new client relations and could always be relied upon for making a good impression on behalf of the company. Working to strict deadlines I was self-motivated and had excellent time-management skills.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Class 1 LGV Licence
- Fork lift licence
- Hazardous goods licence

References available upon request.