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Education

- Staffordshire University - 2009 - 2013 - BSc(Hons) Computer Games Design 2:1
- Understanding TypeScript - 2021 - Udemy Certificate
- Modern Javascript Bootcamp - 2020 - Udemy Certificate
- APIs and Microservices - 2020 - FCC Certification

Employment

Web Developer & IT | Local Pages Ltd | 2018 - Present

- Developed a custom ticketing application allowing customers to request support and saving costs for the company allowing a bespoke solution.
- Developed and entirely automated a publication process reducing a 1 month process to 3 days by writing custom software for InDesign.
- Developed & maintained a web development process through in-house and 3rd party solutions to ensure a smooth and simple customer experience.

Graphic Artist & Bid Writer | Office Depot | 2015 - 2018

- Overhauled and redesigned the bids produced by Office Depot, allowing more inspiring and custom bids to be sent to prospective clients.

Video Games Tester | BSL | 2013

- Managed and actioned a list of user acceptance tests ensuring deadlines were met and products are released with minimal bugs and issues.

Games Designer | Self Employed | 2011 - 2012

- Worked in a team of developers to develop Iphone/Android games. Helping develop art assets and game functionality.

Technical Skills

Javascript: Node, Typescript, Express, React, Gatsby, JSX, Puppeteer, Jest, Deno	Front End Web Development: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap
Dev Ops: Git, Github, Heroku, Fedora, Debian, Cloudflare, PHPMyAdmin	Design, UX: Figma, Adobe Suite (Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator), Wireframing
Data & APIs: Google Suite, SQL, PostgreSQL, Firebase, Wordpress, REST, MongoDB, Pipedrive	Other Languages: Python, PHP, C#, C, Bash, SQL, VBA, Ruby
Applications: Excel, Word, Powerpoint, Asana, Odoo	Other Skills: Project Management, Strong Communication, Pair Programming

Miscellaneous Work

Volunteer - Mentee | Electric Hive

- Collaborated with a group of like minded programmers to learn and grow skills.
- Helped drive engagement and participation in the community. Aiming to build a strong and healthy group of coders / hackers to further engage with programming and technology.

Private Software Engineering

- Worked with private clients to develop websites and software.
- Examples include: API integration for Golfsouthwest into Pipedrive, allowing a streamlined sales process from their website.
- Complete build of a sales website for Conceptsartbydesign, helping them sell products online as well as in retail shows.