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Work languages and experience:
- HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript ES6
- WordPress/Drupal, PHP, SQL
- Git, gulp, webpack, Docker
- Web hosting, server management

Additional experience:
- Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB
- React, Vue.js,
- Python, Django

Awards:
- Built or worked on multiple W3 award winning sites
- Acquia Certified Developer - Drupal 11

WORK EXPERIENCE

Reingold Inc.

Senior LAMP Developer: June 2024 - Present
- Build and maintain custom Drupal and Wordpress themes for government, non-profit, and private sector clients
- Build custom WordPress plugins and Drupal modules to extend CMS functionality
- Lead web development planning meetings to discuss timelines, requirements, and client needs
- Manage junior coworkers, check timesheets, and take part in hiring interviews
- Review code pull requests, mentor coworkers, and collaborate with other digital teams
- Write documentation on best practices for both front end and back end development in Drupal and WordPress
- Responsible for maintaining and updating multiple websites (10+), including adding new features, bug fixes, improving accessibility, and implementing SEO solutions

REQ Digital Agency

Senior Web Developer: October 2023 - June 2024
- Responsible for maintaining and updating increasingly complex and large-sized websites (20+)
- Built fully custom, accessible, and mobile-first WordPress and Drupal themes from scratch
- Built custom WordPress plugins and Drupal modules to extend CMS functionality
- Built out micro-services and APIs with Node.js/Express.js; Worked with external APIs to build web solutions for clients
- Deployed cloud applications and websites to Google Cloud Platform with CI/CD pipelines
- Take part in hiring and employee retention initiatives by mentoring and onboarding junior and intern colleagues; as well as interviewing potential new hires
- Lead communications with clients and third-party vendors to ensure their satisfaction on projects and provide exceptional customer service
- Continued to perform the role of a Developer by managing the entire web development process, from assisting in building functional requirements and timelines, to pushing code to production and updating DNS records

Developer: September 2019 - October 2023

- Managed entire web development process, from assisting in building functional requirements and timelines, to pushing code to production and updating DNS records
- Responsible for maintaining and updating multiple websites (15+), including improving accessibility, SEO, and new features
- Regularly communicated with clients and third-party vendors to fix bugs, implement updates, and write documentation
- Built fully custom, accessible, and mobile-first WordPress and Drupal themes from scratch
- Built out micro-services and APIs with Node.js/Express.js; Worked with external APIs to build web solutions for clients
- Deployed cloud applications and websites to Google Cloud Platform with continuous integration tools

Technology Intern / Junior Developer: May 2018 - September 2019

- Maintained WordPress and Drupal websites for clients
- Developed skills in PHP, SCSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Drupal 7/8, WordPress, Docker, and git
- Developed knowledge in web hosting, such as basic server management and editing DNS records
- Learned multiple ways to compile code, including grunt, gulp, and webpack

SIDE PROJECTS

Avnoe
- A web app that allows users to track their feelings using art
- Built with HTML canvas and Node.js/Express.js/MongoDB
- Passport.js authentication

Cuisine Quest
- A web game where you guess the country based on the picture of a food dish
- Built with EJS views and Node.js/Express.js
- Data managed via Contentful API; Hosted on Vercel

Metro Love
- Small web app that displays two DC metro train times
- Front end built with Vue; Back end built with Node.js/Express.js
- Hosted on Github Pages and Vercel

DC Climate Tracker
- Small web app that displays average monthly temperature, precipitation, and snowfall in the DC region
- Built in React and displays graphs with Chart.js; Users can compare years back to 1958
- Hosted on Github Pages

Plant Tracker
- Web app that stores information about my plants
- Built in React and Node.js/Express.js; Uses MySQL as the database
- Hosted on my RaspberryPi

WordPress USA Map Plugin
- Custom WordPress plugin that allows data and content to be displayed across a US map
- SQL DB created to store content; Front end displayed with shortcode, includes custom tooltips on hover

• Originally built to display where emergency response teams moved to during the pandemic

Grocery Map App

• Allows users to search grocery stores aisle locations of any item and then create lists of those items

• Pulls data from the Kroger API using OAuth 2 API authentication

• Built with React and Node.js/Express.js/MongoDB

EDUCATION

Northeastern University   Boston, MA

Bachelor of Science in Music Industry

Minor in Business Administration

Queen's University Belfast   Belfast, Ireland

Semester Study Abroad