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Frontend Developer

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SUMMARY

Frontend Developer with 4 years of experience in web application development, specializing in React and TypeScript. I've led the frontend development for the Kaptain Outside App, enhanced app performance and responsiveness, and crafted robust SaaS solutions with Next.js and Tailwind CSS. I'm excited to bring my expertise to a Software Engineer position where I can contribute to delivering impactful digital experiences. My unique background in the arts fuels my creativity and drives my commitment to user-centered development. I'm eager to offer innovative solutions to your dynamic team. Fluent in Spanish. Check out my project links on my personal website and GitHub.

SKILLS

React Next.js TypeScript JavaScript TailwindCSS React Native Node.js Express.js MongoDB

EXPERIENCE

2020 - Present

Los Angeles, California

- **Freelance Developer**

Built By Sophia

Focus on crafting captivating websites for local businesses, providing freelance web solutions for startups, and collaborating with developers on different projects.

- Build robust web applications using Next.js with TypeScript and Tailwind CSS, leveraging NoSQL databases like MongoDB and Firebase for scalable and efficient solutions.
- Dedicated to enhancing web applications with a focus on SaaS solutions, and utilizing AI to elevate functionality and user experience.
- Specialized in creating mobile applications with React Native, focusing on high-performance and user-friendly experiences.
- Proficient in developing full-stack applications using MongoDB, Express.js, React, and Node.js, delivering end-to-end solutions.

2012 - 2020

Los Angeles, California

- **Actress**

SAG-AFTRA

Roles in film, television, web series theatre and commercials.

- Applied creativity and out-of-the-box thinking from acting to develop innovative, user-centered solutions.

EDUCATION

10/2012 - 06/2015

Los Angeles, California

- **Bachelor of Arts**

University of California, Los Angeles

- Anthropology teaches one to analyze complex social patterns and behaviors, which can be applied to problem-solving in web development.

CERTIFICATION

Full-Stack Web Development

UCLA Extension - Certificate of Completion, 2020

PROJECTS

MG Allergy Website

- Refined website content to ensure high quality, relevance, and value for the target audience, contributing to a more informative and engaging user experience.
- Created engaging visuals and impactful messaging that captured attention and communicated key information, enhancing site effectiveness and user engagement, and driving increased business.
- Work has led to increased bookings and successfully shifted business from phone to online channels, enhancing overall business effectiveness.

Kaptain Outside App

- Spearheaded frontend development efforts, specializing in React Native and translating design mockups and wireframes into functional user interface components for a seamless, visually appealing experience across platforms.
- Enhanced app performance and responsiveness through meticulous coding practices and continuous testing.
- Played a key role in documenting the app's architecture, components, and APIs, facilitating smooth collaboration among team members and supporting future development efforts.