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Summary

I am a driven front-end developer, changing careers after a career break to raise my son. I am committed to delivering results that impact the bottom line, demonstrated by the 45% increase in deliverables while managing high-performing teams in the higher education field. I'm proficient in Frontend UI technologies and am excited to contribute my creative problem-solving skills to innovative team projects.

Languages and Technologies

- Languages and Frameworks: JavaScript, React.js, Next.js, HTML, CSS
- Technologies: TailwindCSS, RESTful APIs, Bootstrap, Git, GitHub, Figma, MongoDB, Firebase

Projects

- Body Shape Calculator - **Nextjs**, **Reactjs, JavaScript, TailwindCSS, OpenAI API, Git, Vercel**   See code on GitHub
  Designed & developed a calculator to help women discover their body shape featuring an AI Stylist Chatbot
- Thrasherlanding.com - **JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Git, Netlify**   See code on GitHub
  Developed a responsive website for a growing neighborhood that garnered rave reviews from residents for the app's seamless functionality and visually appealing design, resulting in a 95% increase in user experience
- Linda's Produce - **JavaScript, TailwindCSS, HTML, Git, Netlify**   See code on GitHub
  Redesigned and updated the website for a local business, resulting in a 30% overhaul in website traffic and engagement due to improved branding and mobile responsiveness.

Experience

Front End Developer Intern | Access Pharmacy   08/2023 - present

- Transforming PDF pages into 100% fully functional standalone websites, showcasing the ability to design in Figma and develop those designs into a responsive web layout using Nextjs, Typescript, and TailwindCSS
- Collaborate effectively with the development team, working within an existing codebase to integrate new features and web pages seamlessly.
- Utilize Git and GitHub as part of the development workflow, ensuring version control, code collaboration, and codebase management.

Front End Developer | CD Tech Nonprofit Group   07/2023 - present

- Led feature development initiatives, taking ownership of projects and managing progress, resulting in a 20% reduction in project delivery time.
- Played a pivotal role in shaping the group's direction by actively contributing ideas and insights during project discussions, leading to the successful execution of 80% of projects aligned with the organization's mission and goals.
- Actively engaged in mentoring and knowledge exchange sessions, aiding fellow members in expanding their skillsets, resulting in a 30% improvement in team members' technical proficiency and fostering a culture of continuous learning and growth.

Front End Developer | Freelance   08/2022 - present

- Designed, developed, and implemented responsive websites for multiple small businesses increasing website traffic by

30% with a 50% increase in user satisfaction.
- On month 11 of an intensive 12-month coding boot camp receiving comprehensive training in modern web development technologies and methodologies.
- Participated in over 30 hands-on class projects, each focused on building real-world web applications, reinforcing coding skills, and problem-solving abilities.
- Gained valuable experience integrating AI technologies by creating 5 AI chatbots using the OpenAI API.
- Utilized Git for version control in all class projects, ensuring efficient code management and collaborative development practices.

Stay At Home Parent | Chattanooga, TN   07/2017 - 08/2022

- Provided full-time care and education for my son until entry into Kindergarten at age 5.

Front End Developer | Ophthalmologist Office   01/2015 - 07/2017

- Created and maintained a mobile responsive website resulting in a 25% increase in new patients.

Student Services Manager | University of Phoenix   06/2009 - 07/2014

- Led a team of 12 using a collaborative approach to exceed organizational goals by 30%.
- Spearheaded departmental initiatives and increased customer satisfaction by 40% in 6 months.

Education

- Frontend Developer Bootcamp - Skillcrush and Scrimba | MS in Psychology - University of Phoenix