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Senior Contract Front-End Web Developer with 10+ years' commercial experience.

SUMMARY OF SKILLS

Highly experienced developing HTML, CSS/SASS and JavaScript, following the latest techniques and standards. Experienced with various front-end frameworks and cross-browser/device development.

HTML

Accessible, semantic & SEO friendly.

CSS / SASS / LESS

The latest techniques, responsive, maintainable & reusable with processes like BEM & OOCSS.

JavaScript – ES5 & ES6

Optimized, progressively enhanced & performant.
Libraries such as React, Redux, Vue.js, Vuex and jQuery

Templating – Handlebars / Twig

Used extensively for static front-end builds & style guides.

CMS Integration

WordPress custom theme development.

Design

Tools such as Sketch & Photoshop.
Responsive builds by adapting desktop designs in-browser.

Automation

Webpack, Gulp, Grunt, NPM, etc.

Version Control

Git, SVN & processes like Gitflow.

Project Management

JIRA & Trello, Basecamp, etc.

Code Quality

Reviews, ESLint & stylelint.

EXPERIENCE

Matter of Form

London

Contract

Mar18 – Jun18

Jul18 – Aug18

Led the development of the front end of a large, highly modular hotel website.

Alongside a BEM and vanilla ES6 JS component system, Vue.js and Vuex were used in several components to provide interactive functionality.

I was also responsible for front-end code reviews and helping to develop internal processes.

Design Culture

London

Contract

Nov17 – Jan18

Led the development on the front-end of a large website build.

A series of highly flexible, reusable components were built with Twig and BEM then progressively enhanced with vanilla ES6 JS.

Zone

London

Contract

Jul17 – Sep17

Worked closely alongside their lead front-end developer to build reusable components for a large corporate site.

Led the development of a vanilla ES6 JS and Handlebars application within the site. This involved pulling data from an internal API and integrating with Google Maps to build a location search interface.

Gitflow was used throughout the project. In addition, I was involved with regular front-end code reviews.

Radley Yeldar <i>London</i> <i>Contract</i> <i>Apr17 – Jun17</i>	<p>Worked on a vanilla ES6 JS and animation-heavy single page site.</p> <p>Also developed a large static build. I used Handlebars alongside BEM to create a number of reusable components to be integrated into Umbraco by the back-end team.</p>
Digirati <i>London</i> <i>Contract</i> <i>Nov16 – Dec16</i>	<p>Worked on an internal project building a series of mobile-first static templates and a style guide powered by Handlebars & Assemble with Atomic Design.</p> <p>Accessibility and progressive enhancement were really important, with the use of ARIA within HTML and following of web accessibility guidelines.</p>
Zone <i>London</i> <i>Contract</i> <i>Jun16 – Jul16</i> <i>Sep16 – Oct16</i>	<p>Worked on several large corporate websites and a webapp adding additional responsive templates and functionality.</p> <p>With these projects I gained exposure to razor templates, Gitflow, ES6 and further experience building on top of large codebases with multiple team members. This involved writing modular SASS with the BEM methodology. Progressive enhancement was also very important within this role.</p>
Radley Yeldar <i>London</i> <i>Contract</i> <i>Jan16 – Mar16</i>	<p>Developed a series of builds for large international clients. The contract was initially for one month, but I was extended on multiple occasions and worked on four projects over three months.</p> <p>The builds included functionality such as advanced Parallax and JS heavy interfaces. I also gained further experience with Grunt, BEM and Susy.</p>
Freelancing remotely Various clients <i>Apr14 – Jan16</i>	<p>Worked remote for various small creative agencies and startups. This involved building, from start to finish, medium-sized websites powered by WordPress with bespoke themes.</p>
Shout! Creative <i>Norwich</i> <i>Lead Developer</i> <i>May12 – Apr14</i>	<p>Led the development of WordPress-powered content managed websites.</p> <p>Developed specifications and had input into website structure, functionality and UX along with input into project management, including timelines and workflow.</p>
Solid State Group <i>London</i> <i>Front-End Developer</i> <i>Nov08 – Feb12</i>	<p>Websites & webapps in medium-sized teams for a wide range of clients.</p> <p>Carried out CMS integration with the company's Java-based CMS</p> <p>After promotion from Junior Dev, led the front-end on several projects and helped mentor junior developers, including code reviews</p>

QUALIFICATIONS AND AWARDS

Web Design and Internet Technology, BSc(Hons), Southampton Solent University, First (2008)

Best Final Year Student 2008 in BSc Web Design and Internet Technology (2008)

More information and references available on request (and on paulmasek.com).