Nicholas LaMothe

web developer

Languages

English advanced

French novice-to-intermediate

Contact

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Tools

WordPress

HTML/HTML5
JavaScript/TypeScript
React.js
PHP/Apache
SQL/MySQL/MariaDB
VS Code/Eclipse/vim

jQuery npm/gulp Git/GitHub/GltLab Terminal/cmd/bash Adobe XD Windows/Linux

CSS/Sass

_ Professional summary

- Amicable, thoughtful, dedicated developer who is highly adaptable to a variety of work environments
- Experience working with developers, designers, and sales professionals to improve web functionality and UX
- Experience proofreading and editing web content in plain language and with respect to the needs of the client
- Experience providing player support, moderation, and data annotation for clients in the video game industry
- Experience using architectural design software in the creation of floor plans for residential properties

- Very capable in working both independently and collaboratively within a team environment
- Experience implementing various custom front-end/back-end solutions for clients and end users
- Experience using computer vision annotation software to perform precise image annotations
- Experience as a receptionist, performing data entry, and general IT tasks for internal software systems
- Highly competent with a wide range of software, with an exceptional typing speed of 80-100 wpm

_ Development experience

- Developing and enhancing front-end components in HTML, CSS, Sass, JavaScript, jQuery, and React
- Object-oriented programming in PHP and experience working with software design patterns
- Working with various themes and page builders (e.g. Enfold, Elementor), as well as numerous plugins generally
- Working with APIs (e.g. Web APIs, Spreaker API), JSON, and CSV data in various contexts
- Experienced with version control via git in the command line + merge editor (in Visual Studio Code) + GitHub/GitLab
- Working with cPanel, web hosts, and system administrators, as well as some experience with Cloudflare and AWS

- Building stylish, responsive front-end layouts and components from mock-ups designed in Adobe XD
- Developing solutions for numerous WordPress sites of varying size and complexity
- Using and writing shortcodes (e.g. Shortcode API) as well as custom post types
- Collaborating in agile environments (e.g. SCRUM) + experience in an environment using CI/CD pipelines in GitLab
- Regular use of relational databases (MySQL), including experience in database administration (e.g. user role modification, imports, exports)
- Working with Linux servers (e.g. tailing logs, modifying file permissions, search and replace operations, updating SSL certificates, Apache configuration)

__ Education

2019 - 2021	GrDip, Computer Science, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
2006 - 2011	B.A., Major in Philosophy, Minor in English, <i>Vancouver Island University</i> , Nanaimo, BC with Distinction
2017	Intensive French Language Program, McGill School of Continuing Studies, Montreal, QC Levels 1 and 2 completed. This was followed by several months of study with the Commission scolaire de Montréal, where I completed levels 4, 5, 6, and 7A

__ Work

Jan 2024 - Present	Web Developer, Scotty Manufacturing Ltd, Sidney, BC WordPress site administration, maintenance, and development
May 2022 - May 2023	Web Developer, Caorda Web Solutions, Victoria, BC (Hybrid) Client website and web application development; WordPress development
Nov 2021 – Mar 2022	Web Developer, ACD Systems International, Victoria, BC (Remote) Development work in PHP, MySQL, and jQuery on systems for internal corporate use
Nov 2020 – Jun 2021	Data Annotator, <i>Algolux</i> , Montreal, QC (Remote) Data definition and annotation used in the development of image processing artificial intelligence
Jan 2018 – Oct 2019	Player Support / Moderation, Keywords Studios, Montreal, QC Community moderation, data entry, and quality player support
May 2012 - Aug 2012	Data Entry / IT / Reception, <i>Realfoto</i> , Victoria, BC Data entry, IT problem solving, receptionist duties, and creation of floor plans using SoftPlan