

Travis Wilson

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Profile:

Highly ambitious and motivated Front-End UX Web Developer with 15+ years' experience developing and designing for applications. Talent for quickly mastering new technology and concepts – a thirst for knowledge and learning new skills. A keen sense of code debugging and problem resolution. Active role in the User Experience and Interaction Design to help bridge the gap between design and technology.

Web Development:

Highly proficient in Responsive Web Design, HTML5, CSS3 and JavaScript – including multiple javascript-based libraries, frameworks and plugins such as Polymer/Web Components, Angular, React, jQuery, Bootstrap. Experience with Automation tools and task runners using Node.JS, NPM, Bower, Yarn, Gulp and Grunt. Working knowledge of PHP, JSP, and ColdFusion. Front-end coding standards, cross-browser testing, and Accessibility integration and development. Performance optimization and SEO using semantic markup. Proven experience in the following related fields: Development Manager, User Experience, Project Management, Information Architecture, Agile Methodology, and IT Training.

Professional Experience:

Lead Development Manager

TIAA CREF – Charlotte, NC – 12/2012 to Current

Promoted to Lead Development Manager delivering Financial-related applications and prototypes. Responsible for planning, coordinating, and supervising resources and processes related to the design, development, and implementation of web-based applications. Served on internal engineering board determining javascript architecture and design patterns for redesigned component library. Performed code reviews and approvals. Participated in building Polymer/Web Components, following ADA-compliant features. Created in-house Accessibility standards and recommendations based on WCAG 2.0 and real-world usage. Developed internal tools for team use; StyleGuide, Dashboard, Wiki, JSFiddle-clone and more. Re-architected and developed a PHP-based environment for prototype demonstrations that allowed developers to create a seamless flow with dynamic data.

Front-end Developer

LOWE'S – Mooresville, NC – 6/2011 to 11/2012

Participated in an experimental proof of concept team that focused on the creative aspect of the development cycle. Worked closely with UX and IxD to provide functional prototypes to explore design ideas, support usability testing and exhibit PO/SPO demos. Played an active role in the overall UX and design to create a seamless, intuitive process flow for the end-user.

Worked in an Agile environment alongside back-end developers and designers to create a unique eCommerce experience that focused on a user's Purchase History & Details, and all facets of the MyLowe's Card. Utilized an expert knowledge of JavaScript, HTML, and CSS to deliver advanced user interfaces and controls. Led the Front-End Development team as the Tech Lead for a major release that resulted in a significant increase in user sign-up and sales. Coordinated with multiple teams and departments that included but not limited to .com, marketing, and store employees to deliver a successful product in 3/4th the original estimated completion date. Received unsolicited praise from peers, managers, and CIO of Lowe's for a successful launch of the MyLowe's project.

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Front-end Developer

ETTAIN GROUP – Charlotte, NC – 10/2010 to 06/2011

Contracted to a Fortune 50 retail company with a major online presence as a Front-End Developer. Tasked with developing standards-compliant, cross-browser, accessible front-end code. Focusing primarily on Homepage and Daily promotions. HTML & CSS accomplishments include developing holiday homepage templates. JavaScript accomplishments include creating a custom Facebook application and developing multiple plug-ins; some of which utilized third-party API's. Demonstrated performance optimization, usability, and accessibility.

Web Developer & Support Specialist

CAROLINAS AGC – Charlotte, NC – 05/2006 to 09/2010

Responsible for updating content by posting new articles, pages, and calendar events. Developing web forms for event registration and small web utilities. Converting old web page to table-less, css-compliant templates. Creating graphics for web and marketing that include promotional web banners and print advertisement. Utilized ColdFusion 8; accomplishments include redesigning & developing calendar of events, iCal application and developing user management interface. Other responsibilities include providing end-user support for web-based application, identifying bugs within that app and demonstrating/training users on functionality.

Owner / Freelance Web Developer

BAKADEV.COM & TRAVIS-WILSON.COM – Belmont, NC – 01/2005 to Current

Provided Internet related services including web site design, front-end web development, domain name registration, web hosting and various web-related consultation. Handle all projects from concept to completion, including administrative aspects and post-production site maintenance.

Education:

York Technical College

Attended Computer Science courses that included programming-related classes and software development. Completed Cisco Networking Academy Program that included instructor led classes, a thorough introduction to Cisco technologies and concepts, and hands on experience.

Certifications & Accolades

- ♦ Awarded Lowe's Front-end Developer MVP Award for exceptional individual accomplishments.
- ♦ Autonomy Teamsite Developer Series
- ♦ Agile Methodology
- ♦ Adobe Suite Completion