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Skills

Web Programming

Client

HTML5 (Pug, Handlebars, Liquid)
CSS4 (Sass, Stylus, Postcss)
ES6 (Typescript, Rx, Angular, React, Vue)

Server

NodeJS
APIs (Express, Koa, GraphQL, Sockets)
Database (MongoDB, ReQL, PostgreSQL)

Build Tools

Packaging (git, npm, yarn, jspm, bower)
Automation (Gulp, Grunt)
Bundlers (Webpack, Browserify)

Testing

Client (Jasmine, Karma)
Server (Mocha, Chai)
E2E (Protractor, Nightwatch)

Infrastructure

AWS (EC2, S3, DynamoDB)
Google (App & Container Engines)
Other (Heroku, Bluemix)

Graphic Design

Photoshop

Component Mockups
Photo Manipulation & Digital Painting

Illustrator

Icons & Infographs
Illustrations

After Effects

Motion Graphics
Tracking & Stabilization

Premiere Pro

Editing & Production
Color Grading & Audio Mixing

Communication

Written

Technical & SEO Content
Promotional & Sales

Presentation

Design & Content
Delivery & Training

Visual

Graphic Design
Photo & Video Editing

Languages

English

Serbian

French

Background

Formally educated in communications and cognitive science, while practicing coding and design on small businesses and personal projects. I enjoy working with web technologies and am constantly excited by innovations in the field. I work hard to produce readable code, great design and clear documentation. And I am always looking for new challenges and collaborators to advance my skill set and expand my world view.

Work

Independent Business Consultant

Since 2012

Working with small and medium-sized enterprises on projects in web application development, process automation, graphic design, content marketing, online advertising, sales strategies, and social media engagement. Focusing on web technologies and software development to drive sales and user experience.

You can take a look at some of these projects in my portfolio*. Solutions in the range of application development, service integrations (CRM, accounting), automation for tasks & reports, design and branding for print and web, marketing and advertising.

Cofounder and Tech Lead @ Spacefil

2016

Developed an MVP for an early-stage startup with two other founders. Produced design assets, implemented operations workflows, marketing automations, analytics and reporting tools. Developed channels for lead generation and established the core message and tone for the brand.

Operations and Marketing Manager @ Garden City

2011-2012

Responsible for all marketing, communications, advertising, and branding. Improved operational efficiencies by integrating modern tools and automating processes. Produced multimedia content (photography, video, blogs) for internal and external education and promotion.

Education

Cognitive Science, BA* @ University of Toronto

2012-2016

Combining the fields of psychology, linguistics, computer science, philosophy and Buddhism to study intelligence in animals and machines. Minored in English and Psych. Focused primarily on the application of language in motivation, learning and memory.

Web Design and Development, Certificate* @ Humber College

2011-2012

Javascript Programming @ Pluralsight, Egghead, codecademy...

Since 2011

Graphic Design @ Tuts+, Lynda, CtrlPaint, and Google

Since 2009

Hobbies

I like to travel and enjoy reading everything from fiction to instruction manuals. I'm constantly hacking on my Raspberry Pi and home server to manage my music and movies, and trying to automate everything from watering my plants to preparing my coffee.

I play soccer and volleyball in local leagues and I try to spend as much time outdoors. Having played several instruments in my childhood and youth, I also like to dust off my piano from time to time; but I most enjoy going to small concerts and performances.

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