Joshua Campden-Alexander

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Modern software engineering skills, a commercial background in insurance consulting and a solid understanding of the regulatory environment.

TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE

Developing and deploying **full-stack web applications** and websites using:

HTML5: including accessibility best practices.
CSS 3: Responsive design, Flexbox & CSS Grid, SASS, CSS Modules and CSS frameworks.
JavaScript: ES6+, AJAX, API's - REST and GraphQL, Graphing (d3.js) & Realtime (websockets), TypeScript, Cypress, Jest, Webpack, OAuth.
PHP & Laravel: Using MVC frameworks for full stack development, OOP based web development.
Frontend JavaScript Frameworks: React.js - mostly functional but experience with classes, Vue.js.
Node.js: Vanilla & Express.js.
Next.js: Fullstack framework built on React.js & Express.js
Databases: SQL - mySQL, NoSQL - MongoDB with Mongoose.js, Firebase.
DevOps: AWS services, Docker & Kubernetes, Heroku (inc. pipelines), serverless (inc. Netlify).

EDUCATION

Full-Stack Software Engineering Training   *Jan 2021 - August 2021*
The Jump Digital School, *London*

Level 2 NVQ in Business and Administration (Apprenticeship)   *Nov 2016 - Nov 2017*
West Berkshire Training Consortium

AS Levels: Chemistry, History, Sociology   *Jun 2016*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Alacrity Foundation / Initia Solutions   **October 2021 - Present**

Technical Founder of Initia Solutions
This is a very unique role which came from securing a place on the prestigious entrepreneurship programme provided by the Alacrity Foundation. Following on from the programme, Initia Solutions was formed with the aim of providing a tailored case management system to two main bodies in UK government who carry out security checks and private sector organisations to help speed up the

currently backlogged vetting programmes. Being a technical founder on this project means the role is very varied, sometimes focusing heavily on client relationships and sales, business operations and of course lots of development. Being the primary developer for a SAAS product has led to a very deep understanding in many areas of development in a very short time period. This project is built using Javascript for the front and back leading to a robust knowledge of the language, its frameworks and common architectures.

Abacus Employment Services   **January 2021 - September 2021**

Agency Worker
Took a number of temporary agency roles to support myself while learning to code after plans to go travelling had been halted. Roles included Warehouse and Bakery Assistant at Doves Farm Ltd and Production Assistant at Groomers Ltd.

Academy Insurance Services Ltd   **November 2016 – January 2021**

Insurance Broker and Consultant
This role was very client-focussed, with a large emphasis placed on telephone sales, customer satisfaction and extremely proficient administrative skills. Responsible for overseeing sales amongst the team, and very confident in both successfully closing a deal and generating new leads for potential clients using lost marketing data and cross selling from existing clients. An excellent understanding of FCA regulations, and confident in using the complex, bespoke online system to manage the client base. Through an apprenticeship and then subsequently being employed by Academy Insurance, I have illustrated my drive and tenacity to succeed in any role – quickly moving up the ranks of the business and securing compliments from many customers, and senior staff on the high level of service provided.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I have the right to work in the UK

Immediately available for interview

References available on request