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### **Personal Profile**

- Creative Web and App Developer; with a passion for coding, UX/UI and acquiring new skills and techniques.
- Extensive Web Development and Programming skills; HTML5, CSS3, Nodejs, Angular, PHP, JavaScript, jQuery, cPanel hosting platform, Joomla CMS, WordPress, Ionic Framework, ActionScript, C# (Unity Games Engine), Java (Processing), SQL and Perl.
- 10 years+ experience in **Interior Design, Administration, Management and Event Management**, thrives under pressure, highly motivated with an excellent work ethic.

## **Further Education**

Sept 2015 - Present	BSc (Hons), Creative Media and Design Limerick Institute Technology (LIT), Clonmel, Co. Tipperary. Full-time course focused on web development and interaction design, programming languages, games development and visual design. My GPA has been consistently over 70% and I am aiming towards a first-class honour's degree.
Sept 2014 - May 2015	Distinction Certificate in Computer Systems and Programming Clonmel Technical Institute, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary. Full-time program which focused on web development and programming in Perl. I achieved a full distinction in this course.
Oct 2011 - May 2012	Certificate in IT, Retail Sales & Customer Care FIT/FAS Training, Nano Nagle Centre, Carrick-on-Suir. Full-time course which included, ECDL, Retail Selling, Customer Service, Information Technology & CompTIA Strata Fundamentals. I gained the highest grade in the class for this course.

#### **Technical Skills**

**Web Development:** Proficient in, HTML 5, CSS3, Nodejs, Angular, PHP, JavaScript, jQuery, Ionic Framework, SQL, Joomla CMS, WordPress, GitHub, FTP and c-Panel hosting platform.

Programming Languages: Proficient in, ActionScript, C# (Unity Games Engine), Java (Processing) and Perl.

Visual Design Software: Proficient in, Adobe Creative Suite and Maya 3D software.

Operating Systems: Windows 10, Linux Fedora and Linux Ubuntu.

## **Career History**

June 2018 - Sept 2018

#### **Web Developer (College Work Placement)**

Ireland Website Design, 12D Six Cross Roads, Waterford.

- Retail Excellence Awards Project; This involved judging eCommerce websites for the "Website of the year awards", under several criteria headings, creating audit reports and marketing strategies.
- Web Developer; Providing website support to clients, building and developing websites, updating content, changing layouts, updating GDPR compliance, website testing and preparing sites to go live.
- Client Training; Training clients to use the WordPress and Joomla CMS both face to face and using video conference calls.

Oct 2012 - Sept 2014

## **Tourism and Economic Development Resource Officer**

Carrick-on-Suir Development Association, Heritage Centre, Main Street, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.

- This was originally a part-time position under the CE Scheme which involved providing a secretarial/administration service for the committee, organising all meetings, minute taking and circulated same among all members. After 12 months the position progressed to a full-time Internship.
- Online marketing strategies and marketing campaigns; Implementation of an online website, social media and ensuring the economic development of local tourism and culture.
- Assisted with local tourism events; The Clancy Brothers Music and Arts Festival and Historical Town Walk.
- Event Management; Organised an Economic Forum for the COSTEDC committee, assisted with the Heritage Council Ireland Town Walls seminar.
- Tourism-related projects; Created a Cycle Routes brochure, Historic Town Walk poster and Carrick-on-Suir tourism leaflets.

May 2001 - Dec 2010

#### Manager

Ormond Soft Furnishings Ltd, Barrack Lane, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.

- Initially, this position involved assisting with sales and administration, after 2 years I was promoted to the position of manager over the Carrick-on-Suir branch.
- Successfully managed several hotel contracts and large domestic projects.
- Full responsibility and management of the day to day running of the office, shop, and workshop.
- Involved in the recruitment and training of new staff.

1998 - 2001	Accounts Assistant
	Returned from the UK in 1998 after living and working there for 10 years. I
	took on several contract jobs as an accounts assistant before securing the
	position in Ormond Soft Furnishings.
1996 - 1998	Payroll Assistant / Payroll Manager
	St. Anthony's Hospital, North Cheam, Surrey, UK.
1991 - 1996	Ward Admin Assistant
	Great Ormond Street Children Hospital, London, UK.

#### **Achievements**

- App Development; Currently developing an Augmentative and Alternative Communication App using C#, to support non-verbal individuals with Intellectual Disabilities for my 4<sup>th</sup> year project. This project has been entered into the Universal Design Grand Challenge Student Awards 2019. Developed a Hybrid Web App using the Ionic framework <a href="https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=io.ionic.driftv2">https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=io.ionic.driftv2</a>.
- Web Development; The following are some freelance websites I have developed; ICT in Education
   <u>www.ictedu.ie</u>, Scrummy Yummies Catering <u>www.scrummieyummies.com</u> and I am currently developing an
   eCommerce website for Stable Lane Digital Hub <u>www.stablelanehub.com</u>.
- **Event Management;** Gained an award from the Heritage Council Ireland, for Carrick-on-Suir to host the Town Walls seminar, during October 2014 and organised an Economic Forum for the Carrick-on-Suir Tourism and Economic Development Committee, during May 2013.
- **Consultant**; Acted on a voluntary basis, as a consultant for the start-up of a new retail Interior Design Shop during October 2012.

## References

**Lecturer:** Mark O' Leary **Limerick Institute of Technology (LIT)** 

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