

Scott Brown

Web Developer

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Skills: Web

HTML
PHP
Laravel
Livewire
Symfony
Wordpress
Javascript
Alpine
jQuery
CSS
Tailwind
Bootstrap
Database
MariaDB
MySQL

Skills: Design

Photoshop
Illustrator
Lightroom Classic
Photography

A full stack developer with 19+ years of professional experience. A clear and effective communicator able to gauge, decipher and understand clients' requirements then to design, build and deploy websites and web applications that exceed expectations.

10+ years' experience with Laravel.

15+ years' experience with OOP PHP.

20+ years' experience with HTML, CSS and Javascript.

Relevant Employment History

UKCaravans4Hire, 2023 - Present

Senior Web Developer (June 2024 - Present)

Web Developer (November 2023 - May 2024)

Modernising and building upon a legacy custom PHP MVC application.

Key Achievements

Integrating the Hubspot CRM via API to handle historic and real-time transfer of data to help the marketing team to target their communications more effectively.

Creation of an integrated discount and landing page module to allow for promotions with easy creation by marketing executives.

Rebuild of a hard-coded external SOAP integration to allow multiple different integrations to be built upon common classes using various transfer protocols.

Assisting the lead developer to lead the team and leading it during absences, collaborating on decisions in regards to the direction of the tech stack, integrating platform improvements, leading code reviews and guiding less experienced developers.

LSi Ltd, 2007 - 2023

Lead Developer (April 2017 - November 2023)

Web Developer (February 2011 - April 2017)

Web Designer (November 2007 - February 2011)

Creating websites, web applications and APIs for the company and its clients.

Key Achievements

Taking a company with a negligible online presence to one that possesses and maintains 50+ websites for a diverse array of national and international clients built on varying technologies.

Controlling all technical decision making when it comes to web infrastructure, moving from basic static shared hosting and FTP transfer to a fully-cloud based, database and/or API driven, continuous development methodology.

Creating an integrated, themeable content management and shopping basket system able to support retail and business-to-business websites for companies as diverse as LNER, Jägermeister and Fujitsu.

Built bespoke web applications for use internally and externally to improve efficiency through automation and data preparation, reformatting and auto-reporting.

Being an integral part of a team, linking sales, marketing, graphic design, print and distribution.

Built retail systems to provide print-ready artwork to the internal print house.

Being a mentor and guide for younger developers as they learn and improve.

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Relevant Employment History (Continued)

Aquarline Ltd, 2006 - 2007

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Creating a business-to-business wholesale website and building a retail presence.

Key Achievements

Designing, building and maintaining two brand new websites using a technology stack I'd not encountered before.

Self-learning PHP and database-driven website design.

Photographing and Photoshopping products to create a 16 page print catalogue.

Coordinating a team in multiple locations from the warehouse to shop front to ensure orders were picked, packed and dispatched efficiently.

Education

University of Huddersfield, 2001 - 2005

CertHE Interactive Multimedia

Orpington College, 2000 - 2001

AS Level ICT

AS Level Media Studies

The Priory School 6th Form, 1998 - 2000

A Level General Studies

A Level Economics

AS Level Computing

The Priory School, 1993 - 1998

10 x GCSE at A* - C

including Mathematics, English and Science

Hobbies & Interests

I enjoy hiking and photography and have, in the past, kept websites featuring these using various technologies. I enjoy playing, watching and composing music. I am a fan of many different sports.

References

Bob Atkinson

Managing Director, UKCaravans4Hire

Lloyd Simpson

Managing Director, LSi Ltd

Contact information available on request.