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About Me

Hey, I'm Chao (pronunciation 'ciao'), a front end developer whose work is fuelled by creativity, curiosity and dedication. I got into this industry because I was in awe of all the things technologies can bring. I wanted to learn the power to create, optimize and develop.

I believe the best software are built by a group of people that teams up with their own strengths and weaknesses. These people levels each other up by collaborating to deliver the best results. They sink and swim together.

I would like to stand out the crowd as a forever learning and innovator: the best thing is yet to come.

Education

Bridge for Software Development

Bridge School

October - December 2019

Web Development Immersive

January - March 2019

Juno College of Technology

B.A. Communication and Psychology

September 2009 - April 2014

Carleton University

Experience

Software Developer

Unito   May 2022 - present

• Major contributor in architecting, prototyping and implementing a new headless Content Management System that integrates with existing internal API
• Decreased app load time by halving existing Javascript bundle size
• Addresses key technical debts through refactoring legacy components and tests
• Works with data team to implement tracking metrics to indicate if customer expectations are being met

Software Developer

Vena Solutions   March 2020 - April 2022

• Broke down extensive features into module designs and milestones through technical feasibility research (e.g. in-app commenting feature)
• Upheld standards for code quality through numerous code reviews, bug fixes, additional tests, and monitoring of performance
• Headed the efforts to bring the product to meet WCAG 2.0 standards by conducting audits, proposing an action plan and implementing the said plan with the team

Web Developer

Reflektor Digital   May 2019 - February 2020

• Coded, tested and debugged custom UI components in an agile workflow

• Translated design into code using modern HTML, CSS, and Javascript libraries, including Vue.js and React.js

• Created interactive experience with rendering and animation libraries, including gsap, canvas sketch, three.js and etc

Skills

• Creating complex, responsive and accessible layouts with CSS and HTML

• Extensive experiences with modern JavaScript /TypeScript frontend frameworks (React & Vue)

• Establishing design system through researching and building reusable UI components, writing usage documentation, setting up tooling, and providing education to other team members

• Collaborating through vision control workflow such as Git

• Communicating complex technical concepts to designers, product owners, architects and other engineers

• Strong time management skills to work on several projects simultaneously by prioritizing tasks based on business and team objectives