

Vlad Kulchitski / Senior UI/UX Software Engineer

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Skills Summary

Languages: JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, PHP, Bash.

Web technologies: jQuery, Zepto, Bootstrap, LessCSS/SASS preprocessor, MySQL, Handlebars.js, SVG.

Familiar with: React, Nodejs, MongoDB, Python.

Version control systems: git, svn.

Graphics: Adobe Photoshop/Illustrator, Zeplin.io.

Work Experience

SugarCRM Senior UI/UX Engineer

March 2012 – Present

`javascript, jquery, backbone, handlebars, html5, css3, styleguide, usability testing, rapid prototyping`

Hired to to completely redesign the app 6.x into all new 7.x. Took charge of building styleguide from scratch. Was in charge of front-end bug fixes. Performed a number of usability tests and A/B tests in annual SugarCON UI/UX lab. Took charge of performing a number of code changes to localize SugarCRM app to RTL languages. Rapid prototype developer.

slashdot.org User Experience Engineer

July 2010 – March 2012

`perl, html5, css3, javascript, jquery, styleguide`

Led redesign of slashdot.org to HTML5/CSS3. Conducted a number of A/B tests and developed new front-end user experience. Took responsibility of developing some back end components of slashdot.org. Maintained styleguide of slashdot.org.

sf.net UI Engineer

December 2009 – July 2010

`python, mongodb, html5, css3, javascript, jquery, usability testing, uiux`

Led front-end UX development of sf.net downloads section. Evolved UX based on usability testing.

slashdot.org UI Engineer

April 2008 – December 2009

`html5, css3, javascript, jquery, uiux`

Supported engineering team and moved all legacy markup to HTML5/CSS3, significantly improved user experience, cross-browser support and performance.

DareMightyThings.com Web Product Developer

May 2004 – January 2009

`php, mysql, javascript, jquery, html, css, drupal, revize cms, bash, awstats, sys admin`

Designed and developed web portal for National Guard Youth Challenge Program. Developed intranet, state local websites with staging and production locations for web editors.

Supported and trained web editors onsite and online. Delivered annual in-class training to web editors. Provided custom programmatic solutions to integrate third party software into product. Developed internal technical assistance ticket and tracking system. Developed enhanced front-end representation for awstats logging system. Performed some system administration duties.

NHBis.com Web Developer 2005

php, asp, html, css, jquery, adobe photoshop, seo

Designed website mockups in Photoshop. Implemented fully functional website solutions from mockups. Created customized website solution for clients, such as shopping carts, catalogues and online order forms. Took charge of SEO efforts for clients.

B2B2B.com Graphic Designer 2004 – 2005

adobe illustrator, adobe photoshop

Designed banners, leaflets, posters, political yard signs and other offline print advertisement artwork.

AlidaConnection.com Web Designer October 2001 – July 2004

php, asp, javascript, html, css, macromedia flash, adobe photoshop, adobe illustrator

Designed website mockups in Photoshop. Implemented fully functional website solutions from mockups. Created customized website solution for clients, such as shopping carts, catalogues, online order forms and promotional campaigns. Designer animated ad banners. Designed advertisement artwork for offline marketing campaigns.

pulse.ua Web Designer February 2000 – July 2001

php, jquery, html, css, flash, swift3d

In charge of corporate web properties. Designed online web advertising campaigns. Designed interactive Flash advertising campaigns and websites.

Part-time and consultations

zicasso.com User Experience Consultant March 2012 – October 2012

dodstarbase.org Web Product Developer February 2008 – November 2008

totalpermit.com Web Product Developer September 2007 – May 2011

sf.net User Experience Consultant November 2007 – April 2008

Education

B.S. in Business Administration, Marketing. Intercollege (University of Nicosia), Nicosia, Cyprus, June 1999.

A.S. in Business Administration, University of Indianapolis. January 1999.

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Activities and Interests

I enjoy travelling by car, attending software engineering and design conferences, motor racing, reading and history.