



CARA STAPLETON

SENIOR DEVELOPER

A driven, opened minded, creative and successful Senior Developer with 7 years professional experience in all phases of the software development life cycle using .NET languages. I am an ambitious type who wants to get noticed and have the drive and energy needed to really make a difference to a project. I believe I can be a strong driving force for improving the performance, scalability and reliability of development projects.

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I believe in flawless design on both the client and server side and enjoy working in a team based environment where each team member can bring something unique to the table. I am a fast learning, highly self-motivated and have a strong capacity to manage multiple projects on strict timelines that adhere to the brand identity and values.

EDUCATION

ULSTER UNIVERSITY, JORDANSTOWN (JUNE 2012)

BSc (1st Class) Honours in Information & Communication Technologies with Diploma in Industrial Studies

CARRICKFERGUS COLLEGE (JUNE 2007)

'A' Levels - Information Communication Technologies (A), Business Studies (B)

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

HTML5	★★★★★
CSS3 / SASS / SCSS	★★★★★
jQuery / JavaScript	★★★★★
C#	★★★★★
.NET	★★★★★
ASP.NET MVC	★★★★★
SQL SERVER	★★★★★
PHP	★★★★★

Microsoft Office	★★★★★
Visual Studio 2015	★★★★★
Adobe Photoshop	★★★★★
Adobe Illustrator	★★★★★

PERSONAL SKILLS

Creativity	★★★★★
Innovation	★★★★★
Communication	★★★★★
Teamwork	★★★★★
Flexibility	★★★★★
Project Management	★★★★★
Time Management	★★★★★

OTHER INFORMATION

Date of Birth: 17th August, 1989
Address: Warrnambool, VIC, 3280
Driving License: Full
Other: First Aid & CPR Qualified

WORK EXPERIENCE

September 2017 - Present FREELANCE SENIOR DEVELOPER SELF EMPLOYED, AUSTRALIA

Freelance web and software development including C# and MVC programming for a variety of applications. Custom website designs, development and CMS intergation, plugin creation and modification.

October 2016 - September 2017 SENIOR DEVELOPER CLOVERTECH, WARRNAMBOOL, VIC

Manage the complete life cycle of development and support projects including analysis of client requirements and translating new ideas into functional projects. Lead the architecture and development of various projects and applications. Build CMS solutions using modern and advanced technologies such as .NET, MVC, Entity Framework, SQL Server. Document technical and functional specifications. Implement mock-ups using grid frameworks and design websites using HTML5, SCSS and jQuery with cross-browser compatibility.

November 2015 - October 2016 FREELANCE SENIOR DEVELOPER SELF EMPLOYED, AUSTRALIA

Design and develop high quality, clean and accessible websites that look great, function and market the business effectively online. I worked with a range of clients from single man enterprises and new business start-ups developing accessible, maintainable and performance-optimised projects and websites. Experienced in designing projects and websites to match the clients overall vision of their venture.

January 2013 - December 2014 DEVELOPER FLINT STUDIOS LTD, BELFAST, NORTHERN IRELAND

Responsible for participating in the full life cycle of a high volume of new development projects that give users a seamless and rich Internet experience. I was also highly involved in the development and maintenance of the content of projects as well as being the first point of contact for clients if they had any queries or technical problems. UI and UX were always considered when building projects to allow for the best user experience. All front end and C# code was hand written to ensure no extra bulk was added to ensure all projects and websites were optimised to load as quickly as possible.

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

