Arden Ranta

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FRONT-END DEVELOPER | UX/UI/Accessibility Focus

Detail-oriented Front-End Developer with 7 years of customer service, retail, and office administration. Passionate about accessibility and creative problem solving to facilitate an empathetic experience for users and developers.

PROJECTS

Spellkeeper | Repository | 1 week sprint, solo project
- created a multi-page application to service a niche audience of tabletop D&D5E players who need a handy reference for their spellcasting abilities
- built in React, utilizing Router, PropTypes, Vercel deployment, the D&D5e API, JavaScript, CSS, HTML, GitHub/GitHub Projects, and tested with Cypress

H8rAid | Repository | 10 day sprint, group project
- created a multi-page application to display Wikipedia articles that contained headlines matching a set of keywords, with the ability to search for articles and navigate to an alternate view for saved/favorited articles after logging in through Auth0 authentication
- worked collaboratively with a project team to employ agile workflow practices through daily standups and our GitHub project board
- built in React, utilizing Router, Auth0, the Wikipedia API, JavaScript, CSS, HTML, GitHub/GitHub Projects, and tested with Cypress

Rancid Tomatillos | Repository | 12 day sprint, partner project
- created a movie library with clickable posters that show details of the chosen movie (in progress)
- React, XML, Router, CSS, Cypress, GitHub, Web APIs, WAVE accessibility plugin

Traveler | Repository | 1 week sprint, solo project
- created a travel agency user dashboard that allows a traveler to see their prior, upcoming, and pending trip requests, as well as submit new trip requests
- asynchronous JavaScript, CSS, HTML, GitHub, Figma, Web APIs, WAVE accessibility plugin

SKILLS

Front-End: React, Router, Cypress, JavaScript, CSS, HTML, Mocha, Chai, test-driven development, GitHub workflow, Figma, Web APIs, user testing, accessibility testing, agile workflow practices

Industry-Specific Exposure: Xero, Karbon

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Office Administrator, Ranta CPA + Associates   *May 2022-Aug 2023*
(full-time, 40 hrs/wk)
Billing & Accounts Receivable
- Developed a deadline-management system and standard communications process to maintain aged receivables and distribute tax returns/documents to clients.

Barista Trainer and Tryer Lab Operations Partner, Starbucks — 2019-2022
- Communicated dynamic, complex processes and problems to coworkers and customers, and integrated new coworkers into the team in a training role.
- Participated in live trials for store operations to refine labor practices/standards, and gave UI/UX feedback on new tools and devices for retail stores.

EDUCATION

Turing School of Software & Design | *Denver, CO* — August 2023-present

North Seattle Community College | *Seattle, WA* — 2017-2019

Seattle University, Albers School of Business, University Honors | *Seattle, WA* — 2016-2017