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Experience —

The Things Industries

2018 – ongoing

Lead Frontend Developer and UX Designer

At The Things Industries, I work on the web interface of their main offering *The Things Stack*. As a generalist, I am responsible for UX and UI Design (Balsamiq, Sketch) as well as the implementation using a modern stack consisting of Node.js, React, Redux, Golang and gRPC.

Freelance Work

since 2012

Web Development & Design

As a freelancer, I focus on development and design for web services and applications, working for clients of various sizes, most recently for WATTx (Viessmann). I equally like to work on the front-end and back-end side of projects.

LAVAlabs Moving Images

2013 – 2014

Motion Graphics Artist

At LAVAlabs, I worked for renowned clients such as Audi, BMW or Pfizer, mainly designing and concepting 2D animation using After Effects. My work also included scripting and development work aiming to improve and automate workflow processes.

PICTORION das werk

2010 – 2013

Apprentice Media Designer for audio/visual displays

PICTORION das werk was the biggest German post-production company. During my apprenticeship, I had the chance to gain profound insights into post-production workflows and creative media production before thoroughly focusing on motion graphics.

Development skills —

HTML, CSS, JavaScript and frontend frameworks (React)



Node.js and node-based web frameworks



Git



Golang



Python



Design skills —

User Interface Design (via Sketch)



Wireframing / Prototyping (via Balsamiq)



User Experience Design



Motion Graphics and Animation (via Adobe Creative Suite)



Education —

Study

2014 – 2019

B.A. Interface Design at Potsdam University of Applied Sciences

Interdisciplinary design degree focusing on interaction design, human computer interaction and design of visual interfaces, while enabling explorations into product and communication design. Graduated in February 2019 with an overall grade of 1,2.