

# MATTHEW MCKAY

## Web Developer

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## CERTIFICATION

### Web Development Certificate

Juno College of Technology

### Journalism Diploma

Centennial College

### Undergraduate Science Degree

University of Toronto

## SKILLS

FRONT-END DEVELOPMENT · HTML ·

CSS · JavaScript · React.js · RESTful APIs ·

Responsive Design

WEB ACCESSIBILITY · Responsive Layout ·

Semantic HTML Structures · ARIA

GITHUB · Git · Repository Management ·

Commit Best Practices

SEARCH ENGINE OPTIMIZATION ·

Mobile Responsiveness ·

Google Analytics · SEO

OTHER SKILLS · Node.js · Canva ·

Web Hosting · Windows · Hybrid ·

Adobe Creative Suite

## PROJECTS

### Rijks Museum Art Search

React | APIs | HTML | CSS | SASS

- Dynamic website utilizing React and multiple API endpoints allowing users to search and explore world-renowned art from the Rijks Museum
- Exemplified a dedication to continuous improvement by devoting substantial time to research and self-guided learning, resulting in the project's successful completion

<https://rijksmuseumartsearch.netlify.app/>

### Quiz Game: What do YOU no?

React | Firebase | APIs | HTML | CSS

- Collaborated with a team of developers and integrated third-party APIs to build an engaging quiz game that required users to match homonyms with their definitions

<https://whatchuknohuh.netlify.app/>

## SUMMARY

Enthusiastic and dedicated Web Developer experienced in full-stack web development. Passionate about creating innovative solutions, writing high-quality code, and contributing to the development process. Skilled in ensuring code maintainability and scalability, collaborating with teammates, and enhancing existing software solutions. Committed to continuous improvement, staying up-to-date with the latest technologies and industry standards. Strong advocate for application compliance with industry standards and accessibility requirements.

## EXPERIENCE

### General Contractor

04/2015 - Present

#### Matthew T McKay Construction

Greater Toronto Area

Specialize in Exterior and Interior Home Renovations and Repairs

- Founded business in 2015 with focus on residential projects using skills acquired over seven years as an apprentice
- Increase overall revenue by 50% year-over-year while managing complex projects and providing excellent customer service to clients
- Maintain effective communication with clients, ensuring their project expectations are met through regular updates, revised designs, and budgets
- Utilize advanced accounting software to streamline financial operations, identify cost-saving opportunities, and maximize revenue and tax returns
- Demonstrate strong problem-solving and critical-thinking skills to efficiently resolve emergency situations involving structural damage and flooding

### General Contractor Apprentice

01/2008 - 03/2015

#### DCD CONSTRUCTION

Greater Toronto Area

Specialize in Exterior and Interior Home Renovations and Repairs

- As an apprentice of DCD Construction, executed of 15-20 projects per year, helping increase company revenue by 70% year-over-year
- Assisted with hands on tasks while working safely, following instructions, and maintaining a high level of craftsmanship
- Took advantage of the opportunity to learn from working with experienced contractors and skilled tradespeople

### Volunteer

05/2019 - 03/2020

#### Hennick Bridgepoint Hospital

Toronto

Company Description

- Helped physiotherapists increase attention to each patient rehabilitating knee replacement surgery by 25% through set up, clean up, patient interaction in therapy gym
- Encouraged and motivated patients during their rehabilitation sessions. Assisted and escorted patients as needed

### Public Address Announcer

09/2004 - 04/2015

#### University of Toronto

Toronto

Company Description

- Worked with and trained U of T staff and students while hosting varsity-level hockey, volleyball, basketball, football and figure skating events

## EDUCATION

### Web Development Bootcamp

09/2022 - 12/2022

#### Juno College of Technology

### Journalism

09/2007 - 05/2009

#### Centennial College

### Hons B.Sc in Human Biology, Minor in Fine Art History

09/2000 - 05/2004

#### University of Toronto