

# GINA FESSIA

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## OBJECTIVE

I am seeking a collaborative environment where I can engage my creative problem-solving skills. I find new challenges exciting and view them as opportunities for personal growth. My strongest trait is my ability to learn and adapt quickly.

## EDUCATION

### **Columbia College Chicago — Chicago, IL**

Bachelor of Arts, Interactive Arts and Media (3.8 GPA)

Graduated May 2015

### **Harper Community College — Palatine, IL**

Associate of Arts (4.0 GPA)

Graduated May 2011

## EXPERIENCE

### **NextClient - Senior Front End Web Developer - Valencia, CA (Remote)**

03/2016 to Present

- Resolve tickets to modify and update websites.
- Use HTML/CSS to turn Photoshop/XD/Figma design files into functional Wordpress themes.
- Develop custom Javascript and PHP functions to enhance website functionality.
- Train new employees on current practices.
- Implement WCAG AA and Google Page Speed Insights standards.

### **Stout-Heart Fitness - Level 1 Coach/Administrative Assistant - Lancaster, CA**

07/2023 to 07/2024

- Coach neurotypical classes and assist with neurodivergent personals.
- Main point of contact for clients.
- Tech support for coaches.
- Assist in managing schedules and payments for all personal training appointments.

### **The Oaks Camp and Conference (nonprofit) - Volunteer Web Developer - Lake Hughes, CA**

06/2019 to 01/2020

- Resolved support tickets regarding web development and design from organization directors.

### **Hobby Lobby - Assistant Manager - Vernon Hills, IL**

09/2009 to 07/2015

- Ran multiple departments (ordering, stocking, planogram updates, etc).
- Operated as the sole opening/closing manager regularly.
- Directly helped customers on the floor and handled customer and employee grievances.
- Planned daily schedules/tasks and organized clean up crews at the end of the day.
- Helped wherever needed in everything from custom framing to bookkeeping.

*References: Available Upon Request*