Arwid Bancewicz Software Engineer, Full-Stack

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Education

BASc, Computer Engineering

4 years (worked 1 year)

🭨 University of Toronto

- Honours: Dean's Honour List 2005-2007, Ranked 4th out of 130 students (2005-2006) in CGPA.
- Focus: Software, Networks, Business & Entrepreneurship
- Received the Entrepreneurship, Innovation, and Small Business Management Certificate.

Experience

Co-Founder

Jun 2012 - May 2013

Sept 2005 - Nov 2010

1 year

Startup

🚺 LookFlix.com - Social Shopping, 3 Co-Founders, Boston

• Finalists in the MassChallenge startup accelerator in Boston and part of Microsoft BizSpark One.

Tech Stack: CoffeeScript/BackboneJS/Zepto/HBS/Haml/SaSS/ROR3/Azure/C#.Net/PostgreSQL/GIT

Founder

Nov '11 - Aug '12, Jun '13 - Present

1 year, 4+ months

Laborific.com - Development Shop & Idea Incubator, Toronto

- A product umbrella and development shop for web apps, inspired by ZURB and MILK, a startup incubator
- Incubated Digits.me, MyQuadoo.com, PassBox for DropBox, BehindTheDiamond.com
- Helped startups including DentistFind, Rayku.com, Predi.co, NewhouseConnect, MyPinYun
- Tech Stack: CoffeeScript/BackboneJS/ROR/PHP/NodeJS/SequelizeJS/Socket.IO/MongoDB/Heroku/GIT

Co-Founder Jun 2011 - Oct 2011

Vertex.IO - Making Mobile Development Easy, 4 Co-Founders, Toronto

EventMobi.com - Mobile Apps for Events, ~28 Employee Startup, Toronto

■ Moso.com - Social Platform For Innovation, ~6 Employee Startup, Toronto

5 months

- A Platform as a Service (PaaS) to provide both hosting and data services for HTML5 Mobile Apps.
- Tech Stack: NodeJS/Jade/CouchDB/Cloud9IDE-Integration

Employment

Lead Web App Developer (Contract, Project-basis)

Dec 2011 - Apr 2012

4 months

- Contracted to build EventMobi's HTML5 app, their flagship product, #1 Event App, serving 3+ Million.
- Tech Stack: CoffeeScript/BackboneJS/HBS/Ruby/PHP

Lead Software Developer (Contract, Month-to-month)

Dec 2010 - Feb 2011

2 months

Contracted to prototype several projects using ROR, Sammy, ¡Query Mobile, Sencha Touch.

Software Developer (Contract, 16-months)

May 2008 - Aug 2009

📨 Camilion Solutions (Now part of SAP) - Insurance Software, ~200 Employees, Richmond Hill

16 months

· Architected a new UI for an existing product in Ext JS/J2EE/Spring and supported teams as the Ext Expert.

Lead Software Developer (Part-time/Full-time)

Vengeo.com - E-publishing, ~20 Employee Startup, Toronto

May 2005 - May 2008

• Rewrote various features of a C#/.Net desktop application and a JS app.

Self-Employed

Owner and Web Developer

💽 Arwid.ca (Formerly)

Jun 2006 - Mar 2011

Web development services for small businesses and larger brands such as Perimeter Financial Corp, HD Supply, Ducati & Lamborghini Toronto.

Competition

Programming Contest - Placed First

OBEA Computer Programming Contest 2005 (Province of Ontario)

Oct 2004 - Apr 2005

8 months

 Chess game in Java. Available at sourceforge.net/projects/aichess, github.com/Arwid/chess, mac.softpedia.com/get/Games/Arvydas-Chess.shtml.

Community

Community Involvement

Oct 2006 - Present

6+ years

Open Source at github.com/arwid

- Created JSON_Minifier, jQuery.scrollIntoView, jQuery.Page, jQuery.ui.animSortable, Haml Sprockets Engine.
- Founding member of EPIC student conference, CUTC Ambassador, PEO Webmaster, Presented j Query Introduction.