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I truly enjoy problem solving. Whether it's figuring out how an app's data should be structured or how a user experience should be designed, I'm energized by crafting solutions to problems. I'm drawn to passionate people who enjoy sharing ideas and making a difference. Fun fact: I'm a music blogger and former DJ.

Skills

LANGUAGES
Ruby
JavaScript
Swift
Java

FRAMEWORKS
Rails
Sinatra
AngularJS

TESTING
RSpec
Capybara

FRONT END
HTML5
CSS
Sass

METHODOLOGIES
Object-oriented design
Agile

DATABASE
ActiveRecord
PostgreSQL

Projects

THE <HIVE>

A social networking site for software developers looking to collaborate on a side project. Users can coordinate meetups using an in-app messaging system. Users can also search for a project by any given city or zip code.

- Played a large role in implementing the Google Geocoding API to render location results.
- Designed the splash page
- Built a portion of the CRUD features for projects
- Implemented AJAX for smoother data loading

Stack: Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, jQuery, AJAX, Materialize, Sass
URL: https://code-hive.herokuapp.com

EMOTIONAL BAGGAGE CHECK IOS APP

The iOS app version of the popular desktop site Emotional Baggage Check. Users can post "baggage" anonymously as well as receive an anonymous response.

- This is a solo project.
- Used Swift and Parse API as a backend
- Utilized MVC design pattern, divide and conquer strategies, and debugging tools throughout development

Stack: Swift, Objective-C, Parse

Employment

Lafayette College   Easton, PA
Program Coordinator & Web Editor   Jul 2013 to Jun 2015
- Developed the footprints for an entrepreneurship initiative
- Implemented JavaScript, HTML & CSS to departmental website
- Worked with center's co-chairs, steering committee, and faculty partners to manage new multidisciplinary projects and co-curricular activities
- Worked with faculty to identify material to fulfill learning outcomes
- Worked with external partners & alumni to curate entrepreneurship-focused events

Knoll   East Greenville, PA
Project Analyst   Jan 2013 to Jul 2013
- Compiled and analyzed data from supply chain work streams
- Created master project plan using project management software

Education

Dev Bootcamp
Full Stack Software Development 2015

Northampton Community College
A.S. Computer Science 2015

University of California, San Diego
B.A. Visual Arts: Media 2009

Activities

The Loop · Founder & Writer
Music blogger for popular, Hype-Machine ranked music blog "The Loop." I work with PR agents and artists to feature independent music. I'm also a music reviewer for Fluence.io

Awards

Style of Sound · Best Music Blog Award   Oct 2014
Awarded ranking in Style of Sound's "Most Influential Music Blogs of 2014" list