

# GERALD PLOTKE

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## SUMMARY

Full Stack Web Developer with a background in logistics, sales and marketing. Effective at high level multitasking and problem anticipation in order to provide solutions under high pressure situations. Known for a strong team-first mentality with excellent communication and delegation skills. Accomplishments include receiving a Certificate of Completion in coding boot camp and promotion to Customer Account Specialist in the logistics industry.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** HTML5, CSS3, & Javascript

**Tools:** JQuery, Bootstrap, Materialize, NodeJS, MySQL, MongoDB, ExpressJS, & ReactJS

## PROJECTS

**BootCampBox** | [github.com/BootcampBox/BootCampBox](https://github.com/BootcampBox/BootCampBox) | [www.nubootcampbox.xyz/](http://www.nubootcampbox.xyz/)

- A dashboard for use in a web-development environment. Integrates multiple links, sites, and tools that are frequently used within a web-development lifestyle.
- Responsibilities were front end styling and javascript for the code snippet section.
- Tools used were HTML, CSS, JS, Materialize, UIKit, DayPilot.js

**TrashParty** | [github.com/Q-GAP/TrashParty](https://github.com/Q-GAP/TrashParty) | [trashparty.xyz](http://trashparty.xyz)

- A website where once a day you open a pack of random stuff (data we collect from different API's). You can trade your "trash" with other users to get items you like or dump them in the landfill for others to claim.
- Responsibilities were general design, concept and front end styling.
- Tools used were HTML, CSS, JS, MySQL, Sequelize, Express and Handlebars

**PasswordGenerator** | [github.com/GPLOTKE/03-Password-Generator](https://github.com/GPLOTKE/03-Password-Generator) | [gplotke.github.io/03-Password-Generator/](https://gplotke.github.io/03-Password-Generator/)

- An application that enables the user to generate random passwords based on the criteria that they have selected.
- Responsibility was all the Javascript.
- Tools used were HTML, CSS, JS

**CodeQuiz** | [github.com/GPLOTKE/04-Coding-Quiz](https://github.com/GPLOTKE/04-Coding-Quiz) | [gplotke.github.io/04-Coding-Quiz/](https://gplotke.github.io/04-Coding-Quiz/)

- An application where a set of questions are to be answered in a timed quiz form. Once "Start Quiz" is clicked a timer will start and present the first question. After you click the answer for the question it will prompt the next question and so on until you are done.
- Responsibilities were the entire application.
- Tools used were HTML, CSS, JS, JQuery, and Bootstrap

## EXPERIENCE

### **Logistics Coordinator** **Total Quality Logistics**

2013 – 2021  
Chicago, IL

Delegated duties to team members daily. Negotiated rates with carriers for customer shipments and tracked loads to completion. Maintained excellent working relationships with customers by efficiently responding to inquiries and complaints concerning invoices and shipments.

#### *Key Accomplishments:*

- Trainee of the Week, 2013
- Team Member of the Week, 2014
- Sales Support President's Club, 2014
- Promotion to Customer Account Specialist, 2018

## EDUCATION

### **Coding Bootcamp Certificate:** Northwestern University, REMOTE

2021

A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining technical web development skills.

### **B.S. Business Marketing:** Illinois State University, Normal, IL

2009-2013