IAN KUZMIK - Teacher & Programmer

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Familiar Languages:

- HTML/CSS/JS/PHP
- Sass
- Pine Script
- MQL4
- Python

Familiar Libraries:

- iQuery
- Bootstrap

Other Software:

- GitHub
- Affinity Photo
- WordPress
- npm
- MAMP
- Scratch
- Thunkable

Education:

- TEFL Certification (2019)
- Tulane University: BA -English (2015)

Experience

Coding Instructor - September 2020 - Present

Create & Learn - Remote

I teach mostly K-6 kids block-based languages (Scratch/Thunkable/Micro:Bit) as well as basic HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. I also contribute to the company's blog, mostly tutorials for games in Scratch (links in website portfolio).

Algorithmic Trading - March 2021 - Present

tapRoot Coding - My Passion Project

Developing algorithms in Pine Script and MQL4 for the purpose of automated trading in the Forex and Crypto markets. Examples in my website portfolio.

WordPress Websites

RambleBerry WildCraft - Side Hustle: Ongoing

This website for my wife's business has been through many iterations, including a completely custom WordPress theme with Instagram and Google Maps integration (preview in my website portfolio). Currently utilizing WooCommerce with a third party theme for ease of maintenance.

Red Lodge Senior Center - Red Lodge, MT: March 2020 - July 2021

Built with Elementor for the local Senior Center. I also dealt with hosting issues before training a board member on troubleshooting and site maintenance/updates.

ESL Teacher — November 2019 - September 2020

VIPKid - Remote

Private English classes for Chinese students, Pre-K through 8th grade. Grammatical/Phonetic knowledge of the English language aside, this job required a lot of 'screen presence,' patience, and improvisation for the younger kids.

Farmers Market Vendor - January 2017 - September 2021

RambleBerry WildCraft - Red Lodge, MT

Face-to-face sales as well as product development (mostly labeling and graphics), inventory management, and wild foraging for raw ingredients.

Property Management - August 2019 - March 2020

W Ranch - Luther, MT

Maintenance of a private vacation ranch. Duties included: light construction, landscaping, house maintenance, taking care of the animals, odd jobs generally.

Service Industry — Fall 2015 - Spring 2019

I worked at a number of different restaurants during my time in New Orleans and Red Lodge, MT, from pizza to fine dining. Roles included:

Acting Head Chef - Kitchen Manager - Cook - Server - Baker - Prep - Dishwasher

Ranch Hand - August 2015 - October 2015

Rancho Cabron - Baja California, Mexico

Standard farm work on a goat dairy. Duties included feeding/milking/shepherding goats, cheese making, gardening, and ranch maintenance (including the water system; very important in the desert!)