

# JASONBENN

full-stack software engineer

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## SKILLS

In order of proficiency: JavaScript, Ruby & Rails, HTML/CSS, Backbone, SQL, React.js, Ember.js, Scala. Will happily, voraciously learn any stack.

## EXPERIENCE

### SOFTWARE ENGINEER

*Clinkle; San Francisco, CA*

*Sep '13-May '15*

Architected and built our customer support portal, call center, and engineering tools. Implemented and deployed [www.clinkle.com](http://www.clinkle.com) in 100 hours in 7 days. Automated the development and delivery of Clinkle's HTML emails. Improved code quality by writing Clinkle's first testing suite and style guide for the Web. After 6 months was made solely responsible for prioritizing requests for the Web team, designing solutions, choosing tools, and deploying in sync with other teams. Learned Scala in my free time so I could contribute to the backend.

### MISSIONBIT MENTOR

*Mission High School; San Francisco, CA*

*January '15-April '15*

Taught web skills; inspired students to get excited about programming.

### TEACHER'S ASSISTANT

*Dev Bootcamp Chicago; San Francisco, CA*

*July '13*

Taught Ruby, OOP, ActiveRecord, SQL, Git. Assisted with daily lectures.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

Two 1st Place Prizes, DeveloperWeek Hackathon  
Most Creative, a16z Hackathon  
Organizer, Dev Bootcamp Chicago's first hackathon  
1st Place, Lean Startup Machine Hackathon  
Fastest True Novice Ever, UVa Men's Rowing

## SIDE PROJECTS

HINGE+, Rails and Ember. Client spoof of the Hinge app with extra features. Reverse engineered their API with a self-Man-In-The-Middle attack.

RAISEYOURHAND, Rails. Educational video playlist wizard. Responsible for backend construction in Rails and performance. Improved search time per keypress from many seconds to <300 milliseconds with eager loading, keypress throttling, SELECT DISTINCT, counter caching, and query caching with memcached.