

# Joshua Pearson

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Former law student turned full stack web developer proficient in Javascript, Angular, Ruby, Rails and more. Passionate and enthusiastic about challenges related to the front-end and back-end of web applications. Eager to apply my critical thinking and customer service skills to my technical knowledge to help create smart, efficient, safe and secure applications.

## Skills

Ruby (Rails, Sinatra, Rspec), Javascript (jQuery, AngularJS, Coffeescript, Underscore, Jasmine, NodeJS), HTML5, CSS3, Git, Github

## Projects

Covered SF <http://www.covered-sf.com>, [github.com/Joshua-Pearson/DoctorSearch](https://github.com/Joshua-Pearson/DoctorSearch), [github.com/Joshua-Pearson/DoctorAPI](https://github.com/Joshua-Pearson/DoctorAPI)

- Created a web app entirely in Angular and Node that allows anyone to search for a doctor in the San Francisco area based on what health insurance they accept. The app is based off of Covered California, the new health care marketplace for California, part of the new Affordable Health Care Act. The app plots each doctor on a map based on different search criteria, including optional searches for name, specialty or medical group. The list of doctors is acquired by making a call to an API that I also built in order to make this application. Google maps is used for the map and Yelp's API is also used to get reviews on each doctor if they exist. If reviews do not exist, each map marker can automatically make a google search for any relevant information.

DoctorStats <https://doctorstats.herokuapp.com>, [github.com/Joshua-Pearson/DoctorAPI](https://github.com/Joshua-Pearson/DoctorAPI)

- Built my own API that uses Watir, a Ruby gem to scrape data from each of the major insurance company's web directories. The API is scheduled to update every month so that the database stays up to date. The API is hosted on Heroku and is available for anybody to use.

FlightShare <https://flightshare.herokuapp.com>, [https://github.com/Joshua-Pearson/Flight\\_App](https://github.com/Joshua-Pearson/Flight_App)

- Created an app that makes it easy for people to share flight information with anybody they choose. It also checks flights on an hourly basis and will inform the user if a flight will be delayed for any reason. Built entirely with Ruby on Rails using Flightstats API and Twilio API.

## Technical Education

**Web Development Immersive Program**, General Assembly

3/2014 - 7/2014

- Joined and excelled at a three-month immersive program designed to instill a productive full-stack web development skillset.
- Pursued other technical knowledge and skills outside of the course -- notably AngularJS, Meteor and API-building.
- Built a final project that was voted best in the class, while also being a project I strongly believe in.

## Employment History

**Freelance Web Developer**

7/2014 - present

- Working on contract developing beautiful and responsive websites using mainly javascript, HTML 5 and CSS 3.

**Operations Manager**, I I I Minna Gallery

11/2012 - 4/2014

- Was responsible for overseeing the operations of one of the oldest and most respected art gallery/event spaces in San Francisco. I I I Minna Gallery has been a San Francisco staple for over 20 years. My job responsibilities included FOH hiring, FOH scheduling, event planning, event organizing and event logistics for some of the biggest companies in technology including Microsoft, Facebook, Google, Oracle, Ubisoft, Intel, Evernote and Kabam.

**General Manager**, Mission Beach Cafe

12/2010 - 11/2012

- Was responsible for operations, hiring and training for one of the best restaurants in San Francisco. During the two years I worked the sales increased by 20% and the restaurant became one of the best brunch spots in the city.

**Assistant Paralegal**, Archer Norris Law Firm

5/2010 - 12/2010

**Intern**, Orrick Law Firm

6/2009 - 5/2010

## Education

**B.A., Double Major Criminal Justice / Philosophy** - Sacramento State University, Sacramento, CA  
- Southern Oregon University, Ashland, OR

Graduated 6/2009