

# KRIS HOROWITZ

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From a background of copywriting, linguistics, and tech, I am quick, sharp, and dedicated.

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## EXPERIENCE

**JUNIOR DEVELOPER:** Betaworks (New York, NY), Jan. 2015 – present

Built tools in node.js for an in-house project with third party APIs as well as a dynamic intranet for Betaworks in Python with the framework Django. This included live files, a searchable company directory, and Gmail OAuth.

**STORYTELLING AND COMMUNITY:** Tapestry (New York, NY), 2013 – 2014

Ran all social media for the storytelling app Tapestry, oversaw customer service and outreach, curated the app content and wrote copy.

**CONTENT INTERN:** Tapestry (New York, NY), Jul. 2013 - Oct.

Created stories for the storytelling app Tapestry with a combination of basic HTML, CSS and Photoshop. Ran outreach to artists and educators.

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## EDUCATION

**BACHELOR OF ARTS:**

University of California, Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara, CA), 2009 – 2013

Double majored in Linguistics, emphasis Japanese and Theater with a minor in French. Overall GPA of 3.97 and on the Dean's List every semester.

**FRONT-END WEB CLASS:** Flatiron School (New York, NY) Feb. 2015 - Apr.

Completed a 10 week front-end web development course in which we covered HTML, CSS, JavaScript and Git.

**IMPROV 201:** Upright Citizen's Brigade, 2014

Completed the second level of improv at the Upright Citizen's Brigade.

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## PROJECTS & AWARDS

**BOOKIES:** WIP

Bookies is a web app built in Node.js and Three.js where a user can create a virtual book shelf, pulling book titles and covers from the Amazon API.

**CORWIN PLAYWRITING AWARD:** UC Santa Barbara, 2013

Won a school wide playwriting award for a one act play which was also my senior honors project.

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## SKILLS

**LANGUAGES (CODE):** Javascript, Python, Django, HTML, CSS, Node.js, and some Three.js.

**LANGUAGES (SPOKEN):** French, Japanese.

**WRITING:** Wrote bi-weekly series for [digg.com](http://digg.com) with average readership of ten thousand.

**FUN:** Human ranger in 5th edition Dungeons & Dragons, founding member of the Betaworks Minecraft server, fan of descriptive grammar, and did standup once and didn't totally fail.