SCOTT DONALDSON

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WORK

Jan. 2017 - present

Teaching + Research Assistant

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

 Provide design and writing feedback to students in Fundamentals of Computational Design; developed workshop on "drawing machine"

Oct. 2015 - Aug. 2016

JavaScript Developer

AccuWeather, Pittsburgh, PA

 Lead JavaScript and front-end developer for AccuWeather.com; worked with external design agency to redesign site and front-end architecture

Sep. 2014 - May 2015

Creative Technologist

Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation, Columbia University, New York, NY

 Developed digital tools for architecture students to improve workflow; provided website training

Mar. 2013 - Aug. 2014

Front-end Web Developer

Democratic National Committee, Washington, DC and New York, NY

 Lead front-end developer for DNC website democrats.org; developed several microsites around online organizing; created suite of digital tools for online fundraising and design teams

EDUCATION

Sep. 2016 - present

Carnegie Mellon University

M.S., Computational Design (expected completion Dec. 2017)

 Master's thesis on computational thinking in architecture and design

Sep. 2014 - May 2015

Columbia University Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation

M.Arch candidate

Sep. 2006 - Jun. 2010

Carleton College

B.A., Studio Art, magna cum laude

SKILLS/TECHNOLOGY

- Web development (front-end, back-end, design)
- Languages: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, PHP, Python, C++
- Data visualization
- Unix/Unix-like systems