# Robert Rodriguez

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## Summary

I am a self taught, and highly motivated Front End Developer beginning my journey into full time development. I have experience in designing engaging web-based products for both Desktop and Mobile platforms. I have strong problem-solving skills and an ability to communicate design ideas and the specifics of a user-centric design process. I have experience collaborating with product development professionals to understand business objectives and user needs, and iteratively refining designs based on feedback. I understand the opportunities and constraints of multiple platforms and have a working knowledge of HTML/CSS and JavaScript, with expertise in Adobe products.

## Education

Bachelor's in English Literature and Language
**California State Polytechnic University, Pomona**

## Professional Experience

Freelance                                                                                    Atlanta, GA
**Freelance Web Developer**                                        December 2022 - Present
*I have helped solve issues in design and usability for various clients. I have contributed to multiple open source projects across GitHub, and I am fully capable of working remote, and independently while being diligent. I have built websites from scratch, hand coding all of the design elements. Experienced working in an agile environment.*

Quest Search Group                                                                 Atlanta, GA
**Business Development Representative**                      January 2023 - Present
*Specializing in Locum Tenens staffing, I was charged with developing new relationships with healthcare facilities and maintaining existing relationships.*

Hays                                                                                          Atlanta, GA
**Recruiting Consultant**                                                July 2021 - January 2023
*As a third party recruiting agency, Hays is tasked with finding exceptional talent for companies throughout the United States. I have been successful in finding talent throughout the country and developing a strong book of business specifically for the Atlanta area. Responsibilities included both recruiting candidates and Account Management for clients.*

Wise Guys Pro-Wash                                            Norcross, GA
**Outside Sales Representative**                   November 2020 - July  2021
*Establishing new customer relationships, maintaining existing relationships and processing sales paperwork. Maintained sales goals, while negotiating favorable service agreements with homeowners.*

Green Earth Pharmacy Inc.                                     Harbor City, CA
**Account Manager / Assistant Manager**         December 2018 -  September 2020
*Reported to the store manager, responsibilities included assisting with the daily operations, inventory management, and receiving all orders through METRC. Other responsibilities included conducting business to business sales agreements and processing all paperwork through our designated CRM.*

Trader Joe's                                                 Bixby Knolls, CA
**Crew Member / New Hire Trainer**                  August 2015 - January 2020
*Trained new employees, took lead on shift, and ordered dry/canned goods for the store. Responsibilities included cashier, restocking, and maintaining an accurate count for the food donation program.*

Terranea Resort                                              Palos Verdes, CA
**Restaurant Server**                                   April 2013 - January 2016
*Worked in the "Catalina Kitchen" fine dining restaurant on the resort, one of five restaurants on the property. Provided exceptional service to all guests including a comprehensive understanding of the food menu / pairings.*

## Additional Skills

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Strong problem-solving skills
Excellent communication and collaboration skills
Strong organizational skills
Comfortable presenting formally and informally
Understanding of the opportunities and constraints of multiple platforms (web, mobile, tablet)
Experience designing for both the Desktop & Mobile platform
Working knowledge of HTML/CSS and JavaScript
Capable of hand-coding (all of my projects were built with HTML and CSS)
Experience with Git, GitHub, Node JS and React JS
Bilingual: [Spanish]

**References:**
Available upon request