

RUSSELL SNYDER

WEB DEVELOPER & EDUCATOR



DATE OF BIRTH
12/11/1987 in USA

CITIZENSHIP
USA

FAMILY STATUS
married

VISA FOR GERMANY
unrestricted work
permit
until 16/01/2018

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LANGUAGES

English - Native
German CEFR: A2
Spanish CEFR: A2
French CEFR: A1

COMPUTER SKILLS

PROGRAMMING
HTML5, CSS3
Lisp, JavaScript
Less, SASS
Bootstrap
JSON, JQuery

EDUCATION

- Feb 2015-
May 2015 **English Teacher Training** Educom, Inlingua & Berlitz
Training on Educom's "Camp for Friends" Munich & Stuttgart
playing/teaching method
3-day training on the Inlingua teaching method
Intensive 2-week 'BIT' training on the Berlitz teaching method
- Dec 2014 **TEFL Certification** from ITTT Online Course
Completed a 120 hr certified course of teaching English (TEFL)
- Sep 2013-
Aug 2014 **MSc** Digital Composition Performance Edinburgh Uni, UK
Thesis: Circular Entrainment, featured on University website
<http://www.dcp.music.ed.ac.uk/alumni.php>
- Sep 2009-
Jun 2011 **BMus** McGill University Montreal, Canada
Specialized in Jazz Performance and Psychology
GPA - 3.72 (of 4.00)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Feb 2015 -
Current **English Trainer** Stuttgart, Deutschland
Lead English lessons for individuals and groups
 - Give "Content-based" English lessons to help clients achieve their English goals: russellsnyder.io/english/about
 - Work through various schools such as Inlingua, Educom, FOKUS, und Linguarama
 - Lessons occur in-house at various companies
- Aug 2014-
Current **Web Designer** Various Locations
Build and maintain websites for clients needs
 - You can see my web design portfolio hosted through my website here: RussellSnyder.io/webdesign
 - Built using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP and LESS
- Jan 2012-
Current **Independent Music Producer** CDLS Studios Various Locations
Record, arrange, mix, and perform with various artists, e.g.
 - ClaraLuani.com
 - lexandrian.bandcamp.com/
 - soundcloud.com/oldatlantic
 - soundcloud.com/deanfisher
 - soundcloud.com/russell-snyder
- Sep 2014-
Dec 2014
&
Dec 2012-
Jun 2013 **Montgomery County Public Schools** Rockville, Maryland, USA
Short and Long-Term Substitute Teacher
 - Replaced teachers in case of illness or vacation
 - Educated children ages 5-18
 - Attended staff development sessions
 - Helped conceptualize and execute long term education plans
 - Taught private and group lessons to bass & trumpet students
 - Assisted group instrument rehearsals, e.g. low brass

AJAX, PHP
Python, JSNode
Latex
OFFICE
Word
Excel
PowerPoint
Activstudio
MUSIC SOFTWARE
MaxMSP 5/6
mit Gen~ & Mira
Abelton Live 9
SuperCollider3
AudioSculpt
Logic Pro 9/10
Sibelius 7
CLM
Slippery Chicken

INTERESTS

Education, Travel
Psychology, Frisbee
Music Composition
Web Audio
Interaction Design
Linguistics
Coffee, Cooking
Astronomy, Gastronomy

Oct 2013-
Dec 2013

- Helped run after school jazz program

Fundraiser

University of Edinburgh Alumni Centre, UK

Raised money for the Alumni fund

- Contacted alumni to update their information
- Raised donations and awareness for the Edinburgh Fund

Dec 2012-
Jul 2013

Professional Musician

Washington D.C. Area & International

Performed with and organized various ensembles

- Bass and Trumpet player for Lex & Lian, Stuttgart, Germany
- Bass player for the rock band Chute
- Played jazz brunch at restaurant Taste, Olney, MD
- House Band at Dahlak restaurant, Washington, DC
- Spotlighter Theatre, Baltimore, MD: Show Review
- House Band in Timpanos, Rockville, MD

Oct 2011-
Dec 2012

Holland America Line Cruise Ships

Various Locations

Musician and Entertainer

- Played bass for the ship orchestra of the MS Nieuw Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Westerdam
- Performed in musical productions in the show room at sea
- Accompanied guest entertainers on the bass
- Assisted as an emergency traffic director and helped execute passenger safety drills

AWARDS

2006 & 2007

Dean's List

Eastman School of Music, Rochester NY

Awarded to the highest performers in the class

2006

Outstanding Achievement

Sherwood High School, MD, USA

Recognition for contributions to the music community

2006

AP Scholar with Honors Award

Maryland State School Board

Awarded to the highest performers in advance placement classes

REFERENCES

Professional

Frankfurt, Germany

Wolfgang Thomas

- Freelance Artist and Educator
- I designed and programmed his website WolfgangThomas.com
- Phone: (+49) 177 412 7433
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- Fluent German and English

Academic

Edinburgh, UK

Michael Edwards

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- Fluent German and English