# SAHAN PITIGALA

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Personal Site

## ABOUT ME

I'm a Full Stack Web Developer with additional skills and experience in Marketing, Customer Service, and Business Development. I'm seeking a position as a Junior Developer at a company that equally values learning and shipping quality code.

#### </> SKILLS

▶ LANGUAGES: Ruby, Javascript, HTML, CSS

► FRAMEWORKS: Rails, Sinatra

▶ TESTING FRAMEWORKS: RSpec, Capybara, Jasmine

▶ DATABASE: PostgreSQL, MySQL, Active Record

▶ METHODOLOGIES: Object-Oriented Design, Test Driven Development, Agile Development

▶ VERSION CONTROL: Git, GitHub

▶ OTHER SOFTWARE: After Effects, InDesign, Photoshop, Final Cut Pro, Sony Vegas
 ▶ SOFT SKILLS: Engineering Empathy, Pair Programming, Team Leadership

# **▶** PROJECTS

### **smartSOS**

Role: Team Lead, Developer

· Created a platform for non-profit organizations and donors to improve supply allocation and communication.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## ● DEV BOOTCAMP - NYC

Coach - July 2014 - Present

· Assist students with their learning goals by providing mentoring/pairing sessions, reviewing code and organizing lectures

#### HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION - NYC

Job Opportunity Specialist - Aug 2009 - March 2014

- · Conducted interviews for public assistance programs and made referrals to employment programs
- · Reduced customer complaints and eliminated backlog of applicant requests in the Homebound Client Unit
- Managed a database of client records

### SKILLSHARE - NYC

Community Ambassador - Feb 2012 - April 2013

- · Assisted with the company's mission of creating an online community for education
- Designed CardboardClass.com to assist teachers with finding venues
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Provided feedback on new features to the product development team

### SB CLICK - NYC

Business Development Manager - July 2010 - Sep 2011

- · Managed all operations for SB Click's location-based mobile marketing platform in Staten Island, New York
- $\bullet \ \ \text{Networked with business owners, managed social media channels, and established partnerships}$
- Educated clients on how the product can benefit their bottom line and facilitated hands-on training

#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICES/LEADERSHIP

#### SIGMA BETA RHO FRATERNITY, INC - NYC

National VP of Marketing - Aug 2009 - July 2011

- Implemented marketing initiatives for over 45 chapters
- · Aided in expansion in to 9 additional schools
- Increased recruitment at existing chapters
- Raised over \$25,000 for the National Philanthropy

#### **♦** SOCIAL CHORUS (FORMERLY YOUCAST) - NYC

Marketing Intern - June 2009 - Aug 2009

 Assisted with marketing projects for GE, Triaminic, H&R Block, NBC, CBS, and Samsung

# **EDUCATION**

## » DEV BOOTCAMP - NYC

Full Stack Web Development - Completed: June 2014

Completed 12 weeks of self-guided preparatory work and an additional 12 weeks of full-time immersive learning on-site.

### >> STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY - NYC

Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology - Completed; August 2008