

Vince Vahala

MOUNTAINEER WITH A WEB DEVELOPMENT PROBLEM

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EXPERIENCE

Spoilers! of 429 Productions, Podcast — Producer & Host

NOVEMBER 2015 - PRESENT

Welcome to Spoilers! ruining cinema one movie at a time. Developed Front-end responsive website with HTML5, CSS, AngularJS, and Bootstrap. Produce weekly episodes reviewing current Box Office Hits as well as cinematic classics with 3 other Film Enthusiasts. Publish tracks to iTunes and Soundcloud. Maintain Twitter, Gmail, and Reddit accounts. Engage outside podcast hosts of other shows and set up episodes with guests.

Colorado Insurance, Denver, CO — Assistant Marketing Director

JUNE 2015 - NOVEMBER 2015

Focused on business development through generating home and auto insurance leads for a team of 25+ insurance agents. Managed the marketing team's email account, being the direct point of contact for all referral and insurance requests, referral partner relationship management, and general marketing inquiries. Produced monthly newsletters containing updates in the mortgage and real estate industries. Emphasized being a valuable resource for professionals in the mortgage, real estate, and financial industry through organizing and conducting continual education courses as a value added benefit of working with Colorado Insurance.

Brooksource IT Staffing, Denver, CO — Technical Recruiter

SEPTEMBER 2014 - MARCH 2015

Executed the full recruiting lifecycle for Technical Positions ranging from IT Helpdesk, Front-end Developers, Network Architects, and more. Worked directly with hiring managers to gather and qualify requirements. Researched and networked with IT professionals to source the highest quality of resources. Screened candidates over the phone, video interviews, and in-person interviews to best represent the top candidates to the hiring managers. Built relationships with contractors and clients to ensure the utmost service and satisfaction.

SKILLS

JavaScript
HTML5
CSS
Bootstrap
Materialize/Material Design
AngularJS
jQuery
Node.js
Express
PostgreSQL

Activities / Experiences

Studied Abroad: Barcelona, Spain

Studied the "Barcelona Model" of city planning/development and produced a report on the recycling program in Barcelona.

Denver Community Involvement

Wish for Wheels Volunteer:
working with elementary kids building new bikes as a teamwork initiative, ultimately providing new bikes for kids who may not otherwise been able to afford one.

Play Mile High Intramurals:
Flag-Football, Bowling, Dodgeball, Volleyball, Kickball, and Skee-ball

EDUCATION

Galvanize, Denver, CO — Web Development

April 2016 - October 2016

Galvanize's Web Development Program is a 24-week course rooted in the NEAP stack (Node / Express / Angular / PostgreSQL), covering languages, frameworks, and computer science fundamentals needed to successfully begin a career in web development. Over 1,000+ hours of coursework.

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN — Management/Marketing

August 2009 - July 2013

Bachelor of Science in Public Affairs: Management Major
Kelley School of Business: Marketing Minor

Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Catalonia

Summer 2012

Study Abroad Program with IU's School of Public and Environmental Affairs. 12 credits towards degree.

PROJECTS

Snippetto — Group Project at Galvanize

Your daily dosage of news, entertainment, and planning.

Built using JavaScript, AngularJS, Node.js, Express, Knex.js, PostgreSQL, and Bootstrap within a team of me and 3 other classmates for our 2nd Quarter team project.

Spoilers! — Film and Entertainment Podcast

Side Project with close friends. Producing and publishing a podcast feature film and entertainment reviews.

Indiana University Alumni Association – Colorado Chapter:
Participating in several community outreach engagements, Alumni get-togethers, Professional Networking Events (Mile High Young Professionals), The Crossing Volunteer days, Children's Hospital Halloween Party, Coors Field Promotional volunteers, and much more.

Personal Attributes

Organized, Motivated, Dependable, Confident, and possesses strong Leadership, Planning, and Decision-Making skills.