

# Taylor Wright-Sanson

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## Summary:

I am an iOS Developer and Designer responsible for multiple apps in the App Store. I'm passionate about creating things that work well and look beautiful. I am looking for iOS Developer positions in Boston, MA.

## Education:

**Wheaton College** Norton, MA

09/2010 - 05/2013

B.A. Computer Science and Interface Design (completed a four-year degree in three years)

Honors: Dean's List, Wheaton College Balfour Scholarship, Rotary Club Scholarship, Best Buy Community Service Scholarship, GPA: 3.47

**École Rudolf Steiner de Lausanne**, Lausanne, Switzerland 2009

**Mobile Makers Academy**, Chicago, IL

09/2014 - 11/2014

Mobile Makers is a full-time, 8-week intensive iOS development course that covered Objective-C, Core Data, Delegation, Agile Development, Parse, Git, Xcode, paired programming and many of Apple's fundamental frameworks

- Completed more than 500 hours of study during the Mobile Makers course
- Developed more than 30 small apps

## Technical Skills:

**iOS Development in iOS 8 & 9:** Swift, Objective-C, Xcode, AVFoundation, Core Data, Core Animation, Core Image, Core Location...

**Web Technologies:** RESTful Interfaces, JSON, HTML, CSS

**Cloud Services:** Instagram API, Facebook and Twitter Social SDKs, YouTube & MeetUps APIs, Parse Framework(RIP)...

**Source Control:** Git, GitHub

**Methodologies:** Agile, Scrum, Pair Programming

**Design Patterns:** Delegation, Model View Controller, Grand Central Dispatch, Singletons

**Applications:** Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Final Cut Pro, Premiere Pro, After Effects, Sketch, Reveal

**Other Programming Languages:** Python, Javascript, Java

## Work Experience:

**Lead iOS Developer**, Kaymbu, Boston, MA - [kaymbu.com](http://kaymbu.com)

01/2015 - Present

I am the iOS Department at Kaymbu.

- I rewrote Kaymbu's main iPad app from the ground up. I improved the camera capture speed over 5x, increased the quality of photos and videos users can take, and filled the app with many other improvements from backend enhancements to front end animations. The Kaymbu app is used by teachers to capture moments throughout their day. Teachers tag students, add comments and more, before scheduling and sending a weekly digest to the parents.
- I created the universal app, Daily Note. An app where teachers capture their student's daily activities and email them easily to parents. Daily Note supports multiple logins and syncing across devices, as well as student sync from the Kaymbu App.

**Download:** [appstore.com/kaymbu/dailynotebykaymbu](http://appstore.com/kaymbu/dailynotebykaymbu)

**Circus Smirkus Performer**, New England

06/2006 - 08/2010

Performed over 375 two-hour shows for over 190,000 people. Expert Unicyclist and Rola Bola artist. See [taylorwrightsanson.com/videos](http://taylorwrightsanson.com/videos) **Gold Medal:** OUI (Ottawa Unicycle Invasion) Trials Champion - Expert division

## Personal Projects:

**The Smirkus App - iPhone & iPad app:** Features: The current tour schedule, directions to all shows, calendar reminders, a media feed using Instagram & YouTube APIs, and more.

**Download:** [appstore.com/circussmirkus](http://appstore.com/circussmirkus)

**Alien Digest - iPhone app:** Yahoo News Digest for Reddit. Pick from the trending subreddits or choose your own to create your bi-daily, reddit digest. Built with Richmond Watkins and Chris Ruggles.

**Download:** [appstore.com/aliendigest](http://appstore.com/aliendigest)

**Pocket Memos - iPhone app:** An intuitive, easy to use voice recording app. Record in different formats, upload to dropbox and email recordings.

**Download:** [appstore.com/pocketmemos](http://appstore.com/pocketmemos)

**Tic Tac Toe - iPhone app:** A tic tac toe app with basic AI. This was our first weekend project at Mobile Makers.

[github.com/Xeaza/TicTacToe](https://github.com/Xeaza/TicTacToe)

**Website - [taylorwrightsanson.com](http://taylorwrightsanson.com):** This is my playground to learn all things web as well as a place to highlight some of my interests, skills and projects. I create my website with HTML, CSS and Javascript.

**Visit my github for my other projects:** [github.com/Xeaza](https://github.com/Xeaza)

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## Work Experience Continued:

**High School Guest Teacher**, Waldorf School of Saratoga Springs, NY 11/2013 - 04/2014

Taught Visual Design and Computer Programming. Responsible for all aspects of teaching including curriculum development, classroom management, material and supply ordering and student grade reports.

**Tech Support Manager**, Wheaton College, Norton, MA 09/2010 - 05/2013

Managed all student techs for each shift, supporting Windows XP, 7, 8, Mac OSX 10.6+, printer, mobile device and network issues

## Additional Qualifications:

**Language: French** - Limited Working Proficiency