Alexander Akagi

WORK

JANUARY 2015 – PRESENT
Full-Stack Engineer - San Francisco / Remote

Contract Developer

- Most recently built **Figs**, a cross-currency IOU tracker
- Most projects use **React**, **Typescript**, **Styled-Components**, **Next.js** (SSR), **Node.js**, and **Postgres**

JUNE 2016 – DECEMBER 2017
Full-Stack Engineer - Mountain View

GentleBirth

- GentleBirth is a mindfulness course for pregnant women, with an accompanying mobile app
- Built **gentlebirth.com** (React & Node)
- Assisted in building the **React Native** app

JUNE 2015 – AUGUST 2015
Growth & Development Intern - New York

VaynerMedia / VaynerPublishing

- VaynerPublishing builds online media presences for fortune 500 clients
- Helped build a **CMS** using **Keystone.js**
- Ported an old wordpress database to **Mongo**
- Built a link redirector to keep track of **analytics** to preserve **social data**
- Ran thousands of dollars in **ad spends on Pinterest and Facebook**

SEPTEMBER 2014 – APRIL 2015
Co-Founder - West Lafayette, Indiana

Vivaldi Education

- Vivaldi was a classroom management system for practice-based learning, targeted towards music classes.
- **Lead a team of 3** to build out the product
- Used by the **top three high school orchestras** in Indiana
- Built with **Meteor.js**
- Sold my stake in company to co-founder

MAY 2014 – AUGUST 2014
Software Intern - Carmel, Indiana

Luther Consulting

- Luther Consulting builds SaaS for government health organizations, such as the CDC, to aggregate and store data
- Built a data quality assurance web app which flagged potentially inconsistent or conflicting data fields so that admins could verify or fix the fields.

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SOFTWARE & MISC SKILLS

PRIMARY	React, Styled-Components, Apollo/GraphQL or REST, Express/Koa, Node, Postgres/Mongo
SECONDARY	Python Scripting, Swift/iOS
OTHER	Data-Driven Ads, Product Management, Fluent in Japanese
HOBBIES	Viola, Soccer, Excursions, Long Walks on the Beach

PROJECTS

2019	**Akagi.co** github.com/aakagi/akagi-website *My personal website*
2018	**CryptoPing** github.com/aakagi/cryptoping *Cryptocurrency Address Watch Service (unfinished)*
2018	**Figs** **Private Repo – Client Project** *Cross-currency IOU tracker*
2017	**GentleBirth Website** gentlebirth.com *Website I built at GentleBirth*
2015	**HackTheHunt** github.com/aakagi/hackthehunt *"Best Reverse Engineering Hack" - Hack The North*
2015	**Capture** github.com/grant/capture *"Best Use of GunDB" - TreeHacks*
2014	**Uber Share** github.com/jiggoha /sharearidewithme *"Best Money Hack" - HackMIT*
2014	**BoilerMake II** boilermake.org *Organizing member of Purdues 500+ person hackathon*
2014	**Purdue Entrepreneurship Club** *Co-ran club & The Anvil coworking*
2013	**BowlBouncer** Awa Games *iOS game w/ 1000+ downloads in first month*