

Abel Watson

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Objective:

Determined and creative Web Developer looking to utilize eagerness to learn, passion for coding, and problem solving to transition from design to development in the tech industry.

Education:

- **Eleven Fifty Academy, Web Development Immersive Learning Program, Indianapolis, IN, March '21- October '21**
 - 24-week immersive learning program for Web Development taught with industry-guided curriculum, real-world project-based learning, and currently logging 500+ hours of coding time and training
- **University of Indianapolis, General Studies with Theatre Education, Indianapolis, IN, August '11-March '14**
 - Significant course work
 - Vice President of the Student Government '14
 - Campus Program Board, Chairman(Program Lead) '13
 - Pep Band '11 – '14

Competencies & Functional Skills:

Problem solving, troubleshooting, creativity, visual communication, customer service, critical observation and thinking, organization, Agile methodology, portfolio development, addressing and resolving business challenges

Technical Skills:

Languages: JavaScript, Node.JS, React, Heroku & Firebase deployment, TypeScript deployment

CI/CD: Git/Agile/Scrum

Databases: SQL Server

Web Technologies: HTML, CSS, APIs, stateless components, session validation, responsive web design

Technical Projects:

- **Adventure Awaits(DnD Character Creator website <https://adventurewaits.herokuapp.com/>)**
 - Utilized React, HTML 5, CSS 3, and Bootstrap 4 to create a application in which you can create a login and characters for your DnD creations to keep track and update your exploration and notes on sessions.
- **Currency Exchange website <https://abel-currency-rates.web.app/>**
 - Utilized HTML 5, CSS 3, Bootstrap 4, and JavaScript to create a website in which you can find information about select currency rates.
- **Pokémon Search App <https://abel-pokemon-api.firebaseio.com/>**
 - Utilized PokéAPI, HTML 5, CSS 3, and JavaScript to create a Pokémon search app in which you can find information about a specific Pokemon

Experience:

Barista – Supervisor - Assistant Store Manager - Supervisor, Starbucks, IN, May 2015 – Current

Duties: Leading a team of store partners to create and maintain the Starbucks Experience for our customers and partners.

- Required to regularly and customarily exercise discretion in managing the overall operation of the store.
- Supervising and directing the workforce, making staffing decisions (i.e., hiring, training, evaluating, disciplining, discharging, staffing and scheduling).
- Ensuring customer satisfaction and product quality, managing the store's financial performance, and managing safety and security within the store.
- Responsible for modeling and acting in accordance with Starbucks guiding principles

Film Crew - Booth Tech - Supervisor, AMC Theatres, IN, 2010-2015

Duties: Ensured delivery of the best possible out-of-home experience.

- Assisted Managers with floor operations.
- Resolved guest questions, issues, and concerns.
- Effectively coached Film Crew to achieve results.
- Pulled and counted cash, cash equivalents, and coupons.