Ashley Ellis Pierce

Open Source



Brady

Creator/Maintainer

An elixir library for utility template helpers for use within Phoenix applications



Dummy

Creator/Maintainer

Dummy is inteded to help when design gets ahead of development. It makes it clear what elements on the page are "dummy" info (i.e. still need to be implemented on the backend) by making them visibly different from other elements on the page.



Active Merchant Contributor

Top 10 contributor on this popular open source library for handling payments

Speaking

Panel - Women In Tech in the Triangle

Refresh the Triangle

Co-panelists: Sandi Metz, Carol Vercillino, Sarah Khan

Intro to the Ruby VM Iron Yard Alumni Presentation Interactive

Community

Lead Organizer RailsBridge Triangle

Manage the process of developing quarterly free classes to help women and minorities learn Rails

Volunteer Hour of Code/Black Girls Code Help kids in the community learn to code.



Experience

Developer thoughtbot, Raleigh, NC

Mar 16-Current

- Shipped code on client projects using an agile and TDD approach
- Contributed to and created several open source libraries in Elixir and Javascript
- Built out a Rails API serving an iOS client side application as part of the continued growth of an existing social media web application. This was done strictly following Sandi Metz's Rules for object oriented development
- Built the web application for an Elixir/Phoenix ChatOps system,
- Integrated with numerous third party APIs for a Rails restaurant ordering application.

Jr Software Engineer Spreedly, Durham, NC

Mar 15- Mar 16

- Developed Spreedly's first Elixir/Phoenix project, an internal web application for investigating customers accounts and transaction history for support requests.
- Integrated with numerous third-party payments APIs
- Built out a completely new JSON API for Spreedly Core as an alternative to the existing XML API



Education

The Iron Yard Academy Rails Engineering

University of North Carolina Latin American Studies

Jan- Mar 2015

2008-2012



Skills

Ruby	Elxir	Javascript
Rails	Phoenix	TDD