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Thomas R. Hallock

MOTIVATION

Turning ideas into reality through code and technology appeals to me. I am proud to be part of a thriving community of software engineers that does this for a living.

RECENTLY

I have contributed to open source projects, including:

- NPM
- Jest
- react-toolbox
- backbone-collection

I have published over 20 open source projects, including:

- npm-build-cache: a shared module cache that gives a tremendous speed boost for rebuilds and dev teams.
- mimic-webpack: apply your Webpack config to node's runtime
- b3nd: knockout-style bindings for Backbone views
- template-view: quick and easy templates for your Backbone views

I've used these languages:

JavaScript, Bašh, Groovy, Haskell, SQL, Python, C++, Java, Zsh, and PHP.

I've used these APIs and frameworks:

Express, React, JSS, Relay, Grails, Backbone, Underscore, ExtJs, Knockout.js, MathJax, node.js, and Codelgniter.

My Preferred languages, tools, and frameworks:

- Source control: git
- Dependency management: yarn
- Bundling: Webpack for apps, rollup.js for packages
- Testing: Mocha or Jest, depending on the project
- Client-side: React + Redux + Relay + GraphQL

EDUCATION

B.S. Computer Science

University of Texas at Austin

Relevant courses: Compilers, Operating Systems, OOP, Abstract Data Types, Digital Logic Design, Computer Architecture, Automata Theory, Neural Networks, Artificial Intelligence, Computer Graphics.

EXPERIENCE

Sr. Software Engineer

2017 - 2019

Providence Health and Services Digital Innovation Group *providence-digitalinnovation.jobs / odhp.provinnovate.com*

- Designed and implemented a web application for patients to upload and OCR pictures of their insurance card as they schedule an appointment with low-acuity clinics.
- Sr. Engineer on a 5 person team that built a universal React application for scheduling lowacuity appointments at clinics, as well as online virtual visits with NPs.
- Championed the case for feature-flag-based slow roll-outs to management, and implemented a
 redux adapter for using feature flags in React-redux applications. All new features at
 Providence are now rolled out using this system.
- Implemented an i18n strategy for React applications that has been adopted across the organization.
- Introduced package-based development as a way for multiple teams to leverage each other's work.
- Triaged any production-level issues that affected patients, as a member of a rotating on-call team.

Sr. Front End Developer

2014 - 2016

1stdibs.com

- Created and launched MessageCenter, a web email system for communication and commerce between customers and dealers on 1stdibs.com.
- Introduced development team to best practices for source control with git.
- Encouraged test-oriented development by giving a presentation on how to write BDD tests within the existing codebase and exposed current test coverage through front-end coverage reports.
- Organized front-end codebase into self-contained view components.

Sr. Front End Developer

2012 - 2013

LearningPod, Inc. (The Washington Post Company)

Architected a set of front-end modules to create a rich user experience for educators, students,

and developers.

- Built a rich text editor for authoring math content for a new learning management system. Used contenteditable and MathJax on top of a Groovy + Grails stack.
- Created a suite of automated front-end tests using WebDriver and the Grails functional test harness.

Sr. Web Application Developer

2010 - 2012

Roubini Global Economics

- Wrote a forum system from scratch that remains in use at the company.
- Designed multiple internal web-based single-page business applications using ExtJS
- Developed interactive widgets using JavaScript.
- Launched and maintained Economonitor.com using WordPress Multisite and a set of custom plug-ins.
- Release manager for production code pushes. Used Trac, Subversion, and a bit of scripting.

Founder and president - eBay consignment drop-off store The Sellery

2004 - 2011

- Developed a web application in PHP to manage eBay sales, inventory, CRM, and invoicing for 400+ consignors.
- Bootstrapped business from single person into a coordinated group of skilled and motivated workers.

Systems designer and programmer at Black Enterprise - Interactive Department	2009 - 2010
Freelance PHP consultant and project manager	2009 - 2010
Domain Name Support Manager and Technology Liaison at Trilogy Software	2007 - 2009
Systems Administrator at Medicus Insurance Company	2007 - 2008
Technical support and QA at Aspyr Media	2001 - 2003
Programmer at UT Austin Physics Department - C / LaTeX homework and test system	2000 - 2001

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES & HOBBIES TEALS: Volunteer Teacher for AP Computer science

Taught AP computer science in Java at a New York City public high school. 2014 - 2015

University of Texas Cycling Sports Club Webmaster, Nationals Team Leader, and Track Team President 2001 - 2003

Just for fun: Retired Cat 1 Road Racer, Sailing, Hang Gliding, Hiking, Snow Skiing