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# Matthew Curtis

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## Technical Skills

### Expertise In:

HTML5/CSS3  
JavaScript/ES6+  
Node.js, Express.js  
MySQL  
RESTful APIs and services

### Experience with:

iOS, Android Development  
MongoDB  
Elastic Search  
Redis  
PHP  
C#, VB.NET

### Development Frameworks:

Vue.js, Angular  
Symfony / Silex  
Backbone.js / Underscore.js  
Ionic / Cordova

## Recent Experience

**Open-Xchange**                      Palo Alto, CA (Remote)                      March 2015 - Present  
**Director, Professional Services - Americas**

- ◆ Built US-based team to compliment the custom development team in Europe
- ◆ Manage two remote development teams with weekly scrum meetings, one-on-one manager discussions, annual reviews, reporting to senior management
- ◆ Participate in pre-sales and post-sales meetings/workshops for requirements gathering, deployment, and account management
- ◆ Work closely with Project Management to coordinate resource allocation, effort estimation, planning, and project post-mortems
- ◆ Coordinate package releases with the Release Team; Integrating documentation, release notes, and customer-specific settings
- ◆ Consult customers on product installation and configuration, as well as customization options
- ◆ Develop custom UI and authentication schemes for [OX App Suite](#) per customer and installation

**BrainRush**                      Los Angeles, CA (Remote)                      November 2012 - November 2014  
**Senior Software Engineer**

- ◆ First programmer hired to develop <http://www.brainrush.com>, educational games written in HTML5
- ◆ Created site, games, and content creation tools using Symfony2, Twitter Bootstrap 3, jQuery, Backbone.js, MySQL, MongoDB, Elastic Search

**Dell Software Group (Kace)**      Mountain View, CA (Remote)                      May 2011 - November 2012  
**Senior Software Developer**

- ◆ Second developer hired on team to create <http://www.itninja.com>
- ◆ Created site using Symfony2, jQuery, Elastic Search, Redis, and Node.JS. Site includes gamification, rating system, full-text search, internal messaging system
- ◆ Created tag system using Node.JS and Redis for fast auto-complete and association

# Other Experience

## AOL

Member of the Online Marketing team, where we created product up-sell microsites and registration flows. This included full A/B testing, rapid deployment, and a data-driven iterative approach to serve the entire customer base.

## The Motley Fool (fool.com)

Created *foolmart*, the online store for customers to purchase physical and digital goods, which reached millions of users and was a significant revenue contributor.

## Smithsonian Institution

Built the new homepage at si.edu to allow non-technical users to manage content and apply consistent designs across sections of the site.

# Education

James Madison University	Harrisonburg, VA	1994 - 1998
B.S., Integrated Science and Technology		

- ◆ Dual Concentration in:
    - Information and Knowledge Management
    - The Environment
  - ◆ Minor in Computer Science
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