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experience

**Appallicious** Software Engineer / Designer

San Francisco, CA October 2014 - Present

• Full-stack development for all web applications

- Excelled in rapid application development and management of technological issues for assigned projects
- Lead designer for web projects

Incube

São Paulo Brazil

October 2013 - February 2014

### Junior Ruby on Rails Developer

Developed and maintained company timesheet

- Fixed and maintained backend for payment procedures of one of the smartphone apps
- Implemented designs on various web projects

General Assembly

New York, NY

## Web Development Immersive Student

- Learn about programming languages and apply them in a collaborative environment
- Develop a calculus learning app managed all stages, including concept, analysis, and testing
- Use what I learned to build responsive applications with concise and elegant logic
- Worked with students to develop academic confidence and self-sufficiency in the portuguese language

Sparks & Honey

New York, NY

May 2013 - August 2013

### Cultural Strategy/ Client Services Intern

September 2012 - January 2013

· Engage in inter-department collaboration to facilitate production of content directed to prospective clients

· Monitor and contextualize culture in areas of science, technology and art to apply to clients

#### Cineflix Studios

New York, NY

Production Intern

May 2011 - August 2011

- Assist producers in scouting prospective clients, and managing current businesses
- Research possible location strategies in over 12 States for the show "American Pickers"

## IPC World/Globo Internacional

Tokyo, Japan

May 2010 - August 2010

New York, NY

Summer 2007

La Paz. Bolivia

#### Television Department Intern

• Conduct interviews for the show "Planeta Brasil" in Tokyo metro area

• Researched current movies and movie trends (oscars, movie festivals) to present on air on show "Agenda +"

Front-End Web Development HTML, CSS, Javascript, jQuery, AJAX, Backbone

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skills

TDD, BDD, RSpec, Capybara, Cucumber

Design

Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Keynote

Video/Photography

Final Cut Pro, Darkroom and SLR photography, Super 8, Bolex and Pentax cameras

Management

Github, MS Office, Pivotal Tracker, Agile Methodology

Languages

English, Portuguese, Spanish

Web Development

**Problem Solving** 

Rock Climbing

Graphic Design

South America

Movies

Photography

Cooking

leadership activities

Fordham at Lincoln Center Movie Festival

Independent Filmmaker

· Directed, shot and edited a short film entitled "Bananafish"

Habitat for Humanity

Volunteer

· Volunteered to work alongside members of a host community in El Alto to build affordable houses for people in need

Unidad Educativa Erick Boulter

Volunteer

· Volunteer at a facility for hearing impared children

education

Fordham University

New York, NY Fordham College at Lincoln Center May 2012

Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics

Minor in Visual Arts with a concentration in Filmmaking

Columbia University

Summer Course in Business, Finance and Accounting

**American Cooperative School of La Paz** 

High School Diploma May 2008