# Ben Gibbons

## Software Engineer    Graphic Designer    Volunteer Lead

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## About Me:

I'm a highly motivated self-taught software engineer who works hard to make a difference in the world and build strong relationships with my peers and mentors.

I've been coding ever since I was seven years old and I have worked with a wide range of technology mediums through my work and my personal projects.

I'm also a skilled graphic designer and I've been working with Cinema4D ever since I was ten. I also love to volunteer and I try to help lead at least one volunteer event every week.

## Education:

Peralta Colleges, Berkeley, Oakland, Alameda, Merit, CA
Completed 53 semester units with 4.0 GPA.

## Projects:

- I've completed three sizable Xbox / Windows games using C# and the XNA framework.
- I've written a fully interactive webGL game and used it a platform for my resume.
- I've designed and built a complex web app prototype using Node.js, React, WebRTC, and socket.io
- I wrote the servers and mobile client for a massive multiplayer online war game for iOS and Android.

See my projects here: bgibbonsweb.github.io/projects

## Skills:

- Java, C#, C++, JavaScript, React, Node.js, WebGL, OpenGL, MongoDB, HLSL
- Graphic Design and 3D modeling
- Mobile App Design
- Full stack web development

## Work and Volunteering:

Software Engineer
Customer Engagement Team, Avid, Berkeley, CA
March 2015 to present.
- Working on a small team to deliver specialized feature requests for high profile customers.
-C++, Objective C, UI design, Node.JS, React.

Volunteer Project Leader
Hands On Bay Area, CA
May 2018 to present.

Intern Software Engineer
Customer Engagement Team, Avid, Berkeley, CA
May 2013 to March 2015.

Teaching Assistant, CIS 25: C++
CIS Department, Laney College, Oakland, CA
January to May 2013.

-Web administration and graphic design for various Berkeley nonprofits (3 year+ commitment completed)

-Graphic design and food service for YEAH homeless shelter.

-About 100 hours with Hands On Bay Area volunteering at various projects.

-Over 100 additional hours serving food at various non profits, shelters, and senior centers.