





# Ben Holland

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## Education

Fall 2015 – Spring 2020

### **BS in Computer Science**

**Kent State University**, Kent Ohio

GPA: 3.156

Fall 2011 – May 2015

**Highland High School**, Medina Ohio

## Work experience

Fall 2019 – Spring 2021

### **Independent contractor**

Built websites to suit client's needs using Affinity Designer, VueJS, and other technologies.

Fall 2018 – Spring 2021

### **Startup Stirfry** – **Designer and developer**

Worked on a variety of contract jobs, including design, marketing, and development.

Worked with several start-ups, designing app interfaces to their specification.

Spring 2017 – Spring 2019

### **Technologix** – **Developer**

Designed and developed web interfaces for tracking company data and tables at trade shows.

Used VueJS for the UI and, MongoDB and Python for the backend data management.

## Soft skills

### **Work ethic**

I am goal oriented and prefer to be kept busy.

### **Critical thinking**

I enjoy thinking problems and solutions through.

### **Teamwork**

I'm happy to work on a team or independently.

### **Attitude**

I'm a positive, flexible, and driven person.

## Volunteer experience

Spring 2016 – Spring 2020

### **Hacksu** – **Co-leader**

Part of the leadership team organizing and teaching weekly tech-related lessons, at Kent State University.

Our student-run organization taught a wide range of programming languages and frameworks.

Fall 2016 – Spring 2020

### **Kent Hack Enough** – **Organizer**

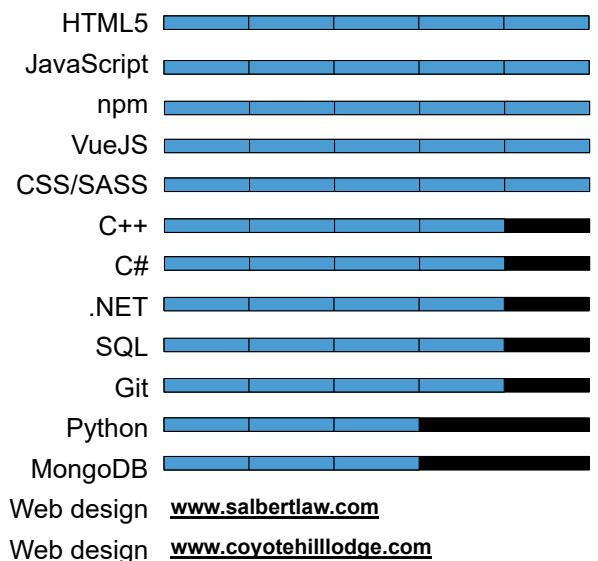
Part of the organizing team in charge of promotion, management, and mentoring for Kent State's weekend-long hackathon event.

Fall 2016 – Spring 2020

### **8 hackathons** – **Participant**

Collaborated on tech projects at hackathon events. Worked on teams to build a variety of tech projects.

## Programming skills



## Hobbies

Drums and guitar

Music writing

3d modeling and printing

Creative writing, especially scripts

Visual design, for games, UIs, & art