BRENT AHRENS

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I'm a front end developer eager to work in a demanding and dynamic role that compliments my passion for building responsive and functional websites and leverages my extensive experience working in teams.

TECH SKILLS

React | Vue | Javascript | CSS3 | SASS | CSS Grid | Flexbox | HTML5 | RESTful APIs | BEM | Git Hub
SEO | Wordpress | Squarespace | Google Analytics | Google Tag Manager | Wagtail

EXPERIENCE

Front End Web Developer, Atelier Ace   April 2019 – present

- Implement Javascript and CSS enhancements, bug tracking, SEO and Wagtail CMS updates to acehotel.com (11 properties + blog) as well as the sites for Ace's sibling properties Sister City and Maison De La Luz; these sites receive over 300,000 monthly visitors
- Build and manage 13 food and beverage websites on Squarespace using custom code and developer mode to help create a unique site identity within a CMS framework, working closely with the Design and Marketing teams
- Enhance site performance, experience and SEO across platforms through the use of Google Analytics and Google Tag Manager to track user statistics
- Create templates for Ace Hotel mailers sent to over 400,000 subscribers
- Work daily with ticketing systems Asana and Hive to manage workflow and ensure on-time delivery of all assets

Freelance Web Developer   2019 – present

- Work with clients across industries to develop custom sites to best represent their brand

Guest Service Agent, Ace Hotel   2012 – 2018

- Led a team of six agents at one of NYC top hotels, acting as liaison between the team and other departments and working with lead staff to implement best practices to enhance guest experience

Audio Engineer/Ops Manager, Chung King Studios   2006 – 2012

- Worked as Assistant Engineer at top NYC recording studio with artists including The Black Eyed Peas, Nas, and Lil Wayne troubleshooting technical issues and recalling mixes on Neve and SSL consoles

EDUCATION

General Assembly, Los Angeles, CA

- Completed 12 week (700+ hour) Immersive Web Development course focused on MERN stack technology