

## BRENT AHRENS

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I'm a passionate, self-motivated front end web developer who thrives in demanding and dynamic roles that leverage my affinity for cutting edge technology. Currently I work at Atelier Ace building and managing responsive and functional sites for an extensive web portfolio of top hotels, venues and restaurants. I am eager to continue to grow and learn in a creative and collaborative environment.

## TECH SKILLS

React | Vue | Javascript | CSS3 | SASS | SCSS | Flexbox | CSS Grid | HTML5 | Node.js | NPM | RESTful APIs | BEM | Git Hub | SEO | Wordpress | Squarespace | Wagtail | Google Analytics | Gatsby | Command Line | CRUD | Agile

## EXPERIENCE

### Front End Web Developer, Atelier Ace 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 2018 – present

- Work with clients across industries to create custom sites—both self-manageable by the clients and managed by myself or my team
- Collaborate with other developers and designers using Trello to implement an agile workflow and ensure on-time deliverables

## PROJECTS

### Freelance // Just For Fun

Mission Control Asset Protection Inc. – Custom site for LA based company that installs fire safety systems. // React, Gatsby, CSS3

DB Medical Supplies – Custom e-com site for Florida based company that buys back unused diabetic test strips. // Javascript, CSS3, HTML, Squarespace

Kick It – CRUD app for sneaker heads to upload and resell exclusive shoes. // Flask, Python3, React, CSS3, Postman

Opening Act – MERN stack CRUD app that allows musicians to search for fellow artist to collaborate with. // Express, Node, Mongoose

## EDUCATION

General Assembly, Los Angeles, CA

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

Other Courses Completed

Vue JS 2 - Vue, Vue Router, Vuex

Advanced CSS and SASS - Master Flexbox, CSS Grid, Responsive Design

Advanced Javascript course - JavaScript ES6+, OOP, AJAX, Webpack

Team Treehouse - Basic Javascript, HTML, CSS

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