Brooks Newberry

Open Source Projects

Polling Accessibility (March - April 2016)

Lead developer of a web application to deliver handicap accessibility information about polling places in Sacramento County. Won second prize at the Hack4Sac Competition.

- Converted and imported linked data into a relational database.
- Used Google Maps to query and display county polling places.
- Parsed building surveys and electoral roll to create easy-to-read accessibility stories which will enfranchise voters with disabilities.

NudgeSMS (October 2015)

Lead developer of an SMS-based service delivering energy-savings tips tailored for individual offices. Won second prize at the GreenGov Challenge.

• Integrated a service with the new California Open Data Portal to generate insights into state sustainability goals.

Work Experience

State of California Department of Technology (Sacramento, CA)

Innovation branch intern (May 2016 - Present)

- Developed client projects primarily using GIS and web technologies.
- Automated ArcMap and ArcGIS server to generate climate investment reports.
- Developed an internal geocoding utility based on OpenLayers and React.js.

Open Mobile Alliance (San Diego, CA)

Open Mobile Alliance (OMA) is a mobile standards development organization.

Developer for Change Request Documentation Site (August 2012 - December 2015)

- Communicated project requirements and managed deadlines with a remote development team.
- Reviewed code for consistency with best practices for extending Wordpress.
- Extended a Confluence wiki using client-side javascript.

Volunteer Experience

Code for Sacramento, a Code for America Brigade (Sacramento, CA)

Core Team Member (March 2016 - Present)

• Contributed code to development projects and participated in brigade guidance meetings.

YMCA of San Diego County (San Diego, CA)

Youth & Government Advisor (August 2013 - February 2015)

- Lead advisor for a group of 12 high school students in small groups and at large conferences.
- Instructed students in reading and writing model legislation and in public speaking.

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Career Objective

I'm excited for the opportunity to prepare maps and spatial analysis for environmental and planning projects using enterprise and open source GIS tools on desktop, server, and web environments. I am looking to start my career with a team that values collaboration and continuous learning.

Certifications

AWS Certified Developer - Associate

Technical Skills

ArcGIS	ENVI		Remote Sensing		
Python	R	Git		SQL	
HTML + CSS			JS	AWS	

Education

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science and Management (2017)

Concentration in Geospatial Information Science

University of California, Davis

Associate of Arts in Math and Science (2015)

MiraCosta College, San Diego, CA