GRAHAM BABBITT

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6+ years experience creating and improving consumer-facing websites.

38 Studios

Senior Front-End Developer 2011-2012

amalur.com, reckoning.amalur.com

- Implemented a redesign of amalur.com. This included building an interactive zooming map with custom jQuery plugins, configuring a drupal content store, and using a ruby-based static site generator to deploy packaged site builds.
- Participated in development activity leading up to the launch of Kingdoms of Amalur: Reckoning. Included integrating sites with Akamai's CDN to ensure the site remained responsive and functional while receiving 800k monthly unique visitors.

Gazelle

www.gazelle.com

Senior UI Developer 2009 - 2011 Front-End Web Developer 2008 - 2009

- Implementation and launch of a successful redesign of Gazelle's consumer electronics trade-in website. The project was built as a rails-based frontend that communicated with a REST API for product searching, trade-in price calculation, and checkout.
- Built a themeable frontend for the site's functionality. This was used to work with a number of companies like Walmart, Amazon, and eBay to launch and grow branded trade-in sites.
- Spearheaded the use of Ubuntu-based virtual machines for development. This ensured that sites were built against a standard environment and decreased the overhead of bringing new developers onto a project.

Freelance Work

2007-2008

- Built tweenparent.com, integrated the site with a CMS, and configured a LAMP server for its deployment.
- Developed a number of enhancements for Class Drive, a rails based online service that helps K-12 teachers plan curriculum and communicate with students.

Full Turn Media

Junior Software Engineer 2006 - 2007

- Participated in full life-cycle web development of a ruby on rails online storefront and back-end system for subscription DVD clubs, including the William Shatner DVD Club.
- Responsible for design and development of an administrative control panel for billing and shipping processes.

DEVELOPMENT

- HTML5/CSS3/Haml/Sass
- Javascript, CoffeeScript
- → jQuery, jQuery Mobile
- Ruby, Ruby on Rails
- MySQL
- Basic Linux Administration
- Social Network Integration
- Git, Subversion
- Drupal

DESIGN

- Responsive Layouts
- Mobile
- Progressive Enhancement
- Image Editing

ANALYSIS

- Google Analytics
- ▶ A/B and Multivariate Testing
- Search Engine Optimization
- Usability Testing

PLANNING

- Agile/Scrum
- Requirements Gathering
- Scoping and Estimation

EDUCATION

- Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts
- Graduated 2006
- BA in Mathematics
- Minor in Computer Science

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Objective-C, iOS Development
- Actionscript, Flex
- C, C++, Java, Python, PHP
- NodeIS, WebSocket
- Heroku, Amazon Web Services
- Wordpress