Why I'm excited about working at wbetter.

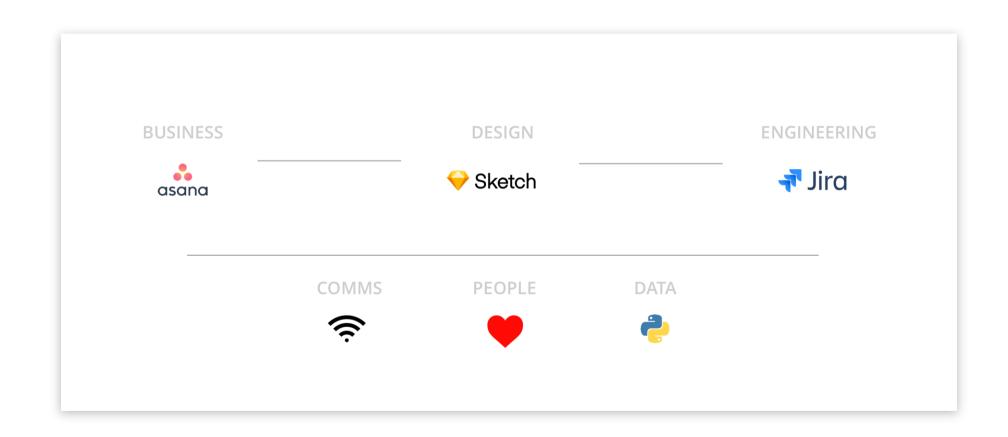
Cover presentations are way cooler than cover letters, right?

I'm interested in whether because I want to help build products through data that solve meaningful problems.



Homeownership was a core part of my childhood, and I want to make sure other people get that same privilege. I'm a PM with a Data Science background, which helps avoid situations like this ^

I think that product breaks down into three major categories, with three unifying principles. A great product manager understands them all.



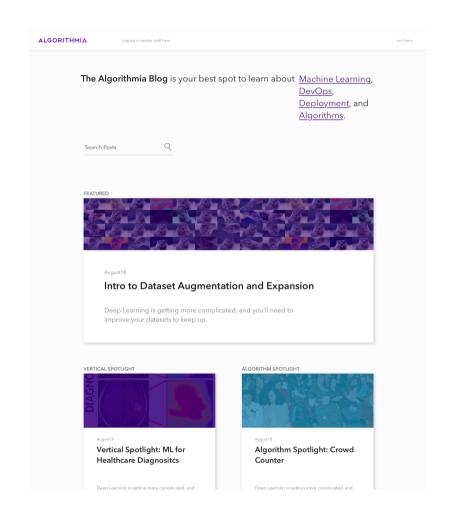
I'm a Data Scientist by training, but I make sure to respect the distance and autonomy that engineering needs.



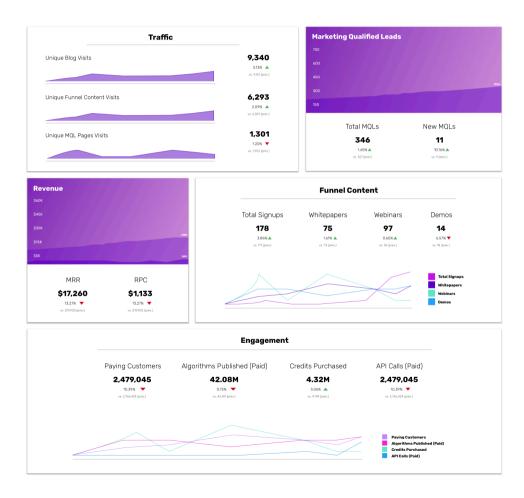
My Data Science background helps me think through problems in terms of data, and properly run and design product experiments. It also helps me develop meaningful empathy with engineers, which is a key part of being a great PM.

You might like my <u>"This is America" visualization</u> (D3), or my analysis of how flights get delayed (Python).

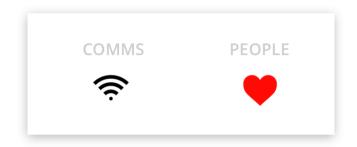
I'm a self taught designer (Sketch FTW!), and worked on a few different production designs while at Algorithmia.







I'm a frequent writer and communicator (both professionally and personally), and I think that's a key part of being a great PM.



I write A LOT (like too much) - for work, for pleasure, personally, in data explorations, you name it. Writing great documents and emails helps communicate and avoid mishaps down the road. It's part of being a great people person, which is part of being a great PM.

You can check out my blog here, or any of my technical posts here.

I'm excited about helping whetter build and improve awesome products.

- The concept of homeownership and why it's such a strong societal positive is simple, but the steps it takes to get there are not. They're very complicated.
- My broad goal as a PM at Better would be to make it as simple as possible for people to own homes without the often predatory, frustrating loan process holding them back.
- Reducing borrower confusion, improving our language, ensuring the borrowers are informed, and automating information exchange are awesome steps toward that.

Summary: why I'd be a good fit for whetter

I think great Product Management is about combining lots of disparate skills and communicating well. I've got the background to make that happen, and the empathy to communicate.

I think my combination of technical background, design focus, and affinity for writing can help me be a great PM at Better.

I'm really excited about getting the chance to meet you - you can reach me at gagejustins@gmail.com, or at 516-279-7371.