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**Hi, I'm Chris.** I just moved to San Francisco from Chicago, where I completed over 1,000 hours of coding at Dev Bootcamp, an intensive 9-week bootcamp for web developers. I learned the fundamentals of Ruby; databases and SQL; HTML, CSS, and JavaScript; Git; TDD; Sinatra; and Rails. I also became a whole lot better at working on teams, asking questions, and giving and receiving feedback. Now I'm looking for a new opportunity to keep learning and growing as a developer.

## SKILLS

- Ruby on Rails
- Sinatra
- Git
- JavaScript, jQuery
- CSS, Sass
- HTML
- Ruby
- RSpec
- Pair programming

## PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS

- [viagg.io](#) – Rails app for showcasing travel photos. 8-day group project. Primary responsibilities: Google Maps JavaScript API integration; front-end views (ERb, Sass).
- [raplaughs.com](#) – Rails app for playing and sharing clips of rappers laughing. 8-hour hackathon group project. Won hackathon top prize.
- [otterflow.herokuapp.com](#) – Rails app that mimics Stack Overflow. 5-day group project. Primary responsibilities: database design; front-end views (ERb, Sass).
- [friendsincommon.herokuapp.com](#) – Sinatra app for comparing your Twitter friends with other users'. 1-day solo project. Features OAuth sign-in and Ajax page updates.

## EXPERIENCE

**Contract Developer**, Hopeful Productions, Chicago, IL, August 2013 – September 2013

- Worked with designers to develop responsive front end for an e-commerce website
- Built Rails 4 back end to prototype proposed features with legacy data

**Teaching Assistant**, Dev Bootcamp, Chicago, IL, June 2013 – August 2013

- Reviewed code and answered questions for Ruby on Rails students

**Instructional Designer**, Kaplan Higher Education, Chicago, IL, August 2010 – May 2013

- Designed and revised college-level courseware in collaboration with subject matter experts, instructors, executive stakeholders, and outside vendors
- Wrote lesson plans, calendars, rubrics, and implementation guides

**Editor**, Sliced Bread Magazine, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, January 2008 – June 2010

- Oversaw production of an annual literature and arts publication
- Designed layout and edited text and images using inDesign and Photoshop

## EDUCATION

**Dev Bootcamp**, Chicago, IL, August 2013

Intensive web developer bootcamp

**University of Chicago**, Chicago, IL, June 2010

Bachelor of Arts, English & Cinema Studies, GPA 3.98/4.00, Phi Beta Kappa, Dean's List