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SUMMARY

I'm a web developer who desires to understand the business domain as much as creating well designed software. My previous business experience has taught me soft skills that complement my technical skills. I started teaching myself Ruby and it didn't take long for me to fall in love with programming. Attending Dev Bootcamp was an obvious choice to kickstart my career as a software developer. I'm eager to continue growing and learn more tools and languages to further my skills as a software developer.

SKILLS

Ruby, Rails, JavaScript/JQuery/AJAX, HTML/CSS, Test Driven Development, RSpec, Object Oriented Design, ActiveRecord, SQL, Git, Business analytics, Report generation and creation

PROJECTS

StudioNow

StudioNow brings together musicians and makes studio space and equipment rental more accessible for these independent musicians. Ruby on Rails is used for the back-end. The front-end uses plain JavaScript and JQuery. JQuery plug-ins Datepicker and FullCalendar were an integral part of our application for booking studios. We also used the GoogleMaps and SoundCloud APIs to provide an interactive and meaningful user experience. We took a serious approach to testing and have 90% test coverage using SimpleCov and TravisCl to keep us on track along the way.

EXPERIENCE

Nov 2015 - Mar 2016

Graduate looking for full-time opportunities as a web developer · Dev Bootcamp · Chicago, IL

- Studied web development and learned the fundamentals of Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, as well as HTML and CSS through the rigorous 19 week program.
- Developed leadership and collaboration skills by pair programming, participating in group projects, and engineering empathy sessions.

May 2014 - Aug 2015

Sales Administrator · Southern Wine and Spirits · Bolingbrook, IL

- Worked with sales management to track and analyze sales goals and marketing program success using Excel and in house reporting software.
- Facilitated communication between management, sales reps, and suppliers by preparing sales
 presentations and events as well as rolling out new initiatives such as new sales tracking software within
 the division.

May 2013 - Apr 2014

Marketing Administrative Assistant · RF Micro Devices · Charlotte, NC

- Provided marketing and administrative support to our business unit as well as taking on additional responsibilities outside my original role such as revenue forecasting and product lifecycle management.
- Report generation & analysis to support VP in decision making using in house software and Salesforce.com.

May 2012 - May 2013

Total Loss Claims Adjuster \cdot Travelers Insurance \cdot Charlotte, NC

- Used communication and conflict management skills to communicate complicated claims processes to the general public while maintaining positive relationships.
- Managed over 20 claims concurrently while settling in a timely manner with files consistently reviewed at 100% accuracy.

EDUCATION

2016 Dev Bootcamp

19 week web development intensive program

2012 University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Bachelor of Science Business Administration, Marketing