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Software Engineer at Essence Digital

New York, NY
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Global digital agency and the world's largest independent buyer of digital media

Python (Django), JavaScript (Node, Angular), Go, PostgreSQL, nginx, Ubuntu

- Redesigned internal metrics tool from the ground up
- Helped roll out new version of media-buying platform

Senior Developer at Transpareensee

New York, NY
May 2012 – Sep 2013

Search engine platform with emphasis on fuzzy matching

Python (Django), JavaScript (jQuery), AWS (EC2, S3, RDS, SQS, SES)

- Maintainer of service and code for largest client
- Implemented role-based administration tool built on top of Django
- Redesigned search interface; introduced criteria prioritization

Developer at Offerpop

New York, NY
Mar 2011 – May 2012

Social media marketing startup; agile, test-driven philosophy

Python (PSP, Django), JavaScript (jQuery, Prototype), MySQL, Apache, Ubuntu

- Automated Facebook tab administration using Graph API
- Seamless video uploading using Vimeo's Advanced API and YouTube's Data API
- Robust voting API using Facebook authentication

The Ohio State University

Columbus, OH
Sep 2009 – Dec 2010

Major: mathematics, minor: music

Cleveland State University

Cleveland, OH
Sep 2008 – Jun 2009

PSEOP: aced graduate-level math courses while enrolled in high school

Cuyahoga Community College

Cleveland, OH
Sep 2007 – Dec 2008

PSEOP: exhausted course catalog in math

Richmond Heights High School

Cleveland, OH
Nov 2005 – Jun 2007

Top 10 graduate; summa cum laude; with honors

I'm good at

NodeJS (committer!) Python Django SailsJS AngularJS jQuery Bootstrap HTML CSS Javascript Ubuntu CentOS
PostgreSQL MySQL C C# Java PHP

I had the pleasure to work with Dan Kaplun at Offerpop, where I was the Product Manager for our team. He was a very respected coworker who brought many desirable attributes. He was a very friendly coworker as well as a great communicator who was willing to walk other members of his team through the technology stack in order to get everyone up to speed efficiently on many occasions. He grasped concepts and ideas quickly and was able to efficiently implement them into our technology. I believe you will find Dan to be an excellent web developer and a strong contributor to your organization.

— Jason Brodsky-Porges (Product Manager at Offerpop)