

# **Max Christiansen**

# Software Engineer

**Boise Area** 



Remote

Effectively bridging the gap between technical expertise and interpersonal collaboration that pervades the engineering workplace with high EQ and advanced communication and presentation skills

### **Technical Tool Box**

TypeScript / JavaScript / React / Gatsby / Node / C# / ASP.NET / Python / Django / Ruby / Rails GraphQL / Postgres / SQL / Firebase / Netlify / Heroku / AWS / Contentful / WordPress

#### Personal Skills

- Empathetic and compassionate leader
- Solid logical / analytical / critical reasoning

- Punctual and effective time management
- Life-long learner with a zest for challenge

#### **Education**

Jul 2009 - Jul 2011

**UW-Milwaukee /** Graduate / MS – Curriculum & Instruction – Applied Linguistics

Jun 2000 - May 2004

Colorado College / Undergraduate / BA – Environmental Science

# **Relevant Experience**

FEB 2020 - OCT 2022

## **Software Engineer /** Foundry Interactive / Hinge Health

Principal contributor to three repos for hingehealth.com / Hand-rolled animation and user-interaction heavy frontend features in HTML, CSS, and JS/TS without using any third-party dependencies / Overhauled obsolete legacy code and implemented React best practices across the app resulting in increased usability, portability, and reduced load time / Lead developer on greenfielding a new React repository written solely in TS ahead of company rebrand / Wrote unit and E2E tests against components and pages / Collaborated extensively with designers to achieve intuitive UI/UX / Touches to over 150,000 lines of code / Specialized in web accessibility / Gatsby / Contentful / Netlify

JAN 2020 - MARCH 2020

# **Assistant Instructor /** Coding Dojo – Boise

Created and delivered comprehensive lectures to further student understanding across three stacks / Collaborated with school leadership for the development of new curricular content / Supported student learning on an individual basis with one-on-one tutoring

SEP 2019 - DEC 2019

# Code School / Coding Dojo - Boise

Django / ASP.NET / React / Angular / SQL / Mongo / Express / Node

Aug 2018 - Jun 2019

## Computer Science Teacher / The Seven Hills School – Cincinnati, OH

Instructed and developed a high school CS curricula in grades 9-12 / Developed strong foundational knowledge of CS Algorithms & Data Structures / Computer Architecture / Quantum Computing / Ethics in Technology / Women in Programming / Python / Java / HTML / CSS / JS

## **Past Teaching Experience**

Aug 2016 - Jun 2017

Math (6-8) / Glasgow Middle School – Alexandria, VA

Aug 2015 - Jun 2016

Bilingual (K) / Braddock Elementary School - Annandale, VA

Aug 2014 - Jun 2015

Science (1 & 2) / Fox River Academy - Appleton, WI

Aug 2013 - Jun 2014

Bilingual (4 & 5) / Nicolet Elementary School – Green Bay, WI

Aug 2011 - Jun 2013

Science (8) / The American School of Torreón – Coahuila, México

## Accolades - Grants - Scholarships

**JAN 2010** 

Robert Kuehneisen Teachers for a New Era Fund / Milwaukee, WI

\$12,000 merit-based scholarship recipient - University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

SEP 2004 - Jul 2005

United States Peace Corps / La Unión, El Salvador

Agroforestry and Environmental Education Volunteer

Aug 2004

Ritt Kellogg Fund / Colorado Springs, CO

\$5,000 grant awarded for a twenty-seven-day mountaineering expedition in Olympic National Park

# **Spoken Languages**

**English / Native** 

Spanish / Fluent & Literate, ACTFL Oral Proficiency – Advanced-High

#### **Personal Interests**

Fly Fishing / River Running / Archery / Ornithology / Travel / Literature / Science

#### References

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