

# Yuriy Dybskiy

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Experienced front-end engineer, proactive problem-solver, successful entrepreneur and [tech speaker](#).  
Love pragmatic, beautiful and efficient solutions to interesting problems.

## Core Technical Skills

HTML5/CSS3 semantic code, JavaScript, Sass, Ruby on Rails, jQuery, Git, MongoDB, php, MySQL  
Improving in: AngularJS, Chrome Dev Tools, Meteor, Tall Data

## Professional Experience

[Cloudant](#) (Vancouver, San Francisco)

Apr. 2013 – Present

### Developer Advocate

- Organized [Apache CouchDB Conf](#) Vancouver and co-organized [CascadiaJS](#).
- Updated Leaflet and Leaflet.draw to support drawing ellipses.
- Kickstarted [Open Data](#) initiative at Cloudant.

[PlayHaven](#) (Vancouver, Portland)

Oct. 2012 – Mar. 2013

### Front-end Engineer

6 month contract

- Worked on new features and updates to the existing Publisher dashboard.
- Developed a prototype of the new dashboard using AngularJS and Ember.

[Unbounce](#) (Vancouver)

Feb. 2012 – Aug. 2012

### Front-end Engineer

7 month contract

- Developed new app UI and new features using HTML5, Sass, JavaScript and Ruby on Rails.

[E-Code Studio Inc.](#) (Toronto)

Feb. 2009 – Jan. 2012

### Web Development Consultant

Front-end development for startups and web design agencies in Canada, US and UK.

- [Fabric Engine](#) – Improved usability of Fabric development tools, created jQuery UI theme for the demos.
- [Attachments.me](#) – coded new app designs into HTML5/CSS3 and implemented in RoR.
- [Kik.com](#) – developed mobile page for “Apps that use Kik” with focus on load time optimizations, reducing download size from 100kb+ to 13kb and http requests from 15 to 5.
- Managed a remote development team of five developers, completed 200+ projects for agencies.

[Markup4U.com](#) (Ukraine)

Sep. 2007 – Mar. 2009

### Project Manager and Co-founder

Co-founded a design-to-XHTML conversion service company which was later acquired.

## Education

M.S. Mathematics, [Kharkiv National University](#) (Ukraine)

2003 – 2008

## Hackathons

- My project [MoMA 2.0](#) received an honorable mention from a VC on the judging panel of Photo Hack Day 4 at Facebook HQ. [Recap blog post](#) (Apr. 2013).
- My hack [Nikon vs. Canon](#) won the Facebook World Hack Vancouver 2012 in “best use of 500px API” category. Source code on [GitHub](#). First commercial application of Meteor.js (Sep. 2012).
- My project [photoQuest.me](#) received \$1000 cash prize from Kik and \$5000 in consulting services from Playground at Pixel Hack Day hackathon organized by [500px.com](#) (Nov. 2011).