JOSHUA BRADFORD

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Game enthusiast and former professional poker player turned programmer

SKILLS

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, AngularJS, jQuery, Git, Node.js, JSON, Sequelize, Express, SQL Queries, Pivotal Tracker, Test Driven Development, Ruby on Rails, Adobe Photoshop, Spanish

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

The Iron Yard | Atlanta, GA

Jan 2017 – Apr 2017

Front-end Engineering Student

The Iron Yard is a 12-week coding bootcamp specializing in highly focused, immersive training centered on language fluency, object-oriented programming, and project-based learning

• Developed a website with the front end written in AngularJS and the back end built using Node.js and Sequelize, where users review, rate, and comment on their favorite TV shows

Website: http://tiy-josh-final-project-frontend.surge.sh/#!/home

Code: github.com/farstrider777/show ranker

• Created a fast-paced video game using jQuery to render most of the elements to the page. The project was started by systematically writing the tests before the code was written

Website: http://tiy-josh-build-a-game.surge.sh/ Code: github.com/farstrider777/build a game

• Matched a mockup to almost pixel perfect standards starting with information from an API call and dynamically generating all the HTML with JavaScript

Website: https://farstrider777.github.io/etsy-search-page/ Code: https://github.com/farstrider777.github.io/etsy-search-page/

Murphy USA | Tallahassee, FL

Dec 2014 - May 2016

Store Manager

- Directed day-to-day operations of the highest volume Murphy USA gas station in our district
- Recruited, trained, and managed team and supervised two assistant managers
- Provided coaching and teaching accountability for store results and outstanding customer service
- Developed and implemented strategic merchandising plans to achieve revenue objectives and reduce expenditures while ensuring payroll remained within budget

Freelance | Various International Locations

Aug 2003 - Apr 2014

Professional Poker Player

- Managed my own poker playing business, keeping a large nest egg of cash to cover the variance of the game
- Used the latest poker tracking software to analyse my opponent's moves and formulate counter strategies
- Mentored and teamed with and learned from other poker professionals to stay abreast of new developments and dominate the metagame

V3 Communications | Atlanta, GA

June 1999 - Feb 2001

Web Design

- Collaborated with clients to plan and collect requirements for their websites
- Wrote original websites to meet clients needs, created original art and logos and touched up photos with Adobe Photoshop, and embedded animations using Flash, Dreamweaver, and Adobe Illustrator

EDUCATION

Florida State University | Tallahassee, FL

Aug 1994 – May 1997