Mina Mikhail

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I'm an engineer and designer with over ten years of experience creating robust and delightful products for the web.

Proficiencies

HTML / CSS / JavaScript / Ruby / Rails / NodeJS / Meteor / React / Angular / C# / .NET / Mongo / SQL

Experience

Lead Instructor & Developer

Bitmaker Labs Inc. / Toronto, Canada June 2013 - Present

Develop industry-relevant, feedback-driven curriculum and lecture on all aspects of full-stack web development with a focus on Ruby on Rails.

Taught over 300 full-time students with a 92% job placement rate within 3 months of graduation.

Design and develop in-class teaching platform.

Manage a team of teaching assistants, scheduling office hours and gathering student feedback.

Lead Product Engineer & Designer

MUBI / London, UK October 2009 - August 2012

Led Sony PS3 VOD application from concept to launch, includin g wireframing, interaction, design, Rails API development and documentation. *Grew user base 11x within one year of launch (+3m users)*.

Designed and implemented a responsive, touchenabled, Backbone.js VOD application for the international version of MUBI.

Integrated MUBI with the Sony BRAVIA platform.

Redesigned and developed Notebook, the MUBI film magazine, front- and back-end including a custom CMS for writers.

Education

Honours Bachelor of Applied Science

Computer Engineering / Co-operative Education Program University of Waterloo 1999 - 2005

Founder

pegleg.it / Toronto, Canada January 2013 - Present

Pegleg is a Meteor app that crowd-sources full-length movies from YouTube. *Presented at Meteor DevShop SF May 2014*.

Co-Founder

tiffr.com / Toronto, Canada July 2009 - Present

TIFFR helps Toronto International Film Festival-goers shortlist and schedule their films. Built with Rails and Angular.

.NET Consultant

HPPE Inc. / Toronto, Canada January 2009 - May 2009

Developed a custom hardware control system for hydroelectric turbine efficiency tests using .NET.

CEM Benchmarking / Toronto, Canada November 2007 - May 2008

Helped create a robust, real-time online pension analysis survey in .NET (C#).

T4G Limited / Toronto, Canada January 2004 - November 2007

Performed .NET development, testing, business analysis, and data model analysis.

About Me

I'm a film buff and distance runner from Toronto, Canada. I'm fluent in English and French