

Carolyn Ganon

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Skills

Back-end:

Ruby, Ruby on Rails, RSpec
PostgreSQL, Sinatra

Front-end:

HTML, CSS, SASS, jQuery,
AJAX, Javascript, Backbone.js

Management:

Git, GitHub, Agile, Pivotal,
MS Office, Trello

Education

Barnard College of Columbia University

Bachelor of Arts, *cum laude*, Political Science

Class of 2012

GPA 3.8

- Entrepreneurship Club: VP of Communications
- Anna Quindlen '74 Writing Fellow Scholarship: 2011-2012 Recipient

Work Experience

General Assembly

Web Development Immersive Program

New York, NY

2/2014 to present

- Built Ruby on Rails web applications by integrating models with PostgreSQL databases, RESTful routing techniques, controller logic, and user-friendly views. Example projects include:
 - ❖ My Boro: offers a simple and beautiful "snapshot" of events, weather, and news in each of the five boroughs
 - ❖ Gather: a student learning platform that helps teachers evaluate student performance and students monitor their learning goals and accomplishments
- Worked with Facebook, Google, and Twilio APIs to add functionality such as emailing, mapping/geocoding, and social media interaction to web applications.
- Regularly incorporated test-driven development techniques (TDD/BDD) and pair programming practices into the development process.

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Legal Assistant

New York, NY

6/2012 to 2/2014

- Prepared and orchestrated productions of highly confidential materials to various government agencies, such as the Office of Foreign Asset Control, NY District Attorney's Office and U.S. Dept. of Justice.
- Researched and authored legal memoranda related to pending litigation for existing clients and new business opportunities.

DreamWorks Animation

Marketing Assistant

New York, NY

1/2012 to 6/2012

- Conducted market research for live-theater productions, including "Shrek the Musical," "Madagascar Live" and "How to Train Your Dragon."
- Authored marketing reports for potential investors and corporate sponsors that outlined each show's target audience, advertising strategy and budget projections.
- Oversaw and updated DreamWorks Animation's Twitter, Facebook and blog accounts for each live theater production.

TappMob

Social Media and Marketing Team Member

New York, NY

6/2011 to 11/2011

- Contributed to the company blog weekly and updated the Facebook and Twitter pages to increase product visibility and engage users across all social media platforms.
- Strategized new marketing and general development strategies with other members of the marketing team.