

# GARRETT M. GASSENSMITH

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## SKILLS

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**Technology:** Javascript, HTML/CSS, Node, Express, MySQL, MongoDB, Git, CampusPress, Bootstrap, MJML

**Creative:** Photoshop, Premiere, After Effects, Lightroom, Illustrator

**Productivity:** SmartSheet, FreeAgent, G Suite, Microsoft Office 365

## PROJECTS

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**The Coding Library** | [Github Repo](#) | [Live Demo](#)

*Full-stack web app for creating and saving learning resource links*

- Built server and back-end functionality including models and routing, user authentication and created a large portion of the views and front-end functionality
- Tools: Javascript, JQuery, Bulma, MySQL/Sequelize, Express, Handlebars, Node, Passport, Bcrypt

**Shaker** | [Github Repo](#) | [Live Demo](#)

*Front-end web app for discovering new cocktails and drink recipes*

- Wrote JS for API queries and data handling and assisted in designing and writing the search bar functionality
- Tools: Javascript, JQuery, Materialize, Lodash

## EXPERIENCE

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**Northwestern University - Media & Technology Innovation | Evanston, IL**

*Web Developer*

March 2020 - Present

- Migrate sites from old CMS to CampusPress and assist the web team on site edits

*Digital Media Specialist/Lead Cinematographer*

May 2017 - Present

- Support all aspects of production for promo, education and live events and provide visual/aesthetic leadership: creating best practices, training colleagues and maintaining quality and consistency across all projects
- Created project templates and best practices in asset organization for all video projects since 2018
- Delivered over 500 videos on or ahead of schedule for our team's most expansive project to date, maintaining quality and consistency over 40 hours of content and across 3 years of production

**EnergyBBDO - Flare | Chicago, IL**

*Assistant Editor*

Jan 2016 - Jan 2017

- Responsible for internal video projects and client services, project setup, organization and editing assistance on broadcast/web spots for major companies
- Cannes Bronze Lion - Technical Specialist/Designer for *Give Extra Get Extra* Wrigley web campaign

*Studio Intern*

Sept 2015 - Jan 2016

**Freelance Media Production | Chicago, IL**

Aug 2014 - Jan 2020

*Camera Operator, Editor, Gaffer, Grip, Production Assistant & Photographer*

- Edited educational content/graphics and designed lighting on photo and video productions for Northwestern University - Media & Technology Innovation
- Worked on small independent projects and high profile events including: The 2015 NFL Draft, Lollapalooza, Regina Spektor "Black and White" music video, ABC 7 News Promos

## EDUCATION

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**Northwestern University | Evanston, IL**

- Full Stack Coding Bootcamp Jan 2020 - July 2020
- B.S. Radio/TV/Film Sept 2011 - June 2015