Matthew Bryan Curtis

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Select Technology Experience

- JavaScript
- React
- Vue
- Angular
- Redux
- Redux-Saga

- Styled-Components
- D3
- HTML5
- CSS3
- Sass / SCSS
- jQuery

- Node
- Express
- Python
- Flask
- SQL
- Git / Github

Select Work Experience

'17 to Present Developer @ DarkOwl

Remote (Denver, CO)

DarkOwl is a cybersecurity startup specializing in darknet data. As the sole UI-focused engineer, a majority of my work revolves around our search engine web application called DarkOwl Vision, but also includes data visualizations and marketing interactives.

HTML, CSS, JavaScript (React, Vue, Angular, D3, regl), Java, Python

'17 Development Intern @ Uncorked Studio Portland, OR

Uncorked Studios is a digital creative agency at the crossroads of software and hardware. I worked on a Google Brand Lab interactive installation as well as a social media project utilizing the Watson AI API. UCS also encouraged personal projects including an interactive map and various IoT projects.

HTML, CSS, JavaScript (React, Angular, Node, Express), Python (Flask, MicroPython), Swift

'16 to '17 Customer Relations @ Simple Finance Portland, OR

Simple Finance is a financial technology startup. I triaged incoming customer contact, diagnosed and reported bugs, and helped people use our product. During downtime, I reversed engineered internal tooling to build Chrome extensions that would help CR agents be more efficient.

HTML, CSS, JavaScript (React)

'07 to '16 Freelance Audio Engineer

PDX, NYC, ATX

For close to a decade I worked as a freelance audio engineer where I built, maintained, and operated complex technological systems. My job was to keep calm and fix problems as fast as humanly possible. While I was primarily focused in a live sound, I also engineered for studio, film, television, and radio.

'11 to '14 System Administrator @ BookPeople Austin, TX

BookPeople is Texas' largest independent bookstore. I was in charge of everything with electricity - server maintenance, networking, and desktop support for OSX, Windows, and Linux; this for a company that is open 364 days per year. I also built internal tools and helped maintain our e-commerce site.

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP (Drupal), AIX

'07 to '10 Robot Builder @ Arrick Robotics Tyler, TX

At Arrick Robotics I built, tested, and shipped manufacturing robotics and analog modular synthesizers. I worked daily in front of an oscilloscope with a soldering iron in my hand.

Community

'18 to Present Founder @ Austin Code Mentorship Austin, TX

I started a group in Austin to help people get into the tech industry with the idea of fostering diversity and connecting the wider Austin tech scene. We meet monthly for mentorship over coffee and have over 900 registered members!

HTML, CSS, JavaScript (React, Vue, Angular, D3, Node, Express), Java

'16 to '18 Web Development Teacher @ Free Geek Portland, OR

I helped start Free Geek's programming education program by co-authoring an HTML & CSS curriculum and authoring a JavaScript curriculum. Several times per month, I would teach complete beginners the fundamentals of web development in an effort to engage more people with the open web.

HTML, CSS, JavaScript

'12 to '13 Tech Team Volunteer @ KOOP Radio Austin, TX

Volunteered to help maintain KOOP radio's technology infrastructure including server maintenance and networking.

Education

Class of '12 Austin Community College

Austin, TX

Earned a degree in Music Business, Performance, and Technology with a specialization in live sound reinforcement. Graduated Magna Cum Laude.

Class of '10 Tyler Junior College

Tyler, TX

Earned a degree in Business Management with a certificate of proficiency in bookkeeping. Tutored students in accounting. Graduated Magna Cum Laude.