HOPE E. PAASCH

WEB DEVELOPER

PROFILE

Experienced journalist with new coding skills and a desire to work with data and web applications in a way that contributes to a strong society.

EDUCATION

The Iron Yard

Backend engineering with Python and Django

Texas A&M University

Bachelor of Science in Journalism

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SKILLS

The Iron Yard

Bootcamp | May - August 2016

- Python 3.5.1
- Django 1.9
- RESTful API
- Github
- HTML/CSS
- PyCharm

- Heroku Cloud Application Platform
- Amazon Web Services
- Bootstrap
- PostgreSQL
- SOLite
- Postman

EXPERIENCE

The Charlotte Observer

Journalist | Jan 1995 - April 2016

- Publishing system consultant for more than a decade, in addition to journalist duties. Provided specifications for system capabilities, consulted with developers, tested delivered products, documented bugs, brainstormed future functionality.
- Trained employees on various technologies, including the publishing system for print and online. On site in Charlotte, Raleigh, Rock Hill, Columbia and Myrtle Beach.
- Consulted with leadership at multiple news organizations about publishing system development and strategies for centralized editing and design work.
- Primary editor and supervisory editor on stories that required acquisition and analysis of public data, from elections to budgets to traffic stop patterns by police.
- Directly responsible for managing and developing dozens of employees, including managers.
- Prior to Charlotte, worked as a news reporter at the Houston Post and the St. Louis Sun, and as associate editor at the St. Louis Business Journal.