John Goodman

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SKILLS

- Expertise in Javascript, HTML5/CSS, Adobe Illustrator, After Effects, and Photoshop.
- Five years of professional experience as a full stack web developer.
- Two years of experience as a tech educator and curriculum designer, working with elementary school and middle school kids to teach coding, game design, robotics, and software skills.

EXPERIENCE

Pursuit - Instructor

OCTOBER 2022 - JANUARY 2024

- Worked with 37 adult learners with no prior coding experience to provide them with the skills to become full stack web developers.
- Helped create a curriculum that included Javascript, HTML and CSS, React, Node, Express, PostgreSQL, and other modern web technologies.
- Acted as a project manager for students using their new skills to build full stack web applications.

Brooklyn Game Lab - Instructor

MAY 2022 - SEPTEMBER 2022

Worked with kids to build game-design related skills.

Workshop Middle School - *Instructor*

OCTOBER 2021 - MARCH 2022

- Built a curriculum to introduce middle school students to Adobe Creative Suite and foundational coding concepts.
- Taught students how to use a 3D printer and CNC laser cutter.

Brooklyn Robot Foundry - Instructor and Product Developer

JANUARY 2020 - OCTOBER 2021

- Designed robotics and coding projects for kids that were used by over 30 teachers in in-person and remote classes with hundreds of students around the county.
- Taught kids from ages 5 14 hands-on electronics skills, and taught coding to 9 14 year olds.

Tracer - Frontend Web Developer

FEBRUARY 2019 - AUGUST 2019

• Helped to build and maintain the React-based frontend for an ad-tracking tool used by major companies including Mondelez, Johnson & Johnson, and Pepsico.

Fluent City - Frontend Developer / Designer

AUGUST 2017 - JULY 2018

- Designed and developed a homepage for students to browse language courses (fluentcity.com).
- Designed interactive online quizzes to assess students' progress, supporting a language education program with more than 40,000 students enrolled.

Joystick Interactive - Interactive Developer

JUNE 2016 - JUNE 2017

 Built interactive promotional websites for clients including HBO and Google, working mainly with React and Django.

EDUCATION

Web Development - App Academy (Spring 2016)

• Immersive software development course with 3% acceptance rate, strong emphasis on full-stack development and collaboration, tech focus on Ruby on Rails and React

BA History/English - Bates College, 2015

- Senior Thesis (History): Politics of Power in the Inca Civil War
- Senior Thesis (English): *The Year of the Rat*, original short story collection