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## **PROJECTS**

Mydium (Rails, React/Flux)

live github

Clone of Medium.com, writing platform with robust social features

- Indexes data for fast full-text multisearch including partial word matching
- Data sync between components and stores implemented through Flux architecture
- Preprocesses large images before upload to Amazon S3 to mitigate image load bottleneck
- Provides seamless mobile experience via CSS Breakpoints and touch-friendly components

**Sevens** (CoffeeScript, jQuery-TouchSwipe)

live github

Clone of Threes/ 2048 Mobile Game

- Responsive design enables play across desktop and mobile platforms
- Use HTML5 data to store game state, limiting the need for JavaScript DOM manipulation

github **Chess**(Ruby)

Terminal Based Chess Game

- Acheives DRY, modular code through stepping and sliding piece inheritance classes
- Creates user friendly terminal GUI through, using functional style programming

## **EXPERIENCE**

Digital Medical Marketing Agency Intern, Carbonfoot Medical, Westport, CT

2014

- Designed web crawler to find and filter prospective clients by their social media presence, which greatly increased efficiency of lead-generation
- Used Drupal, Wordpress and HTML, to maintain websites for agency and clients and ensure up-to-date information

Library Technician, Case-Geyer Library, Colgate University

2012 - 2014

- Solved students' software-related computer problems to prevent data loss
- Maintained printer-network to ensure students could perform essential tasks
- Inspected computers of students who had been network-quarantined for torrenting, and re-authorized them after removing the pirated media and checking for viruses

Tech Intern, TheStreet.com, New York, NY

2013

- Configured computers for new hires with necessary network access and software
- Managed new and updated software deploys ensuring common computing environment

**EDUCATION** 

**App Academy 2016** 

New York, NY Coding Bootcamp

with < 3% Acceptance

**Colgate University 2015** 

Hamilton, NY Psychology Major

**Economics Minor** 

**General Assembly 2013** 

New York, NY

Intro to iOS Development

The Hotchkiss School 2011

Lakeville, CT

## **SKILLS**

Ruby

Rails

JavaScript

React

Flux

HTMI

CSS

iQuery

SQL

Git

Python