**James Coombs**

**Web Developer**

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**Summary**

A passionate developer constantly looking to build, test and learn in a full-stack environment. Eager to join a team of like-minded innovators dedicated to creating solutions to highly complex problems.

**Skills**

Languages: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Ruby, Python, SQL, XML, Freemarker

Frameworks &

Technologies: Node.js, JQuery, React.js, Express.js, Rails, Ember.js, MongoDB, Mongoose, SASS, Bootstrap, Electron, Git, AWS, NPM, Django, Shell, UNIX

**Experience**

**Web Producer***Mar 2017 to Current*

**Putnam Investments** (JavaScript, CSS, HTML, Freemarker) *Boston, MA*

* Worked on a team with 3 senior developers, a designer and another web producer.
* Built responsive web pages using HTML, Freemarker Template Language, CSS and JavaScript.
* Made daily updates to Putnam’s site content.
* Utilized strong verbal and written communication skills to complete job orders created by account executives.
* Responsible for taking ownership of jobs through to completion under tight deadlines.

**Development Team Intern***Nov 2016 to Mar 2017*

**BioSampleZone** (Ruby, Python)*Boston, MA*

* Worked with a product manager, front end developer and back end developer in a startup environment.
* Implemented a test fixture to simulate API traffic from a clinical lab to the BioSampleZone sample import interface.
* Wrote production code for the biological sample eCommerce site, including the creation of back-end database administration tools and client side interfaces.
* Delivered time-sensitive code while working remotely.
* Researched user experience and design workflow for the eCommerce site.

**Full Stack Developer in Training***Aug 2016 to Nov 2016*

**General Assembly Web Development Immersive**  *Boston, MA*

* Work done during the Web Development Immersive focused on creating and deploying four full-stack web apps.
* Built RESTful back-end APIs with Node.js & Ruby on Rails.
* Built front-end clients with HTML/CSS & JavaScript and Ember.js.
* Three projects were completed individually, one on a team with three other developers.

**Projects**

**Yamba** (Yet Another Message Board App)*Nov 2016*

* Create boards to host pages made by you or others!
* The app was made to familiarize myself with Ember and AWS.
* A custom client build with Ember.js and Handlebars.
* A custom RESTful API built with Ruby on Rails and PSQL.

**Sweaters for Turtles** (eCommerce App)*Oct 2016*

* Shop for awesome sweaters and checkout with Stripe payment!
* Built with a team of 3 using agile development & Git workflow.
* A custom client built with HTML/CSS, JavaScript and Handlebars.
* A custom RESTful API built with Express.js and MongoDB.

**Back\Log** (Data Storage App)*Oct 2016*

* Back\Log is a way to keep record of your progress in games!
* My first full stack app-utilizing Bootstrap components for user interface & Handlebars to render data.
* A custom client built with HTML/CSS, JavaScript and Handlebars.
* A custom RESTful API built with Ruby on Rails and PSQL.

**Biological Samples CSV API** *Dec 2016*

* A test API for importing and rendering data from CSV files.
* An API built with Ruby on Rails.
* Allows users to import proprietary sample CSV files and returns the data in JSON format.

**Tic-Tac-Toe** *Sep 2016*

* Play a game of Tic-Tac-Toe, save your progress & view your game statistics!
* Developed in 1 week with no prior coding experience.
* A custom front end game client built in JavaScript - with JQuery and Ajax.

**Education**

* **University of California, Irvine**, Psychology and Social Behavior, 2013 – 2016
* **Marymount College**, Associate’s Degree, Psychology, 2011 - 2013