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SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

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SUMMARY

Full-stack web developer with a background in academic philosophy. I creatively employ my analytical and empathic abilities to enhance the user's understanding. I am enthusiastic about using web development for neglected social causes.

EXPERIENCE

Dev Bootcamp

Chicago, Illinois · Student Apr 2015 to Sep 2015

A 19-week immersive web development training program in Ruby, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Rails, Sinatra, jQuery, AJAX, etc. Deep emphasis on empathy training and pair programming.

Florida State University

Graduate Instructor & Teaching Assistant 2007 to 2015

I learned to explain ideas clearly and give constructive feedback. Teaching helped me mature as a public speaker and decision-maker, and TAing enhanced my collaboration skills.

Animal Charity Evaluators

General Intern Apr 2014 to Aug 2014

I drafted ACE's first development plan, networked with nonprofit directors about fundraising, worked on grant applications, piloted a study, and co-wrote an Intern Handbook.

EDUCATION

Dev Bootcamp

Web Development 2015

Florida State University

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Philosophy 2014

Florida State University

Master of Arts (M.A.) Philosophy 2009

Truman State University

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Philosophy & Religion 2007

SKILLS

LANGUAGES: Ruby, JavaScript

FRONT END: HTML, CSS, jQuery, AJAX, Bootstrap, D3.js

WEB FRAMEWORKS: Rails, Sinatra, Backbone.js

TESTING FRAMEWORKS: Rspec, Jasmine, Qunit, Capybara

DATABASE: SQL, Active Record

VERSION CONTROL: Git

METHODOLOGIES: Object Oriented Design,
Test Driven Development, Agile Development

GENERAL: communication, research, motivating teams

PROJECTS

Pollarity

A web app that visualizes trends in state and national public opinion polls and attempts to predict future poll results. Technologies: Ruby on Rails, Backbone.js, D3.js, Datamaps, HTML/CSS.

Troll Hunter

A collection of the most provocative reviews of Chicago restaurants found on Yelp. We scraped Yelp's website and scored reviews using a hilarious-keyword-matching algorithm. Technologies: Ruby, Sinatra, HTML/CSS.

Rotten Potatoes

A website for rating and reviewing movies and actors. Technologies: Ruby on Rails, HTML/CSS.

VOLUNTEERING

Students for Ending Poverty (STEP), FSU

Co-Founder and Vice President Mar 2013 to Dec 2014

Co-founded and guided organization devoted to learning about and raising money to combat global extreme poverty

FSU Undergraduate Ethics Bowl team

Coach 2009 to 2012

Motivated and advised undergraduate students in intercollegiate debate-style competitions

Ethical Food Association at Florida State University

Outreach Coordinator Aug 2014 to May 2015

Coordinated extensive leafleting and video outreach campaigns