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## SUMMARY

Tenacious, driven, detail-oriented software developer skilled in front-end and back-end web development. Methodical, analytical thinker and seasoned communicator with a doctorate in questioning assumptions. Resourceful, rapid learner with significant experience teaching, writing, and volunteering. Affable teammate dedicated to establishing communication and rapport among colleagues.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** Ruby, JavaScript

**Front End:** React, jQuery, HTML/CSS

**Database:** Active Record, SQL, GraphQL

**Testing:** Minitest, Rspec, Jasmine, Mocha

**Web Frameworks:** Rails, Redux, Sinatra

**Version Control:** Git

## EXPERIENCE

### COVERHOUND & CYBERPOLICY

San Francisco, California

#### Software Engineer

2016 - 2018

- Mentored numerous other developers on tools with which they were unfamiliar
- Spearheaded numerous features across multiple applications in Ruby/Rails and React/Redux
- Crafted code to send data between applications via REST API, to handle attachment uploads to AWS, to enhance search capabilities with Elasticsearch, and more
- Integrated our codebase with numerous outside platforms, including Slack, Segment marketing manager, ActiveCampaign email marketing, and Google OAuth ("log in with Google")
- Leveled up on SQL, background job processing (Sidekiq), code organization, testing, debugging deploy failures, etc.

### AVANT

Chicago, Illinois

#### Junior Software Engineer

FEB. - JUL. 2016

- Self-taught ReactJS & EcmaScript 2015 to build a Monthly Net Income Calculator, saving Avant an estimated \$60,000 annually in call center specialist productivity
- Pioneered a Ruby class architecture for call center specialist task reminders, enhancing productivity with scalable code
- Consistently practiced test-driven development (esp. in Rspec, Mocha), and improved problem-solving strategies (e.g. searching through app of over 60,000 files)

### BLUE 1647

Chicago, Illinois

#### Teaching Assistant

JAN. - MAR. 2016

- Mentored intro-level students at tech innovation center course on HTML, CSS, JavaScript

### FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Tallahassee, Florida

#### Graduate Instructor & Teaching Assistant

2007-2015

- Honed superb communication and critical thinking skills in speech and writing, on topics as diverse as formal logic, practical ethics, and political philosophy
- Gained experience explaining difficult concepts simply, giving constructive feedback, and inspiring students to think critically
- Taught 3 university courses; served as TA for an additional 15 courses

## EDUCATION

DEV BOOTCAMP, Chicago, IL., 19-week intensive web development course, 2015

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY, Tallahassee, Fla., **Ph.D., Philosophy**, 2015

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY, Tallahassee, Fla., **M.A., Philosophy**, 2009

TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY, Kirksville, Mo., **BA, Philosophy and Religion**, 2007