

Jack Pope

Front-End Web Developer

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I am a self-taught web developer, beginning my studies and investigations in July of 2018. I have also obtained the Web Development Certificate from County College of Morris, completed in December of 2022.

I have solid skills in HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. I have also become familiar with other tools and technologies, including WordPress, Dreamweaver, Photoshop, Bootstrap, ReactJS, NextJS, as well as basic concepts in computer programming (Java) and database management (MS Access, MySQL).

EDUCATION

County College of Morris, Randolph, NJ

Web Development Certificate, December 2022

Certified in MS Word and Excel, March 2016

Drew University, Madison, NJ

MA Modern History and Literature, October 2004

New Jersey City University, Jersey City, NJ

BA History, May 1998

County College of Morris, Randolph, NJ

AA Humanities/Music, May 1987

PROJECTS

True Journey Books, LLC: Adventure and fantasy books for kids.

Bonner-Shea Family Archive: The Shea Family Comes To America.

Byram Digital Media: Web Design & Development - We Are Creators.

My Portfolio:

Sites built with ReactJS/NextJS: williampope.com / jack-pope.net

WordPress site: jack-pope.com

WORK HISTORY

Self - Byram, NJ Feb. 2006 to Present
Light residential landscaping, repair, clean-up, gardening, farm work

Pope Farms - Byram, NJ / Waupaca, WI Feb. 2006 to Present
Assistant, family-owned business

Drew University - Madison, NJ Aug. 2003 to Feb. 2006
Research Assistant
Caspersen School of Graduate Studies
Supervisor: Dr. William Rogers

Drew University - Madison, NJ Aug. 2003 to Feb. 2006
Registration Assistant
Worked on all phases of student registration
Maintained and updated student records
Planned and implemented procedures designed to improve record-keeping and retrieval capabilities
Provided direction for students with concerns regarding their academic progress
Acted as liaison between students and administration officials
Conducted campus tours for prospective students as needed, in association with the Department of Admissions

Drew University - Madison, NJ June 2004 to Dec. 2004
Teaching Assistant
Assisted Dr. Paul Wice in the completion of his book, a study of the NJ penal system. Assisted with various classes under the tutelage of Dr. William Rogers, Caspersen School of Graduate Studies.

InGroup - Hackensack, NJ May 2002 to Sept. 2002
Editor
Wrote press releases and newsletters
Maintained websites for clients
Coordinated advertising projects and corporate communications
Managed large projects for clients in both the non-profit and for-profit sectors

Recorder Publishing - Caldwell, NJ May 2000 to Jan. 2002
Editor
Edited copy and prepared sections for a weekly community newspaper Wrote feature stories and profiles for various newspapers in the Recorder chain of community weeklies
Managed other writers and worked closely with management, other members of the editorial staff, and production department

Barron's - New York, NY

Feb. 2000 to May 2000

News Assistant

Performed fact-checking and statistical research in order to prepare a financial weekly newspaper for publication

Worked with writers and editors to produce news stories under deadline pressure; also assisted with production procedures

Performed Internet searches as well as information gathering from various online sources including Bloomberg, First Call, and Bridge-Telerate

Times Online Services - Morris Plains, NJ

June 1998 to Feb. 2000

Editorial Assistant

Prepared the daily text for online release to various information outlets, including Lexis-Nexis and Reuters Computer work involved ATEX, Apple, and Microsoft products Wrote news summaries for online publication

Home Depot - Roxbury, NJ

Aug. 1996 to May 1998

Sales Associate

Provided customer service and check-out services

Opened and closed cash register, reconciled drawer

Assisted all departments as necessary

For brevity's sake I have omitted my professional history prior to 1996. I moved to Philadelphia in 1988 to attend the music program at Temple University (Esther Boyer College of Music). I held various occupations during that time, including retail, maintenance, and customer service, all while playing guitar in a working R&B band. I am grateful for the opportunities and experiences I had, but by 1996 it became clear that the course I had chosen was at its end and it was time to consider a new direction.