

## SKILLS

Ruby on Rails, SQL, Postgres, Ruby, ActiveRecord, JQuery, Agile Software Development, Sinatra, CSS, HTML, Pair Programming, Github, TDD, RSPEC, AJAX, Javascript

## SUMMARY

Full Stack Developer with a background in at-risk and foster youth counseling, electronics sales, and executive training. Passionate about test driven development, QA, and databases, with a keen focus on schema design. Loves squashing bugs. Cares deeply about helping people succeed and thrive, especially foster youth and the team of people I work with. In my free time, you'll find me matching lost and found dogs on Craigslist, traveling and doing photography.

## PROJECTS

### EMOTE ME

A Ruby on Rails web app that is a companion to the Emote Me iOS app. The Swift app looks at a photo of the user and analyzes the user's emotions. Based on the emotion and user preferences, the app can show the user a YouTube video or gif to improve the user's mood or sustain the current mood.

Tech Stack:

Swift, Ruby on Rails, JS, HTML5, CSS3, Materialize, Bower, Heroku

APIs:

Google Cloud Vision, Twilio, YouTube, Giphy

Emote Me iOS Github

### RIPE?

An app for users to know when produce is ripe. Users can find their local farmer's market locations/dates and sign up to receive texts when their favorite produce is in season.

Ripe iOS Github

### OPEN SOURCE FAKER GEM

Contributed to the open source faker gem for Ruby on GitHub. The faker gem is a library for generating fake data such as names, addresses, and phone numbers. Forked/cloned the repo and using test driven development created a class of Friends characters, locations, and quotes.

## EMPLOYMENT

### BAY AREA YOUTH CENTER

Residential Treatment Counselor

Hayward, Ca

2008 to 2013

- Increased graduation rate among youth in program by personally helping 4 youth transition from the edge of dropping out to successfully graduating High School and moving on to a college career
- Interacted with various public service departments such as Department of Children & Family Services, Local Law Enforcement and Social Security Administration
- Counseled a dozen at-risk youth with mental health issues to prepare them for a successful and independent adulthood
- Created and executed intervention treatment plans that helped youth to disengage with gang activity or prostitution

### CIRCUIT CITY

Customer Service Lead

Daly City, Ca

2003 to 2007

- Trained between 40-50 incoming Managers for all California Stores
- Responsible for closing duties including locking up store as well as counting all monies and preparing bank deposits ranging from \$25,000 to \$100,000
- Wrote manual for internal computer system for Customer Service that was used throughout all California stores. The manual standardized our POS system and decreased wait time in customer interactions

### CIRCUIT CITY

Product Specialist

Newark, Ca

2002 to 2003

- Lead sales person Northwest Region for Sony products for 2 quarters by more than 500 units
- Product Specialist of the Quarter(Q4) for Northern California 2002 for most warranties and accessories sold
- Promoted to Customer Service Lead within 9 months based on customer service ratings

## EDUCATION

### Dev Bootcamp

2017

Dev Bootcamp Completed an 18-week, high-intensity web development training program focusing on full stack development using Ruby on Rails, front-end JavaScript and jQuery. Over 1,000+ hours of programming where I gained experience and familiarity with test-driven development (TDD) and Agile methodologies.

### San Francisco State University

Political Science/ Women's Studies

Non-Degree Holding

## VOLUNTEERING

### Sacred Space · Community Outreach

2014 to Current

- Organized meet-ups to provide low-income members of the community with clothes, food, basic necessities and animal products when needed

### Equality California · Canvasser

2008 to 2008

- Engaged in conversations with Californians through face-to-face interactions about LGBT acceptance, marriage equality and LGBT rights

### Habitat For Humanity International · Construction

2001 to 2005

- Helped build and renovate houses for low-income families including rewiring to provide family with energy efficient electricity