

Kevin Brennan

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Versatile developer with full stack and wordpress experience. Able to build both static and full-stack websites (using git version control) from scratch in React, and experience in creating and using API's to create functional responsive web applications. Full stack experience using Ruby on Rails with a postgresSQL backend; React.js with Google Firestore backend and node.js server.

Two years experience in agency work as a Wordpress developer and copywriter in the Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania and as a Manager of Creative Operations at Urban Outfitters' headquarters.

Passion for building, teaching, and learning. B.A. in political science and psychology from Moravian University with two years of a 6-year Psychology PhD at Penn State University, and three years of additional psychology and computer science undergraduate schooling paid out-of-pocket.

Enthusiastically brings strong soft-skills in teamwork, communication, and creativity and hard-skills like coding, learning, debugging, and critical analysis that helps teams succeed. Personable, kind, critical thinking and research-oriented with a heavy background in education and an indefatigable passion for writing and software development makes for an invaluable addition to your team. I'll hit the ground running and I won't stop.

Technical Projects

Portfolio - [Website](#)

Twitter-like app - [Github](#) || [Demo](#) --|| Built with React with firebase backend ||--

Youtube Clone - [Github](#) || [Demo](#) --|| Built with React ||--

Dictation Application - [Github](#) || [Demo](#)

Technical Skills

React, Javascript, SQL, CSS3 && HTML5, Wordpress, OOP, API, Python, Node.js, Git, testing frameworks, frontend libraries, markdown

Employment History

Enter.net Website Developer and Designer (2020-present)

Small business serving over 1,000 national clients, offering website development and design services. Wordpress, jquery, CSS, customer service, team-based production pipeline.

Brennan Marketing Services (2015-2020)

Self-owned business providing local businesses with opportunities to get their product out there or promote their locations. Consultation, marketing, research, and development offered.

Web Developer Intern at KSA&D (2019)

Interned with a development team and spent most of my tenure working with our team and the city of Bethlehem to create their new website. Worked mostly with wordpress designing new content for clients and making their sites more responsive and interactive.

Emergency Certified Long-Term Substitute Teacher (2014-current)

I've had the pleasure of working with thousands of K-12 students in many different environments including general education, special education, AI, learning support, emotional support, life skills, 1:1 autistic support, and various remedial classrooms.

Supervisor at UPS (2019)

Managed seven employees for the preload shift (2am-11am) where I was responsible for processing and loading 9,000+ packages into trailers in a five-hour timeframe. Very intense environment that relied heavily on my own quick-thinking and brute forcing unrealistic deadlines to get the job done. I always got the job done either through positive management or through my own extreme labor output.

Manager of Creative Operations at Urban Outfitters Headquarters (2017-2018)

I played a critical role in the productivity of the entire Urban Outfitters company, both domestic and abroad. A jack-of-all-trades position, I saved the company millions in lawsuits; coordinated with large multinational sponsorship events, maintained the constant work-flow of 20 graphic designers; copy-checked, printed, shipped, and coordinated with around 120 Urban locations for their POP design needs; and I also acted as the office administrator for 50 graphic designers and executives.

Education

App Academy - San Francisco, California - 2018

- Highly selective 8-month immersive full stack team-based software engineering training program building frontend JS with React and Redux libraries, Ruby on Rails applications, and node.js,backend. Compressed C.S curriculum

Pennsylvania State University - PhD in Psychology-- 50 credits earned towards, withdrew

Moravian College - 2009-2013, B.A. in Political Science and Philosophy, minored in language and psychology -- Dean's List