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## PROJECTS

**superBoards** (Ruby on Rails, React.js/Flux) | [live](#) | [github](#)

*Productivity web app for organizing notes and projects. Inspired by Trello.*

- Implements drag-and-drop functionality using React DnD.
- Allows secure authentication using BCrypt and Omniauth with Facebook.
- Enables full text search through user's data with PgSearch.

**AsteroidBlast** (JavaScript, HTML5) | [live](#) | [github](#)

*Browser based game inspired by classic side-scrolling arcade shooter games.*

- Renders side-scrolling game view using multiple HTML5 Canvas layers.
- Implements collision detection based on trigonometric functions.

**ActiveRecord Lite** (Ruby, SQL) | [github](#)

*An implementation of Ruby on Rails' ActiveRecord core features.*

- Leverages Ruby metaprogramming principles to implement ORM.
- Abstracts complex SQL queries to Ruby classes via modules and inheritance.

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## SKILLS

<b>Ruby</b>	<b>Rails</b>	<b>SQL</b>	<b>HTML/CSS</b>	<b>SQL</b>
<b>JavaScript</b>	<b>jQuery</b>	<b>React.js</b>	<b>Flux</b>	<b>Git</b>

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## EXPERIENCE

**Capital Markets Accountant** - BNY Mellon

**2007 - 2015**

- Automated accounting tasks, eliminating 3 hours of daily production work.
- Investigated and resolved accounting system errors with global teams.
- Achieved accurate accounting of client funds on a daily basis over 8 years.

**Dance Instructor** - Brooklyn Swings

**2014 - 2015**

- Conducted flexible group classes for students of all levels and physical ability.

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## EDUCATION

**App Academy**

**2015 - 2016**

- Rigorous 1000-hour software development course with < 3% acceptance rate.

**Ramapo College of New Jersey**

**2004 - 2007**

- Bachelor of Science in Accounting, GPA: 3.47

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