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Skills

Development

I'm an experienced developer who has a passion for the open source community. My favorite languages to code with are Ruby and CoffeeScript, although I'm also comfortable with the more classical C and Java. I specialize in developing software for the web, and my favorite frameworks to work with are Ruby-on-Rails, Sinatra, and Backbone.js. Check out http://portfolio.marcusortiz.com for some examples of my work.

Experience

Red-Staple

From January 2011 to June 2012, I worked at a local startup called Red-Staple as their lead web developer and designer. There, I helped create a Ruby-on-Rails based web application that allows authors to upload and convert their Word documents into a format that's ready for distributing to e-book devices like the iPad.

Apple

During the summer of 2012, I joined Michal Fouquette's Automation & Reliability team at Apple as a software engineering intern. My work there consisted mostly of adding features to an internal testing tool that was also a Ruby-on-Rails based web application.

Open Source

http://github.com/mportiz08
I love to hack on side projects in my spare time and host many of these on Github. Lately, the projects that I've had the most fun with are rifffz and psio. Rifffz is a web-based music player, and Psio is a web-based system monitoring tool (that I'm currently working on).

Education

BS, Computer Science , California Polytechnic University (2008 - Present)

I'm currently a senior Computer Science major at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo and am planning on graduating in the Spring of 2013. I've taken a wide variety of relevant major courses, including Operating Systems, Algorithms, Software Engineering, Databases, and many others.