Nick Belanger

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Ruby, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (AJAX, JQuery, Node.js, React), Python, C/C++/C#, PHP

Databases: SQL, PostgreSQL

Software/Tools: Rails, RSpec, Capybara, React.js, Sass, Foundation, Git, GitHub, STATA

PROJECTS

(Personal) Trails: carlisletrails.herokuapp.com, github.com/nh-belanger/carlisle-trails

- Web application for the Carlisle Trails network
- Ruby on Rails web app with PostgreSQL backend, Foundation with custom CSS styling, Google Maps API, Darksky API, Devise user authentication, Omniauth integration, Amazon S3 image storage with carrierwave

(Launch Academy) Gopher: gopher.herokuapp.com, github.com/nh-belanger/gopher

- Web application that enhances social aspects of country club membership
- Ruby on Rails web app with PostgreSQL backend, Foundation with custom CSS styling, React.js elements, Devise user authentication, custom mailer, and custom Javascript map element

(Launch Academy) SchwamIt: schwamit.herokuapp.com, github.com/sehrmann/SchwamIt

- Collaboratively built group project and review website for 90s phenomena
- Ruby on Rails web app featuring React.js elements, Foundation with custom CSS, Devise authentication, Amazon S3 image storage and custom mailer

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Launch Academy

Boston, MA

Apprentice Ruby on Rails Developer

November 2016 - February 2017

- 10-week, fully-immersive bootcamp to learn web development using Test-Driven Development, Object Oriented Programming, source control with Git, and Agile development methodologies
- Created multiple web applications and side projects utilizing Agile methodologies in a highly intensive group-learning environment, with an emphasis on pair programming and collaborative development

Federal Reserve Bank of Boston

Boston, MA

Information Technology / Technical Writing Intern

June 2015 - August 2015

- Technical Writing: Created standardized template for device and software documentation; developed and established interdepartmental standard operating procedures and how-to manuals for existing and newly introduced technologies
- Technical Support: Monitored software versions across multiple users and devices; performed on-site software updates; served as on-call technical support advisor providing both remote guidance and on-site assistance to resolve hardware and software issues
- Administration: Assisted in migration of pertinent resources and procedure documentation to new server; assisted in planning and participated in weekly department meetings

Priority 5 Holdings, Inc.

Needham, MA

Technical Writing Intern

May 2014 - August 2014

- Technical Writing: Contracted to refactor existing software manual in preparation for rollout of new software version
- Quality Control and Analysis: Identified software bugs and gaps through quality control function within user manual review and revision
- Sales/Installation Support: Served as project assistant responding to client/prospect service requirements; performed multiple functions under time and service quality pressure, from 3D model retrieval for use within the software, to exploration of new graphical assets, to the creation of short-term project tracking tools

EDUCATION

The College of Wooster

Wooster, OH

B.S. Economics, Minor in Computer Science

August 2012 - May 2016