

PETER KWAK

Front End Web Developer
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EXPERIENCE

Web Developer at MyFonts (Monotype)

Woburn, MA | 11/2014 – Present

- Developed responsive and functional user interface prototypes based on business requirements for MyFonts.com, the world's largest font distributor and a high traffic eCommerce site visited by millions of people every month
- Subscribed to modern workflows including automation via Grunt, preprocessing via SASS, and version control via Git
- Worked alongside design, QA, and business teams using an iterative process to ensure fully satisfying all requirements and expectations

Associate Engineer at BlueMetal Architects (merger w/Jornata)

Watertown, MA | 10/2014 – 11/2014

- Managed client SharePoint services by monitoring the health of the environment, managing software patches and updates, configuring software as services are deployed and enhanced, managing user accounts, and providing guidance on platform adoption

Associate Consultant at Jornata

Boston, MA | 04/2013 – 09/2014

- Developed SharePoint Intranets using custom web parts and scripts
- Setup and configured SharePoint farms and web applications
- Migrated existing SharePoint, Office and file share environments to Office 365 using best practices and well-documented technical approaches
- Executed test plans to ensure solution reliability and functionality

Web Developer at Massachusetts Electronic Dance Music Community

Boston, MA | 08/2013 - Current

- Managed multitude of responsibilities including design, custom WordPress development, SEO, migration, administration, and maintenance
- Increased unique pageviews per month using proper SEO strategies to over 80k/month (close to 300% increase)
- Optimized website backend using caching and code optimization
- Utilized HTML, CSS, PHP, and jQuery in updating and maintaining the design, code, and implementing new page layouts

SKILLS

- HTML5, CSS3, SASS, Responsive Design, Cross-browser testing, JavaScript, jQuery, Backbone.js, Underscore.js, Smarty, MySQL, PHP, Photoshop, WordPress, Unit Testing, Git, Linux

EDUCATION

Smeal College of Business at Pennsylvania State University, University Park

- Major: Management Information Systems, Graduated May 2011
- Related Coursework: C++ Programming, Intro to Java Programming, Database Management, Information Systems Analysis, Object Oriented System Design, Enterprise Resource Management

SELF-STUDY

- LiveBlog – Created a liveblog web application using ASP.NET MVC3 to replicate ScribbleLive functionality
- ASP.NET 4.0 Web Development Using C# (August 2012 – Nov 2012), ASP.NET MVC3 Framework, Razor View Engine, JQuery (August 2010 – May 2011)