## PHIL DINUZZO

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#### **SUMMARY**

Adaptive and collaborative front-end developer. Transitioned into a programming career through a combination of self-education and an immersive web development course. Applied and expanded my skills as an integral part of a small engineering team at an early-stage startup. Seeking new opportunities to meaningfully contribute to large web applications.

Technical Skills JavaScript, Python, Ruby

Backbone.js, Django, Rails jQuery, LESS, Sass, Git

General Skills Proven quick learner able to pick up new technologies and adapt to

changing circumstances.

Outstanding communicator. Able to work effectively with people across

all functions, backgrounds and personalities.

Team player who thrives in collaborative environments. Experience

conducting training in both group settings and one-on-one.

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### SweatGuru June 2013 - Present

Primary front-end developer at an early-stage startup that provides web-based management and payment processing for fitness businesses and includes consumer and community components.

- Rebuilt all components of the SweatGuru web app, a Python/Django project with heavy utilization of Backbone.js, as part of a three-person engineering team.
- Built new site components and features including multiple custom calendars, social-media integrated profiles, and SaaS-style dashboards.
- Implemented rating, commenting and favoriting systems.
- Worked closely with founders and designers to create and implement new sitewide designs.
- Brought to life detailed mockups, designed and implemented user interactions.
- Active on all aspects of the project across the stack including creating new models and relationships, writing custom Python functions, implementing new libraries and organizing the project structure.
- Lead in ongoing development of PhoneGap mobile application for iOS.
- Engineering liaison for sales and customer support, working directly with clients to resolve issues and integrate their websites with SweatGuru.

# **BRIDGE Housing** 2006 - 2013

Prior to my transition to a career in programming, I worked for 6 years in a diverse project coordinator role for the largest non-profit provider of affordable housing in the state.

- Lead role in leasing, marketing and compliance for a statewide real estate developer and property management company.
- Developed tracking, reporting and marketing methods, many now standard procedure. Reported regularly to executive level staff, investors and government agencies.
- Supervised and trained small teams working remotely to lease-up new projects and turn around struggling properties.
- Provided extensive training on technology including a companywide rollout of Yardi SaaS and continual QA and training.

#### **MISCELLANY**

- Longtime San Francisco resident and Bay Area native. Amatuer tour guide and fan of all things local.
- Nerdy about: Baseball, comedy, politics and building PCs. Aspiring beer nerd.
- Teaching Assistant for Benicia High School's first computer class (1997-99). Eventually took every teacher's advice to "work in computers when you grow up".
- Additional experience includes management positions at Jason's Deli and Erik's DeliCafé and one summer in Kansas building a vineyard.

## **EDUCATION**

San Francisco State University

2005 - 2006

BA in International Relations, graduated with honors and a 3.88 GPA.

University of California, Santa Cruz

2001 - 2003