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Technology

Languages & Libraries

- Ruby, JavaScript, Java, SQL
- JQuery, Backbone, Bootstrap

Databases & Testing

- Postgres, MySQL
- RSpec, Capybara, Mocha

Agile Dev & Versioning

- PivotalTracker, Trello
- GitHub, Heroku

Experience

Web Developer, General Assembly's WDI Bootcamp

New York, NY — Winter 2014

For 12 weeks, 9-to-5, with 20+ hours of work outside of class, I attended courses and worked as a developer on full-stack web applications. In both collaborations with other students and while working on solo projects I found that I particularly shone at (and enjoyed) solving logical problems and code-flow challenges. Below is a sampling of my work:

- I developed an HTML5 game to simulate the life of a great white shark and taught myself the Phaser gaming framework to do so. Link here: http://youareashark.com/
- I worked in a team of four to create a music discovery app that lets users listen to local artists via the SoundCloud API. Link here: http://tinyplanetfm.herokuapp.com/

Legal Aide, The Law Offices of Michael S. Laminsoff

New York, NY — Spring 2013

I worked on a \$30 million wrongful incarceration suit against NYC, researched procedural law, briefed depositions, and amended complaints in cases involving police brutality. I was proud to work on affecting real world change for underrepresented groups.

Great White Shark Intern, Ocean's Research

Mossel Bay, South Africa — Winter 2011

I collected population dynamics data, tagged and trapped various species, and performed all tasks for maintenance and operation of small seacraft. As part of the team's field research, I used sonar equipment as well as visual references to identify sharks and cetaceans.

Education

Dartmouth College

Bachelor of Arts — May 2008 to June 2012

I graduated with Honors, majoring in English Literature with a Japanese Language minor. I completed a senior thesis for which I won the highest departmental award as well as a cash prize.