**JT Nimoy**

391 Ellis St, San Francisco, CA 94102

(650) 534 2377 • j@jtn.im

Portfolio of work at http://jtnimoy.net/projects.php

Curriculum Vitae at http://jtnimoy.net/cv.php

#Career Objective

To support myself as a creative developer in SF Bay and escape homelessness.

#Core Competencies

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| * Programming * Infrastructure * Dev Leading | * Graphic Design * UX Prototyping * Design Research | * Co-founding * Teaching |

#Professional Experience

* **Canolikids.com** (August, 2018 -April 2019) - Creative Technologist at children’s book startup that uses high tech avatar customizations. Working in Processing, C++, ImageMagick, ReactJS, Firebase, Google AppEngine, and Stripe API.
* **GrassRootsCampaigns** (June 2018 - July 2018) - Street Canvasser for Southern Poverty Law Center (SPLC)
* **Chris Cunningham Studios** (June, 2016) - prototyped video game demo in OpenFrameworks, then ported it to C# and Unity3D for HTC Vive VR.
* **Jtnimoy Studio LLC** (2004-present) - accepting freelance clients in full stack webdev, creative code contracts. Online sales of custom software, maintenance of open source code.
* **California College of Arts** (2014-2016) - Senior lecturer of Processing and Arduino related courses under the graphic design graduate department, San Francisco campus. Authored and owned my own teaching materials.
* **TEEM** (2012-2013) - Cofounded and run a small consultancy doing UX prototyping for Samsung’s set-top. CTO role.
* **Galler.ee** (2011-2015) - Cofounded and run a subscription-based design library, servicing the professional photography industry.
* **Motorola Mobility / Google** (2010-2012) - Senior creative developer in Design Language group of Customer Experience. MMI was acquired by Google during my employment period.
* **Digital Domain** (2009) - Lead creative coder on multiple television commercial campaigns and one movie, Disney’s Tron:Legacy
* **Motion Theory / Mirada** (2006-2009) - Lead creative coder on multiple television commercial campaigns and music promotional videos.

#Additional Backend Experience

* **Grand Central Station** (2012 - present) - Open source web server that uses Google Cloud Storage as the file system. Deployed in two projects already.
* **RealAudio Circumnavigation Proxy** (2011) - developed a quick and dirty proxy to see if i could filter realaudio files into something a modern browser could play without a plugin. It was a gift to my father.

#Teaching

* **California College of Arts** (CCA) Graphic Design , 2014-2016 - Graduate lecturer teaching basic code and circuit design (Processing and Arduino) to incoming graphic design students.
* **Countless web tutorials** (2000-present) - I’ve written many tutorials mostly around the subject of visual coding. My tech-evangelism contributed to the spread of *Processing* in the early-mid 2000s.

#Education

* **New York University** (NYU) Interactive Telecommunications Program (ITP) , 2002-2004 - Graduate studies in experimental new media at Tisch School of Arts in Manhattan. Dean's Fellowship Recipient.
* **MIT Media Lab**, 1999 - Visiting researcher (UROP) in computational aesthetics in the Aesthetics and Computation Group (ACG) lead by Prof. John Maeda. Additionally Mentored by Casey Reas and Golan Levin.
* **University of California Los Angeles**, 1997-2002 - Bachelor of Arts from the Department of Design | Media Arts, with a specialization in digital cultures and technologies. Dean's Honors List.
* **California State Summer School for the Arts**, Calarts 1996, 1997 - Two years - Focused studies in experimental painting / photography / installation / performance / creativity at California Institute for the Arts, Valencia, CA
* **Palos Verdes Peninsula High School**, Los Angeles - Fine Art and Illustration studies focus, class of 1997

#Additional Skills

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| * CNC Carpentry * Sewing * Cat Breeding | * Physical Computing * Systems Administration * Data Visualization | * Sound Design * Music Production * English Writing |

#Awards

* Named *Future Founder* by Bloomberg Beta*,* class of 2016
* Named an *Intel Software Innovator* in 2015
* Recipient of NYU *Dean's Fellowship*, 2003

#Personal Interests

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| * Visual Art * Artificial Creativity * Open Source | * Transgender Activism * Community Building * Spiritual Growth |