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EDUCATION

Illinois Institute of Technology:

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science *August 2003 - December 2007*

Bachelor of Science in Physics *August 2003 - December 2007*

WORK EXPERIENCE

Web Developer at Webitects, Inc *February 2008 - Present*

- Lead developer for communitycollab.org social networking portal with 500+ users.
- Lead developer of webitects.com, which was built in 3 weeks.
- Maintained Subversion and Git code repositories.
- Created a dynamic, virtualized staging environment built on VirtualBox.

SIDE PROJECTS

Opendata (<http://opendata.heroku.com>) *October 2009 - Present*

- Developing a system to import and store public data with a JSON API.
- Developing applications to provide visualization of the stored data to the users.
- Currently maintaining 15 years of donation data for Illinois elections.

Potholes *October 2009 - Present*

- Tracks pothole information uploaded by users via twitpic service.
- Allows interested parties to verify and report potholes via official channels.

SKILLS

Web development:

- Ruby on Rails:
 - 15 months of rails work experience.
 - Rails Contributor with 3 patches (<http://bit.ly/h7lRx>).
 - Extracted and customized various rails plugins and gems.
 - Proficient with ruby core language.
- Javascript:
 - Proficient with jQuery library and unobtrusive javascript techniques.
 - Proficient with object-oriented programming using prototypal inheritance.
 - Developed a javascript library for simple REST resources manipulation (<http://bit.ly/tAk9b>).
- Testing:
 - 10 months work experience of Test Driven Development using Shoulda testing framework.
 - Extended Shoulda to utilize setup - evaluate - check/should workflow.
 - Utilized cucumber (webrat + selenium) for integration testing.
 - Javascript unit testing using QUnit.
- Highly proficient with RESTful web application design.
- Fluent in (X)HTML and CSS.
- Used both Mongrel cluster and Passenger deployments.
- Used MySQL database in production with Sphinx full text searching.

Other:

- Proficient using Git and Subversion.
- Long time Linux developer (Ubuntu, Archlinux, Redhat).
- 4 years of Java experience.
- 7 years of C++ experience.