Randy Latz

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Statement

I am an open and collaborative problem solver. I believe that having a wide variety of perspectives is the best way to grow, so I actively identify and cultivate the strengths of those I work with. I learn from these strengths and make them my own. This approach provides the means to affect positive change in the world around me.

Technical Skills

Ruby, Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, JQuery, Backbone.js, PostgreSQL, RSpec, Jasmine, JSON, AJAX, CSS3, HTML5

Experience

General Assembly

Washington, DC - 2014-2014

12 week immersive full stack web development course with heavy focus on Ruby, Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, JQuery, Backbone.js, PostgreSQL, agile development processes, test/behavior driven development, as well as introductions to a variety of other technologies.

Accomplishments

- Completed three week-long development sprints. Two for individual projects, as well as one with a group focus.
- Gained familiarity with the agile development process, specifically scrum.
- Utilized entity relationship diagrams, user stories, and wireframes project development tools.
- Utilized both test and behavior driven development methodologies in the process of creating web applications.
- Individually explored new technologies including AngularJS and D3.js.

Homemade Pizza Co.

Washington, DC - 2011-2014

Team lead role in managing a small group of employees in a high-paced, service oriented environment. Highly focused on client service and employee development.

Accomplishments

- Became the preferred point of contact for a variety of my regular clients.
- Developed strong communication skills with employees, superiors and clients.
- Entrusted with significant levels of responsibility in all aspects of store management.

Education

Lakeland Community College

AAS Criminal Justice - 2007-2009

Kent State University

BS Biological Anthropology - 2003-2007