Ryan Couto

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EXPERIENCE Software Developer - Sweeten (2015 -) - New York City, NY

- Developed Ruby on Rails application during high growth period
- → Used MySQL, Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, AJAX, React.js, jQuery, HTML, CSS, AWS
- → Implemented TDD workflow using RSpec
- → Maintained Python web-scraping script, along with corresponding CartoDB geospatial database of all renovation projects in New York City
- → Reconfigured content-based matching algorithm for greater accuracy

Software QA Analyst - Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory (2012-2013) - Berkeley, CA

- → Worked with developers to test web-based applications
- → Learned SQL to create scripts corresponding to stored procedures
- → Maintained a database of radioactive containers owned by the Dept. of Energy

SKILLS

Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, AJAX, Backbone.js, React.js, jQuery, HTML, CSS, RSpec, Heroku, PostgreSQL, MySQL, AWS S3, Git

EDUCATION

UC Berkeley - Bachelor's in Applied Mathematics: Statistics (Dec 2014) Berkeley, CA

→ Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs, Linear Algebra, Real Analysis, Numerical Analysis, Probability

App Academy - Full Stack Web Development (Aug 2015) New York, NY

→ Course curriculum

PROJECTS

ShopUp (Ruby on Rails, Backbone.js) | live | github

Airbnb inspired app for commercial pop-up store rentals

- → Backbone front-end consumes RESTful JSON API served by Rails back-end
 - → Overrides Backbone parse methods to create front-end model associations
 - → OmniAuth allows login through Google
 - → Geocoding allows searches within user-defined radius
 - → Uses AWS S3 and Paperclip for file uploads
 - → User authentication utilizes BCrypt to store secret password hash

Snakes on a Euclidean Plane (JavaScript, jQuery, HTML5) | live | github

Snake game made with JavaScript, jQuery, and HTML5

- → Utilizes JavaScript asynchronicity to render every 100 milliseconds
- → Dynamically updates score

Chess (Ruby) | live | github

Command line chess game

- → Game pieces inherit move functionality from parent classes to DRY up code
- → Uses custom deep duplication method on board to validate moves