

## PORTFOLIO

ryanjyost.com

- **TheDailyGray.com** – Explore political news & opinions using a custom grid system; Left-right political spectrum on the x-axis, subjectivity spectrum on the y-axis. Fully customizable filtering. **React, Node.js, MongoDB**
- **FirstJobFinance.com** – Tools, calculators and checklists to help adults-in-progress stress less about their personal finances. **Ember.js**
- **The Daily Gray Chrome Extension** – Used to efficiently rate, curate and submit content to The Daily Gray.
- **Rainy Day Fund App** – Helps users establish an emergency fund. **React, Redux**
- **The Daily Gray Blog** – A simple blogging platform with inline post creation tools. **Node.js, Express, MongoDB**
- **Blisst** – A WordPress site with a custom child theme for sharing and discussing interesting books, articles and more with friends. **WordPress, PHP, CSS, jQuery**
- **Open Source Contributions**
  - Ember.js Guides – Fixed an out-of-date screenshot in main tutorial
  - Node-open-graph – Added backup functionality to gather document title if no “og:title” meta present

## SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS

- JavaScript (proficient), Python (novice)
- React (proficient), Redux (novice), Ember.js (proficient), jQuery, Sass, Bootstrap
- Node.js, Express, MongoDB (proficient)
- WordPress, PHP (WordPress customization)
- CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ professional
- Registered Investment Advisor (Series 65)

## EMPLOYMENT

### **Brownson, Rehms & Foxworth, Financial & Investment Advisors**

*Analyst*

Chicago, IL

06/2015 – 07/2017

*Associate*

07/2017 – present

- Developed complex, bespoke materials in Excel based on client needs, goals and feedback
- Spearheaded development of the first quarterly market report in the firm's history, from initial idea to final product, which is now distributed to clients and prospects
- Initiated and led the firm's monthly knowledge-sharing meetings for analysts and associates
- Created a data aggregation and organization tool that enhanced the efficiency of our investment performance and tracking processes
- Maintained and improved upon legacy Excel spreadsheets
- Communicated directly with clients and other professionals
- Managed a large, diverse range of data resources and channeled them into client-ready deliverables

## EDUCATION

### **University of Michigan, College of Literature, Science & the Arts**

Ann Arbor, MI

BA in Economics and BA in German

Fall 2011 – Spring 2015

- GPA: 3.88/4.0; Graduated with High Distinction
- Notable courses completed: Statistics, Multivariable Calculus, Game Theory, Mathematical Statistics, Econometrics, Formal Logic