

Ryan Atkinson

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OBJECTIVE:

To gain fulfilling employment as a front-end web developer.

EDUCATION:

Front End Engineering Course Graduate

The Iron Yard - St. Petersburg/Tampa FL (Aug 2015 - Nov 2015)

B.S. in Civil Engineering, Minor in Green Engineering

Virginia Polytechnic and State University (Virginia Tech), Blacksburg VA (Aug 2011 - May 2014)

Overall GPA: 3.32 / 4.0 In Major GPA: 3.39 / 4.0 Dean's List Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Spring 2014

RELEVANT COURSEWORK:

- Front-End Web Development
 - Proficient in modern, single-page web app production
 - HTML, CSS, and Javascript experienced
 - Familiar with software development workflow tools: Gulp, Yeoman, Github
 - Fluidity in usage of preprocessors Jade (HTML) and Sass/Scss/Less (CSS)
 - Understanding of responsive design principles, with and without Bootstrap framework
 - Experience with JS frameworks: Backbone and React (and to a lesser extent Angular)
 - Proficient in using the command line and various package managers (npm, bower)
 - Consistent usage of JS style standards, modular design, and ES6/Babel
 - Dedicated Project Manager for class group assignments
- Intro to Computer Programming in C++
 - Familiarity with basic computer programming paradigms
 - Experience using a relatively low-level programming language, C++
- Technical Writing
 - Proficiency in professional writing skills and communication
 - Understand basics of effective graphic design and typography
- Public Speaking
 - Comfort and experience with public speaking, both professionally and nonprofessionally

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

Assistant Engineer

Hazen and Sawyer, P.C., Virginia Beach VA (June 2014 - Feb 2015)

Primary roles: Managing a small field survey crew, contributing to and checking engineering reports for quality, designing engineering related graphics, and serving as a professional representative to various clients.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE & SKILLS:

- Social involvements: Open Code, Suncoast Developer's Guild, Front-End Design Meetup, Barcamp2015.
- Teaching Assistant - HTML/CSS Kids Classes at The Iron Yard (Fall 2015).
- ASCE VT Student Chapter Activities Director (Fall 2013 - Spring 2014).
- Excellent whiteboard writer, possess above-average handwriting, and have an affinity for language and poetry.
- 1+ years experience in martial arts (Blue Belt in Brazilian Jiu Jitsu).
- Strong subfocus of college curriculum on principles of environmental sustainability, and related engineering/politics.
- Additional work experience throughout life: dishwasher, night manager of a sandwich shop, and contracting work.
- Comfortable using both MAC and PC hardware, operating systems, and software.