# Sam Rose

# Web Designer & Developer

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# Summary

Web Developer, User Experience Designer, Composer & Bassist

# Experience

## Cashier at Sprouts Farmers Market

July 2016 - August 2016 (2 months)

Worked in front-end as an associate cashier at Sprouts Farmers Market

## Lead Web Developer at California Institute of the Arts' Student Council

November 2014 - April 2015 (6 months)

Responsibilities

Designed and developed a desktop and mobile website for California Institute of the Arts' 2015 Arts Festival; collaborated with graphic designers; managed website content for the festival.

## Accomplishments

Created a static website with HTML5, CSS3, jQuery and Twitter Bootstrap; Created a wordpress theme and simplified admin control panel for non-tech savvy team members to use the website.

Skills Used

Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC; coded in PHP, HTML5, CSS, Javascript (jQuery)

# Design Intern at UNIT partners

July 2014 - August 2014 (2 months)

Responsibilities

Managed weekly email newsletters; Coded custom emails; Updated website code in client websites; Kept workspaces and storage areas clean and organized, Organizing of typefaces, fonts and creative content on internal servers; Prepared meeting spaces for use prior to client meetings; Coffee and mail runner

#### Accomplishments

Designed and assisted in the creation of an website advertisement banner; Learned how to operate as a team in a fast-pace environment; Learned how to use Adobe Flash CC & InDesign CC for prototyping, research and development, Learned about typeface & font design and uses in design

Skills Used

Legacy HTML4/CSS1/2; HTML5/CSS3; Adobe Creative Cloud: Flash, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop; Suitcase Fusion (font manager)

#### Web Developer at California Institute of the Arts

October 2013 - May 2014 (8 months)

Responsibilities

Designed and developed the desktop and mobile website for the California Institute of the Arts 2014 Digital Arts Exposition/Conference; collaborated with the graphic design team; coded and debugged various issues that came up.

#### Accomplishments

Created a custom Wordpress theme that allowed non-tech savvy team members to easily enter/parse information; optimized the webserver security and overall performance.

Skills Used

Adobe CC: Illustrator, InDesign, Muse; PHP/MySQL, HTML5, SASS, jQuery

## Teaching Assistant at California Institute of the Arts

January 2013 - May 2014 (1 year 5 months)

Responsibilities

Assisted students during TA sessions after class; How to design and code their own wordpress themes; teaching PHP/CSS/JS

#### Accomplishments

Helped primary instructor convey complex technological concepts to non-tech savvy students; Contributed feedback to primary instructor on student learning objectives and delivery

Skills Used

Communication, listening and simplification of technological concepts; PHP, JS, CSS; some MySQL/Graphic design

# Freelance Web Developer

November 2012 - March 2014 (1 year 5 months)

Responsibilities

Developed website for Los Angeles artist Jade Jackson.

Accomplishments

Created dynamic website for musician to promote her music and concert schedule. Wrote original Wordpress theme.

Skills Used

PHP, HTML, CSS, Javascript (jQuery), MySQL, Wordpress, Soundcloud API, Facebook API

## Developer

June 2012 - December 2012 (7 months)

Co-Founder, Frontend/UI developer, Ruby on Rails developer

#### Music Assistant/Performer

July 2012 - July 2012 (1 month)

Responsibilities

Coached musicians of various ages and performed as a classical contrabassist

#### Accomplishments

Helped instill enthusiasm, confidence and performance skills in the Summer Workshop musicians

Skills Used

Team building, music instruction, performance techniques

#### Warehouse Worker

June 2011 - July 2011 (2 months)

Assisting with organizing inventory, managing shipments, operating pallet jacks, directing traffic for loading zones & loading trucks

# Education

California Institute of the Arts

Bachelor's of Arts in Music Technology, Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design, 2011 - 2017

California Institute of the Arts

Bachelors in Fine Arts, Music Technology, 2011 - 2015

Activities and Societies: CalArts orchestra, Various quintets and quartets, Solo contrabass, Country group, Ruby Development, Web Development, Networking Development

Christian Brothers High School

High School GED, 2007 - 2011

Activities and Societies: Classical Bass, String Ensemble, Dolche Fuoco String Quintet, Musician, Vocalist

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