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► SUMMARY

I'm a web developer who values function and design. Products and websites built in a thoughtful manner are beneficial to the general community, and it's something worth constantly striving toward. There's something very fulfilling and powerful in the act of making something, and being involved in the process is pretty incredible. I take great joy in learning new skills and putting what I've learned to use in an impactful, meaningful way.

► SKILLS

HTML5, CSS3, Ruby, JavaScript, SQL, Git, Agile Development, Microsoft Office, Rails, jQuery, QuickBooks

► EXPERIENCE

Student · Dev Bootcamp

Jan 2016 to Jun 2016 · Chicago, IL

- Took part in an intensive educational program aimed to produce fully capable web developers.
- Training included Ruby, Rails, and SQL along with a plethora of other web-based applications.
- Focused on building and maintaining a healthy team environment to bolster productivity and an empathetic workspace.

Staff Writer · DoomRocket

Jan 2015 to Current · Chicago, IL

- Review media (film, comic books, games) in a thoughtful, literary-minded manner.
- Provide clean, well-constructed copy for feature articles each week.
- Create projects and content for website with a self-motivated presence.

Trainer/Production Supervisor · Metric Coffee Co.

Nov 2013 to Apr 2016, Nov 2013 to Apr 2016 · Chicago, IL

- Helped start company, including location scouting, branding, initial client acquisition, sales, and production.
- Provided various educational training courses for 20+ clients (restaurants, cafes, etc.).
- Attended public events as brand ambassador, present demonstrations of our product and provide background information on our company to potential customers.
- Customer service duties include client communication, staff education, and equipment maintenance.

General Manager · Caffe Streets Inc.

Mar 2012 to Apr 2016, Mar 2012 to Apr 2016 · Chicago, IL

- Oversaw a rotating staff of 12 employees (scheduling, discipline, problem solving) on a day to day basis.
- Processed payroll with QuickBooks as well as state and federal taxes on a weekly, monthly, quarterly, and yearly basis.
- Met with vendors to assess and organize shop inventory and sales needs.
- Maintained an on-call status to troubleshoot irregular issues that arose and monitor shop functionality.

► EDUCATION

Dev Bootcamp

2016

Web Development and Computer Software

Illinois State University

Bachelor of Arts English Studies 2009

Studied literature with a focus on Gender Studies and Creative Writing

► VOLUNTEERING

New Gotham Coffee Community

Mar 2014 to Mar 2016

- Organized educational and competitive events in the Chicago coffee community.
- Participated in panels, judging competitions, and monitoring events as a whole.
- Acted as an ambassador to newcomers and visiting community professionals.