Sam Fahlberg

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Technologies and Languages

Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, React, Redux, Elasticsearch, Docker, PHP, MongoDB, SQL, GraphQL

Experience

| | Position | Organization | Achievements |
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| June 2016 to present | Full Stack Engineer | BrightBytes San Francisco, CA | Developed new frontend and backend features |
| | | | Wrote unit and feature tests |
| | | | Improved the micro-service structure by building new services in rails, react and elixir, and slimming down the rails monolith |
| | | | Created CRUD apps for admin users to manage non-admins, their data, and applications they want tracked |
| | | | Created a technical book club that met monthly and organized a monthly lunch-n-learn for increasing knowledge sharing in engineering |
| April 2015 to June 2016 | Software Engineer | Education.com San Mateo, CA | Worked in an agile environment in an education technology startup across frontend, backend, and devops |
| | | | Transitioned site to Elasticsearch from Sphinx |
| | | | Developed reports querying MongoDB and MySQL |
| | | | Implemented AB tests using Optimizely and an internal testing tool |
| August 2011 to August 2014 | Research Analyst | International Monetary Fund Washington, D.C. | Acted as data scientist for African countries, writing code in Stata and MATLAB for economic research and analysis; coded in VBA for a 4x increase in productivity |
| | | | Managed and updated SQL databases for five African countries. Was selected to travel to three African countries as the expert to manage the database software |

Personal Projects

| Project | Link | Description |
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| Rebalancer | github.com/sfahlberg/rebalancer | Crawls Vanguard.com, parses CSVs to determine what the user should buy or sell to rebalance the user's portfolio, developed using TDD |

Education

| 2006 to 2010 BS Finance High Honors | University of Illinois | Selected by faculty for Finance Academy: an enrichment program for the top 10% of finance majors |
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| GPA 3.83/4.0 | 0 Urbana- Champaign | |

Activities: trumpet in jazz quartet, cyclist, mandolin, backpacker Fluent in French Eagle Scout Award