

# LAURA MEAD

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## EDUCATION

### University of California, Los Angeles

- B.A, English and Literature
- Received the Herb Alpert full-ride, merit-based scholarship for Oboe Performance
- UCLA Opera, UCLA Chorale, UCLA Philharmonia/Symphony/ Wind Ensemble
- Pi Beta Phi / National Panhellenic Council: VP of Communications, VP of Recruitment

### La Canada High School

- California Scholarship Federation
- National Honor Society

## EXPERIENCE

### Dev Bootcamp

San Francisco, CA

Sept. 2013 – Nov. 2013

- A 9-week intensive program; 700+ total hours spent creating test-driven, production-quality code.
- Managed multi-person projects with time-sensitive deadlines
- Created "No Reservations", a dynamic waitlist app for restaurants that notifies customers of their wait times for final project. ([noreservations.herokuapp.com](http://noreservations.herokuapp.com)) 96.6% test coverage over 650+ lines of code.

### Campus Tour Guide – UCLA

Los Angeles, CA

Feb. 2012 – June 2013

- Required skills in communication, public speaking and walking backwards
- Lead prospective students and their families on informative 2-hour long campus tours.
- Basic office work: scheduling personal and group tours, answering phones, responding to emails

### Intern for Legal Advisor of Grand Jury

Los Angeles, CA

June, 2012 – Sept. 2012

- Prepared Grand Jury courtroom for hearings by photocopying exhibits and important documents
- Observed criminal trials

## SKILLS AND AWARDS

### Web Development:

- Proficient in Ruby, HTML, CSS, Rails, ActiveRecord
- Familiar with Heroku, Sinatra, OO Javascript, AJAX, jQuery, SQL
- Comfortable with Unix command line, Git version control, Postgres
- Test-driven development with RSpec, Capybara, and Jasmine

### Honor Societies:

- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Sigma Alpha Lambda
- Phi Eta Sigma