

# Luke Wright

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## EDUCATION

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**The University of Texas at Austin**, Austin, TX May 2020  
*Bachelor of Science & Arts in Computer Science*  
Business Foundations Program  
Current Coursework: Data Structures, Discrete Math

## EXPERIENCE

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**Hipsters & Hamptonites**, New York, NY June 2014 – Present  
*Full Stack Web Developer*

- Collaborated remotely to implement client web applications utilizing modern practices and technology
- Developed responsive applications utilizing Ruby on Rails and several other frameworks and APIs
- Assisted in implementation of testing and optimization of large applications to improve performance at scale

**Rainforest Partnership**, Austin, TX Nov. 2012 – Aug. 2014  
*Technology Intern*

- Developed organization's primary website and several promotional websites
- Worked with several volunteers on web and internal technology needs of the organization

## PROJECTS

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- **Scholar Fund** – Developed crowdfunding platform for student scholarships in Ruby on Rails
  - **Balloonchallenge.org** – Developed backend for scientific challenge with several thousand student participants

## ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP

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**Global Space Balloon Challenge**, Remote Sept. 2014 – Present  
*Leadership Council – Web Lead*

- Developed and with maintained challenge website and forums handling global submissions from hundreds of teams
- Collaborated with collegiate and professional team distributed across nation

**FWD.us**, Austin, TX Sept. 2014 – June 2016  
*Austin Chapter 2.0 Ambassador*

- Lead a group of several dozen local technical students and professionals interested in politics
- Held monthly meetings to coordinate technical volunteers assisting with national FWD.us efforts

**StudentRND**, Seattle, WA Jan. 2014 – Nov. 2014  
*CodeDay Austin Organizer*

- Organized several 24 hour hackathons for K-12 and college students
- Responsibilities included securing venues, sponsors, judges, marketing, and running the event day of

## TECHNICAL SKILLS AND INTERESTS

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**Languages:** Experienced in Java, Ruby on Rails, HTML, CSS; Comfortable with Python, Javascript  
**Interests:** Web Development, Hackathons, Entrepreneurship, Water Skiing

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Hacking Generation Y – First Place – Feb. 2015
  - Treehacks – Microsoft Sponsor Prize – Feb. 2015
  - Facebook Texas Hackathon – Third Place – March 2014