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PROFILE

I am a software developer focused on writing clear and efficient code. I bring to the table hard technical skills, a proven ability to learn fast, experience in decision-making and hands-on knowledge of startups.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Confident:		**Developing:**	
Ruby	HTML / CSS	JS / jQuery	Angular
Rails, Sinatra	Git Workflow	Python / Scheme	Java
BDD / TDD	Agile Processes	MySQL, Postgres, Mongo	Octave

CODING PROJECTS

2014   **PRIMO – Probabilistic Inference Modelling**
Machine Learning Rubygem
Available at github.com/sotoseattle/Primo
Based on the course "Probabilistic Graphical Models", by Prof. Koller (Stanford U.)
Translated and improved upon the course's code base from Octave to Ruby

2013   **CHINESE UTILITIES**
Traditional Chinese linguistic tools
Available at chunfu.herokuapp.com
A small sample of the work I developed at Xinaptic for freelance translators
Self taught the technologies used: Sinatra, PostgreSQL jQuery, and Agile workflow

EXPERIENCE

2011-2013   **XINAPTIC, LLC.**   *Co-Founder and Developer*   Seattle, WA
- Built a prototype app for professional translators that parsed Chinese texts with a professional-grade rate of accuracy
- Taught myself the following languages and tools to develop it: Ruby & Sinatra, JQuery, MongoDB & SQL, HTML/CSS

2001-2010   **ACE GLOBAL SICAV, S.A.**   *Chief Executive Officer*   Madrid, Spain
- Doubled the NAVPS (share price) of €34 million equity portfolio

EDUCATION

2014	**CODE FELLOWS** *Certificate in Ruby on Rails*	Seattle, WA
1997-1999	**CORNELL UNIV.** *Master in Business Administration*	Ithaca, NY
1986-1993	**UNIVERSIDAD POLITÉCNICA** *B.S. & Master in Engineering*	Madrid, Spain