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EMPLOYMENT

SK Intertainment, Inc, Lead Front-End Rails Developer

Employment: Dec 2010 — Current

Duties:

- 2016-Current: SCRUM Master (working towards CSM)
- Manage technical department tasking assignments, specing, documenting, deadlines, and employees (3 remote, 7 in-house) with the assistance of JIRA
- Create/Maintain high-traffic properties with Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, CSS, HTML
- Perform multi-variate split tests to increase bottom line and conversion goals
- On-call for Sentry alerts, Customer Service reports, and emergency outages
- Provide assistance and direction to development team via Pairing, PR Reviews, etc.

Tech: JavaScript, BackboneJS, Ruby on Rails, Ruby, RSpec, Require.js, jQuery, ElasticSearch, Git, Unicorn, Passenger, Bluepill, Redis/Resque, MySQL, Memcached

ViperDezigns, Inc, Developer / CEO

Employment: Dec. 2005 – 2013

Duties: Manage team of 5 employees, handle daily client requests for updates and upgrades.

Tech: PHP4 & 5, MySQL Database, XHTML Design, CSS(3)

EDUCATION: *Westwood College, 2004 – 2006*

7350 North Broadway

Denver, CO 80221-3653

GPA: 4.0 / Associates in Web Design & Multimedia

Portage High School, 2000-2004

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GPA: 3.5

CODE EXAMPLES:

(Examples below are open source, available to take Code Challenges or provide other samples)

(JavaScript/CoffeeScript + Test Suite)

<https://github.com/spodlecki/formtastic-js>

Based on the popular Formtastic Rails gem, I was tired of writing form html for SPA. This repo is a work in progress but comes with a full jasmine test suite and is only really missing the nice-to-have fields.

https://github.com/mrskin/scrum_planning_poker

A quick NodeJS solution to Planning Poker. WebSockets, NodeJS, BackboneJS, Heroku Deployment

(Rails)

<https://github.com/spodlecki/elasticsearch-autocomplete>

A gem that was written for Ruby on Rails + ElasticSearch. Autocomplete seems easily done, until you dive into the advanced query setup. This was built to save time and code on the projects using Autocomplete Features. It gives a base of configs for ElasticSearch document types.

<https://github.com/bgarret/google-analytics-rails>

A gem I've recently taken over and redeveloped using Universal Analytics versus GA's old ga.js.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

Excelled knowledge in:

- Responsive Design
- User Experience Development
- A/B & Multi-variate Split Testing
- Cross-browser design & compatibility
- Languages: JavaScript, CSS, Ruby on Rails, Ruby, PHP
 - **Ruby on Rails:** 3.2-4.2.5.1, Asset Pipeline, Gems, Rails Engines
 - **Javascript:** Native, Backbone JS, jQuery, YUI 3, RequireJS, CoffeeScript, Underscore
 - **CSS:** CSS3, SASS, Bootstrap 2 & 3, Media Queries
 - **PHP:** 4 & 5, Kohana
- MySQL Database Design & Optimization
- Video Encoding (FFMPEG), HTML5 Video, JWPlayer
- Content Delivery Networks + Token Authentication
- Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Flash, InDesign)
- Ubuntu / Basic DevOps knowledge and experience
- Strong leadership and communication skills
- Marketing and Business Management
- Working on a timeline and in fast paced environment

Familiar Knowledge in:

- Flash ActionScript 3, Adobe After Effects, CGI/Perl Coding, & Networking