Stephen W. Delaney

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SUMMARY

Web developer with a passion for creative problem-solving, interested primarily in back-end development. Critical thinker with high attention to detail and strong project management skills.

EXPERIENCE

Skokie Public Library-Skokie, IL

Web Developer April 2016 – Present

- Sole developer in charge of building and maintaining Django codebase for both public-facing website and internal staff intranet.
- Design and build custom web applications, including a summer reading program, an analytics dashboard, a FAQ tool and a conference attendance request system.
- Integrate third-party library services including Bibliocommons and Communico.
- Day-to-day skills require expertise in Python, Django, PostgreSQL, MySQL, JavaScript and Jekyll.

General Assembly - Chicago, IL

Web Development Immersive Student

Oct. 2015 - Jan. 2016

- Built BuddyBeats from scratch, a collaborative playlist application, using Ruby on Rails.
- Used Express.js, Backbone.js and MongoDB to provide the structure for CopyChef, a recipe API.
- Developed the back-end of Running M8, a marathon training application, with Sinatra and Ruby.
- Core Languages Learned: HTML5, CSS/Sass, JavaScript, jQuery, Ruby
- Related Skills: Active Record, Ajax, Backbone.js, Bootstrap, Express.js, Handlebars.js, jQuery UI, MongoDB, Node.js, PostgreSQL, Rake, Ruby on Rails, Servers, Sinatra, Underscore.js

Groupon - Chicago, IL

Pipeline Coordinator

Oct. 2014 - Sept. 2015

- Oversaw Quality Assurance processes. Proofed copy and templates prior to launching deals.
- Collaborated across departments to efficiently correct any errors or inconsistencies within deals.

Kellogg School of Management - Evanston, IL

Human Resources Assistant

Mar. 2014 - Sept. 2014

- Facilitated communication between hiring managers, candidates, Central HR and consultants.
- Generated and verified metrics, both for standard reports and special requests.
- Recipient of the Kellogg Executive Education Exceptional Partner Award.

Davidoff Communications - Chicago, IL

Assistant Account Executive

Dec. 2011 - Oct. 2013

- Managed four to five outside projects and served as the point-of-contact for multiple clients.
- Wrote and edited press releases, website copy and marketing materials.
- Gathered qualitative research through interviews, focus groups, competitive analyses and secondary research on trends and best practices.
- Developed and maintained timelines to ensure the production of key client deliverables.

VE Global (Voluntarios de la Esperanza) – Santiago, Chile

Coordinator of Marketing and Communications

Nov. 2010 - July 2011

EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin – Madison

Graduated Dec. 2009

Bachelor of Arts—Journalism and Mass Communication, Spanish

Cumulative GPA: 3.8

La Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Jan. 2009 – June 2009