# **SETH WIEDER**

#### **ABOUT**

A motivated creative technologist with a unique versatility of technical skills, creative aptitude, and business acumen. Aspiring for meaningful work and collaboration on several facets of a software company, including: R&D, user experience design, and innovative web development.

SKILLS	TECHNICAL		CREATIVE	UX
	HTML 5 / CSS 3	gulp / grunt	Responsive Design	Information Architecture
	ES6 Javascript	MySQL	Interaction Design	Wireframes
	AngularJS / ReactJS	git	3D Graphics	Rapid Prototypes
	NodeJS	CLI	Video Editing	User Research

# EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

### **SENIOR WEB SOFTWARE ENGINEER**

23Stories x Condé Nast

New York, NY 2015 - Present

- Coded responsive single-page web applications and dynamic web advertisements with an expert level of front-end software architecture, debugging, and performance optimization.
- Self-taught Node and ReactJS then built a reusable bootstrap with modern efficiency tools.
- Collaborated directly with Creative Directors on <u>high profile projects</u>. Providing valuable UX discussions, representing the engineering team to clients, and coding to a high standard.
- Accepted responsibility as co-leader of Engineering R&D. Developed a WebGL video player that expanded browser support for 360° video; increasing audience reach from 40% to 90%.

### FRONT-END SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Maynard, MA 2011 - 2015

Kaon Interactive

- Built <u>interactive marketing applications</u> that were deployed across a fully-responsive distribution network from iOS and Android to 60" touch-screen desktops.
- Learned a proprietary programming language based in Java called Meson. Then played a pivitol role in the company's transition to responsive web applications.
- Recognized a process inefficieny in content management, then researched and introduced a CMS. It was successfully integrated company-wide and drastically increased productivity.

## CONTRACT EXPERIENCE

### **UX DESIGNER & FRONT-END ENGINEER**

Octagon Digital

New York, NY 2015

- Rebuilt a database integrated internal sales tool from a static Flash application to a responsive single-page ReactJS web application.
- Consulted with the client and their digital agency to diagnose potential UX improvements. Conducted interviews with key stakeholders, and provided questionnaire for broader team.
- Redesign phase included rounds of <u>wireframes</u> and updated branding. Delivered above and beyond with an <u>animated motion prototypes</u> to better illustrate interaction design to client.

### **UX MOBILE PRODUCT DESIGNER**

Boston, MA 2014

Mi Alerts Mobile Application

• Worked with a startup to turn executive team's business concepts into an intuitive mobile application. Delivered a product design deck with an emphasis on intuitive user experience.

• Lead user interview sessions to test, refine, and confirm design decisions.

#### **EDUCATION**

### THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY