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# Tyler Garrett

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## Technical Skills

Javascript, Angular, Node, Express, Git, jQuery, HTML/Jade, CSS/Less, Mocha + Chai, Jasmine, Gulp, Grunt, Shell Scripting, Travis-CI / Continuous Integration + Deployment, VIM, Backbone, SQL & NoSQL

## Professional Experience

### **Yo - Software Engineer (Contract)**

2014

*Allows users to quickly and effortlessly send a notification with a link*

- Developed the official Chrome extension for Yo, which was a #1 Social Networking application
- Used Backbone.js, jQuery, and Less to re-create the native mobile app experience

### **Starfall Group LLC - Software Engineer, Designer & Co-Founder**

2013 - 2014

*Boosted models' web presence by creating a hosted landing page solution*

- Designed and built a clean and responsive user interface with Less/CSS and Jade/HTML
- Architected routing logic to serve content and interact with a postgres database

## Recent Projects

### **RegExpress - DevOps & Software Engineer**

2014

*Quickly and intuitively create regexes using a visual, drag and drop interface*

- Rapidly increased release cycle iteration by using Travis-CI to deploy to production & test servers
- Implemented logic to modify the regex tree data structure underlying the visual interface
- Created a dynamic user experience by leveraging Angular's two-way data binding

### **gifchat - DevOps & Software Engineer**

2014

*A chat application that takes your words and turns into a related gif*

- Leveraged the Firebase API to create a seamless, real-time chat experience
- Increased application speed and performance up to 200% by caching Giphy API results
- Used GitHub webhooks to continuously deploy to production and test servers

### **slush-react-fullstack generator - Software Engineer**

2014

*A CLI application that is used to generate full-stack React apps, utilizing Slush, Gulp, Backbone, and Koa*

- Extended functionality by refactoring the CLI to handle three times as many build options

## Education

**Hack Reactor** - Advanced Software Engineering Immersive

2014

**University of California, Irvine** - BA in Psychology, Cum Laude

2009 - 2011

## Additional Information

I'm interested in micro-social-networks, headphones & audio gear, mechanical keyboards, text editors, devops, and anything terminal-related. I'm also an avid music collector, motorcycle enthusiast, and traveller.