# **KAI HE**

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#### Experience

Software Consultant, Quorum Business Solutions — July 2013 - May 2015

- Successfully enhanced the scheduling module to calculate best uses of a Fortune 500 client's physical assets. (C# / SQL Server)
- ▶ Reduced batch process run-time by 30% via caching.
- Oversaw client transition to new module along with one other team member.

Electrical Eng. Intern, Boeing: Defense, Space, & Security — Summer 2012

- Designed and developed an internal software tool to control motion stages as part of a moving infrared air-target projector.
- ▶ Completed draft of testing procedures for a RS-422 communications interface.

# Research Intern, University of Texas at Austin - Summer 2011

- Performed research at the Microelectronics Research Center in the lab of Dr.
  Sanjay Banerjee. National Science Foundation REU ~10% acceptance rate.
- Investigated ferromagnetic nanoparticles for magnetic random access memory applications.

#### Skills

Ruby, JavaScript, Ruby on Rails, Backbone.js, ¡Query, SQL, Git, HTML, CSS, C#

## **Personal Projects**

## HeadOutdoors.me (GitHub | Live)

Online market to discover and book outdoor activities inspired by Viator.

- ▶ Single page application with a Rails JSON API and Backbone front-end.
- ▶ Uses custom composite view class to recursively remove subviews.
- ▶ Backbone models imitate Rails associations through custom parse methods.

#### ActiveRecord-Lite (GitHub)

Ruby ORM inspired by ActiveRecord

Supports basic database operations. Relies on meta-programming.

#### Breakout (GitHub | Live)

Arcade classic re-implemented for the browser

▶ Uses HTML5 canvas and ¡Query for dynamic graphics.

## **Education**

App Academy — June 2015 Cohort

Full stack web development course with an acceptance rate < 5%

Rice University, Houston, TX - B.S. in Electrical Engineering, 2013 GPA: 3.7/4.0