

# OMAR AHMAD

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS



HTML

CSS/SASS



Javascript

jQuery



React

Ajax



Lodash

node.js



## EXPERIENCE

### Web Developer Intern

*Take Us Out*

Dallas, TX

Oct 2016-Present

- Pair-programming with the lead web developer for a local startup's main website
- Working with Visual Studio, Git, Trello, HTML, and SASS to help develop fully responsive web pages in association with the lead graphic designer

### Front End Student

*The Iron Yard*

Dallas, TX

July 2016-Sept. 2016

- Developing a text-based fighting game, TypeFight, in React.js to help people improve their typing speed and accuracy in a fun and interactive way: [typefight.click](http://typefight.click)
- Making DFW Free Code Camp's website flexible and responsive: <http://dfwcodecamp.com/>
- Mapping and filtering an array of objects to specify which information we want to show from a user data base.
- Creating an interactive To-Do list and Guestbook list using RESTful APIs to store data on a server complete with an option to strikethrough or delete an item
- Using RESTful APIs to get data from various databases such as Github and Etsy to display them on a webpage
- Implementing various Javascript concepts including:
  1. how to display more text when "Read More" button is clicked (i.e. Amazon)
  2. flipping through an image gallery
  3. recreating Gmail's sidebar menu

4. making a simple calculator
  5. using setTimeout and setInterval to make an object move across the screen
  6. Object-oriented programming
- Using Lodash templating to insert DOM elements from our Javascript files
  - Creating an ice cream shop website from scratch using HTML and CSS
  - Recreating HackerNews's page layout
  - Making a standard blog layout from scratch
  - Recreating the HTML and CSS of Make This Year's website: <http://makethisyear.com/>

### **Front End Intern**

*GetPunch*

Dallas, TX

June 2016-July 2016

- Creating a local Dallas startup's mobile landing page
- Sketching out the draft on Balsamic
- Working with Bootstrap framework combined with CSS to help design their landing page

### **ESL Lecturer**

*Various educational institutions*

Thailand, China, Indonesia, Vietnam, Malaysia, and the USA

May 2007-Aug. 2015

- Teaching and evaluating the English language to students ages 13 – 60+ in a variety of educational institutions including colleges, private language schools, high schools, and junior high school
- Traveling and working in six different countries therefore having to adapt and adopt to various cultures, people, customs, working environments, languages, and food
- Providing students opportunities they may have never been able to reach without the knowledge of the world's lingua franca – English

## **EDUCATION**

### **Front End Engineering Certificate**

*The Iron Yard*

Three month intensive program

Dallas, TX

Sept. 2016

### **Master of Arts in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages**

*University of Central Florida*

Overall GPA: 4.0

Orlando, FL

May 2010

### **Bachelor of Science in Psychology**

*Southern Methodist University*

Dallas, TX

May 2006

## **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

### **Sunshine State TESOL Conference**

*Invited Speaker: Passports, Pedagogy & Pitfalls: Advice about Teaching Abroad*

Miami, FL

April 2009

## **PERSONAL SKILLS**

### **Presentations**

Experience presenting at teaching conferences as well as seven years teaching in a classroom.

### **Teaching**

Able to explain concepts in a clear, precise, and easy-to-understand way. Achieved teacher excellence awards throughout my career as a teacher.

### **Structured and efficient planner**

Developing curriculum, exams, and daily lesson plans for seven years has taught me how to be well-prepared.

### **Excellent teammate**

Experience in co-teaching and working closely with a multitude of different cultures, people, and administrations will transfer over wonderfully to pair-programming and working together with a team of programmers.