# **OMAR AHMAD**

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# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

HTML CSS
Javascript jQuery
React Ajax
Lodash MongoDB

## **EXPERIENCE**

Front End Student

The Iron Yard

Dallas, TX July 2016-Sept. 2016

- Developing a text-based fighting game in React.js to help people improve their typing speed and accuracy in a fun and interactive way
- 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: <a href="http://makethisyear.com/">http://makethisyear.com/</a>

Front End Intern

Dallas, TX June 2016-July 2016

GetPunch

- 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

- 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	Miami, FL
Invited Speaker: Passports, Pedagogy & Pitfalls: Advice about Teaching Abroad	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.