

# Vincent Trivett

Web Developer

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## Experience

### General Assembly Web Development Immersive

Feb - May 2014

Underwent 12-week intensive program in full-stack web development.

Learned and practiced agile software development methodologies and deployed web apps built with Ruby on Rails.

#### Projects:

**CameraPhile:** Mashed up Flickr and Amazon APIs to create a comparison shopping tool for cameras.

**TangoChan:** Developed an application for learning Japanese vocabulary on a four-person team.

**Stylii:** Produced a web app for rating and scheduling haircuts and showing stylists the type of haircut you want.

### Freelance Journalist/Translator

Nov 2008 - Feb 2014

#### Skift - Trends Analyst

June 2013 - Feb 2014

Independently researched and produced bi-weekly in-depth reports on travel industry trends with C-level interviews and data elements.

Spoke on behalf of the company in broadcast media.

#### Business Insider - Editorial Intern

May - Aug 2011

Created web-friendly, timely content about markets, technology, politics, and general interest subjects for a major news web site.

#### Bright Wave Media - Writer, Translator, Photographer

Dec 2008 - July 2010

Helped start Yokohama Seaside, Japan Beer Times, and Koe Magazines which cover the local art and cultural scene in both Japanese and English.

Interviewed sources in Japanese and translated articles to English. Took photos and assisted with layouts.

**Work has also appeared in:** Quartz, The Atlantic, WNYC and other outlets. Translated Japanese news for Nippon TV.

## Other Projects

**Smooth Streets:** An app for mapping and reporting potholes to local officials with one click. Won two prizes at the 2014 Red Hook Hackathon.

**BookCities:** Helped develop a setting-based book recommendation app. Finalist for the Publishing Hackathon of 2013.

## Technical Skills

Ruby on Rails

Sinatra

PostgreSQL

JavaScript

CoffeeScript

jQuery

Underscore.js

Backbone.js

AWS, Heroku

HTML5, Haml

CSS3, Sass

Responsive design

Test-driven development

MacOSX, Ubuntu

Git, Github, Trello, Pivotal

Tracker

Some familiarity with Python, PHP

## Education

### CUNY Graduate School of Journalism

Aug 2010 - Dec 2011

Studied digital journalism, specializing in business and economic reporting.

Created multimedia story packages with Flash and WordPress.

### Rutgers University

Sept 2002 - June 2006

Major in English, Minor in Political Science.

Graduated with High Honors, Phi Beta Kappa.