

# WADE GONG

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## SKILLS

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- Proficient: JavaScript, Node.js, Express, React, Redux, Sequelize, HTML, CSS, Mocha, Chai
- Knowledgeable: socket.io, React Native, jQuery, Python, SQL, Postgres, VBA, R
- Some Experience: OAuth, Passport, Firebase

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

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**SAGA** | [github.com/wadegong/Saga](https://github.com/wadegong/Saga) July 2017

- Built a real-time collaborative scavenger hunt mobile app incorporating inquisitive riddles, augmented reality mini-games, image recognition challenges, and geolocation puzzles
- Utilized Git and adhered to Agile methodologies to coordinate work streams across 3 member development team
- Implemented chapter/puzzle experience, user friending/story invitation workflow, leaderboard, and front end views

**PLANTAINGRAMS** | [plantaingrams.herokuapp.com](https://plantaingrams.herokuapp.com) June 2017

- Created a real-time multiplayer Scrabble board game variant (Bananagrams) where users must race against other users to create a valid grid of connected words
- Implemented basic game mechanics, word validations, in-game keyboard shortcuts, rating system, and leaderboard

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**FULLSTACK ACADEMY** Chicago, IL  
*Teaching Fellow* July 2017 – Present

- Support and mentor students in curriculum workshops; grade student assignments and in-class assessments
- Present lectures on ES6 features and technical interview problems

**SEARS HOLDINGS** Chicago, IL  
*Product Manager* Nov. 2015 – Apr. 2017

- Designed, operationalized, and iterated on critical business processes for new corporate e-commerce venture
- Managed off-site development/operations teams and outsourced rudimentary sub-processes
- Designed and managed implementation of new request intake feature, increasing repeat use rate by over 50%

*Senior Analyst* Feb. 2015 – Oct. 2015

- Drove design and implementation of website administrator portal to support Shopbolt CRM requirements
- Devised, tested, measured, and iterated on various marketing strategies across email, display, direct mail, and other marketing channels, increasing open and click-through rates by over 30%

**INFOSYS LIMITED** Chicago, IL  
*Analyst* Aug. 2013 – Jan. 2015

- Reviewed and documented learning & development processes across all major departments of a Fortune 500 automotive manufacturer, driving informed vendor decision criteria for the client's \$4 million investment
- Developed Excel dashboard to track/measure key project metrics, driving issue prioritization to project champions

## EDUCATION

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO** Chicago, IL  
*Bachelor of Arts in Economics* June 2013

- Cumulative GPA: 3.7/4.0, Dean's List 12 of 12 quarters
- Passed actuarial examination 1/P – Probability

**FULLSTACK ACADEMY OF CODE** Chicago, IL  
*Certificate of Completion* Apr. – July 2017

- Completed 800+ hours of coursework in full stack JavaScript development