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ABOUT ME

I believe technology can solve problems and connect people in ways that are yet to be dreamt, and I am passionate about being a part of a team striving towards creating one of those ideas. I want to work with the people, write the code, lead the team. I want to help change someone's life or how they solve their problems.

I have six years experience working in startups and over 10 years in the tech industry. I feel this makes me look at challenges differently and adds a powerful perspective to my daily life.

EXPERIENCE

Roost - Push Notifications for Websites - A Y Combinator Company 2013 - Present

Founding Team / Developer / Customer Support and Growth

- Lead customer support and partnerships / integrations including developing and launching a partner program on WordPress VIP and working with Alexa 300 websites
- Involved in determining strategic direction and business decisions
- Rewrote portions of a monolithic system into microservices increasing scalability to meet demands of 3M - 10M requests / hr
- Managed server infrastructure and deployment process through AWS and other relevant services. Leveraged automation / CI where possible.

Givt - Social Gifting / Hyper-local discovery 2012 - 2013

Developer / Digital Producer

- Active role in project planning and market research / usability testing
- Developed full stack - Backend / Frontend / Mobile

Google 2006 - 2008

Quality Rater

- Performed search engine evaluation and analyzed detailed results
- Tested websites for usability and compliance

SKILLS

JavaScript / Node / React / Ember / Go / Rails / PHP
/ HTML / CSS / Mongo / Full Stack / DevOps
Debugging / QA / Whiteboarding
Working with teams / Explaining complex topics

EDUCATION / QUALIFICATIONS

Y Combinator - S14

10gen - Mongo for Developers

University of Toledo - BA of Arts - Communications