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**PROFILE**

For the past several years, I've been an independent software developer. Working on the Mac, the web, and most recently, Windows, I create applications that solve tangible needs in the most elegant ways possible. I recognize the need for applications to be discrete, yet immersive, and always easy-to-use; I like to think of myself as a "design-conscious developer."

**EXPERIENCE****DEVELOPER, {13BOLD} – 2008-PRESENT**

Presently, I'm the developer for a small software label called {13bold}, which is responsible for such OS X software titles as Bowtie (a themeable iTunes controller) and Bluebird (a themeable Twitter client). Originally, I founded this collaboration with graphic designer Laurent Baumann; following his move to Apple, it's been more of a one-man show.

**CUSTOMER SUPPORT LIAISON, EXTENDMAC – 2009-PRESENT**

I answer the "phones" for Extendmac, the company behind the excellent Flow FTP client for Mac OS X. My job pretty much consists of responding to the flood of emails that makes its way through the company on a daily basis, and making sure every user leaves with a smile on their face.

**RENAISSANCE GUY, JERK.COM – 2009-PRESENT**

Jerk.com is a web start-up by Napster co-founder and CEO, John Fanning. I joined the team in September 2009, and since then, have been working as a sort of "renaissance guy:" I code, I design, and I act occasionally as resident visionary, but most importantly, I pitch to investors.

**EDUCATION**

Brown University, Providence, RI (expected graduation 2013)  
Pursuing an Sc.B. in Computer Science

**SKILLS**

- Experienced in object-oriented and procedural application design and implementation
- Well-versed in usability and human-computer interaction, including the Apple Human Interface Guidelines
- Highly proficient in modern web development technologies (HTML 5, CSS 3)
- Highly proficient in Objective-C (with Cocoa and Cocoa Touch), PHP, and JavaScript
- Moderately proficient in Python
- Conversational knowledge of Ruby (off Rails), Java, and C

**SPECIALTIES**

In the line of my personal work, I've developed a number of areas of unique strength. In particular, I've become quite familiar with developing sensible APIs and protocols for interaction, building customizable and themeable applications, and blending WebKit into Objective-C applications in unconventional ways.