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RUBY ON RAILS DEVELOPER

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Profile Ruby on Rails developer, former USAF Airborne Cryptological Linguist, brewery manager and Certified Cicerone® with over nine years of success managing craft brewery tasting rooms and brewpubs, now looking for an opportunity to succeed in the programming world.

Technical	Ruby on Rails	PostgreSQL	ActiveRecord
	Git	REST APIs	Heroku
	GitHub	RSpec	Bootstrap

Projects **Little Esty Shop**
"Little Esty Shop" is a group project that requires students to build a fictitious e-commerce platform where merchants and admins can manage inventory and fulfill customer invoices.

- Group Project
- Tech stack: Rails 5.2.6 Ruby 2.7.2 PostgreSQL Heroku

[GitHub repository](#)

NHL App

Project to become more familiar with API consumption and design elements as well as to track hockey stats and live scores. WIP

- Personal Project
- Tech stack: Rails 5.2.6, Ruby 2.7.2, Heroku, Circle CI

[GitHub repository](#)

[Deployed site](#)

Bragging Rights

"Bragging Rights" is a trivia competition app designed to consume two external APIs to gather questions and location data of players, and pass the information to our Frontend application. It's also responsible for scoring games, containing the score and location data received from the players.

- Group Project
- Tech stack: Rails 5.2.6, Ruby 2.7.2, PostgreSQL, Heroku, Twitter OAuth, Circle CI

[Frontend repository](#)

[Backend repository](#)

[Deployed site](#)

Experience **Ratio Beerworks** May 2019-July 2021

Manager / Bartender

Trained new staff on general beer knowledge and serving techniques

Serviced 20+ draft lines to ensure top beer quality

Created balanced shift schedules to keep bar reasonably staffed during peak periods and maximize earnings for bartenders.

Hops & Pie

Manager / Bartender April 2017-May 2019

Maintained full knowledge of beer menu of 30+ beers as well as 20+ food items

Oversaw draft system overhaul to reduce beer waste by 20%

Ran weekly inventory on all beer and wine products in house, including keg percentages

Cigar City Brewing

Assistant Manager March 2013-December 2017

Supervised daily operations of staff of over 25 bartenders, barbacks and tour guides during time of unprecedented growth in revenue and guest count

Organized and oversaw tasting room events, bottle releases and other special events

Helped organize beer festivals that saw over 9,000 participants

United States Air Force

Lead Airborne Cryptological Linguist July 2007-November 2011

Proudly served as Staff Sergeant in the US Air Force for four years with specialization in signals intelligence

Thrived in high stress situations to support combat soldiers and Marines during Operation: Enduring Freedom

Created daily briefs for various teams of 20+ pilots, airborne crews and officers to achieve success in various operations

Received Honorable Discharge in 2011

Education **Turing School of Software & Design - Denver, Colorado**

Certificate in Backend Engineering

Defense Language Institute - Monterey, California

Certificate in Pashto Language

Airman Leadership School - Omaha, Nebraska

Certificate of Leadership