

Garrett Cottrell

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

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SUMMARY

A software engineer with a focus on TDD and OOP. I have a strong understanding of API's, Git workflows, MVC, REST, and unit testing. I have a background in cross-team collaboration in both start-ups and larger companies within the tech space

EDUCATION

Turing School of Software and Design

Backend Engineering Software Development 2021

- Tutored students in the backend cohort that followed mine

Columbia University In The City of New York

BA in Philosophy 2012

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Head of SF Office Sales | *Platterz*

January 2018 – November 2020

- Drive growth from \$0 to over \$400,000 in monthly recurring revenue
- Coach reps to increase average opportunity value of sourced leads
- Successfully resolve escalated account management issues with attention to cost-management as well as customer satisfaction

Account Executive | *OpenGov*

March 2017- January 2018

- Achieve average 100%+ quota four consecutive quarters
- Work with devs to communicate market needs to guide product roadmap
- Navigate government agencies to identify stakeholders

TECH SKILLS

FRAMEWORKS/LANGUAGES

- Ruby
- Rails
- Python
- Postgresql
- Bootstrap

SYSTEMS/PRACTICES

- Git/Version Control
- Github
- RESTful API's
- OOP
- TDD
- MVC
- Postman

TESTING

- RSpec
- Minitest
- TravisCI
- Capybara
- Webmock
- VCR
- CircleCI

PROJECTS

What-2-Watch

What-2-watch-be.herokuapp.com

- This app includes a backend written in python using Django framework and a frontend written in Vue.js
- This app consumes movie database API's to provide users movie recommendations based on personal preferences across multiple different streaming platforms

Tech Stack: Django, Python, PostgresQL, CircleCI, Heroku

MONSTER SHOP

Garrettcottrell/monster_shop_2005

- An app that builds a market for merchants to create accounts and manage their virtual stores.
- This program is designed to host merchants and allow them to sell to users.

Tech Stack: Rails, RSpec, Heroku, PostgreSQL

Game Night

Github.com/TuringGameNight

- An app coordinate organizing game nights between friends

Tech Stack: Rails, RSpec, Heroku, Postman, PostgreSQL, Bootstrap