

# Benjamin Fox

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## Objective

Over 20 years in the customer service industry, including 4 years of owning my own gourmet popcorn store. Graduate of Turing School of Software & Design. Seeking Software Developer position. Prefer remote, but willing to relocate.

MAR 2021 - PRESENT

### **SSA Group @ The Denver Zoo / Denver, CO**

*Starting Position - Food & Beverage Assc. | Current Position - Carts Support*

- Originally responsible for a food and beverage cart at the Denver Zoo
- Promoted to Carts Support after only 3 months, a training role for becoming Carts Manager

OCT 2020 - JAN 2021

### **TaxJar / Remote - Software Engineer (Intern)**

- Restructure the way people seed their local databases, using Ruby on Rails
- Improved consistency across all computers and workspaces

SEP 2020 - OCT 2020

### **Eggplant / Remote - Software Engineer (Contractor)**

- Created numerous API endpoints to return an array of JSON responses
- Implemented testing with RSpec

APR 2013 - JAN 2017

### **Popcorn Obsession / West Chester, PA - Co-Founder/Store Manager**

- Co-Founded and managed a family gourmet popcorn and candy store
- Developed store management systems necessary for ensuring a quality employee and customer experience, in addition to a great product
- Created an online presence to drive sales

## Education

NOV 2019 - AUG 2020

### **Turing School of Software & Design, Denver, CO/Remote - Coding Bootcamp Graduate**

- Studied backend development, using Ruby on Rails to manage databases and consume/expose APIs
- Learned essential principles of effective programming, and implemented them successfully in my projects
- Completed 13 solo, paired, and group projects. Final project won a spot in a competition.
- Facilitated the transition to remote learning as the student body representative

*References Provided Upon Request*