

As a kid, I learned to code from a curmudgeonly gang of nerds online. I made websites for small-businesses; fiddled with quartz-crystal oscillators; printed money; built kiosks for the homeless; recognized speech for a defense contractor — then I went to law school on a dare. I read big books and [wrote about 'em](#). I became a lawyerly [internet freedom fighter](#). I've since stopped playing with law and lately I've been [feeding the hungry](#), [measuring influence](#), and [telling everyone's story](#).

Recent	<b>Medium, Engineer</b> Full-stack engineering	2014
	<b>Klout (acquired), Senior Mobile Software Engineer</b> Created the <a href="#">Klout Android app</a> . [ <i>java, android</i> ] Created the Cinch Android app alpha. [ <i>java, android</i> ]	2013 - 2014
	<b>GrubHub (NYSE: GRUB), Senior Software Engineer</b> Engineer #5 Created the <a href="#">GrubHub Android app</a> . [ <i>java, android</i> ] Full-stack work on <a href="#">GrubHub.com</a> desktop [ <i>java, jquery, nodejs, mysql</i> ], mobile [ <i>jquery-mobile</i> ] and asynchronous order processing [ <i>activeMQ</i> ]. Worked on OrderHub Android app for restaurants [ <i>java, android</i> ].	2010 - 2013
	<b>1871, Mentoring startups</b> Every month I scheduled office hours to meet with Chicago-based startups.	2013
Older ( <a href="#">more info</a> )	<b>Patent Attorney</b> patent filing research, small business strategy ————	2009 - 2012
	<b>Chasm</b> reverse-engineering abandoned game —————	2010 - 2012
	<b>Open Internet Review</b> academic cat-herding to review FCC filings —	2010
	<b>Show-Me-The-Love</b> who is lobbying at the FCC —————	2010
	<b>Post-Graduate Research Fellow</b> read big books and <a href="#">write about 'em</a> —	2009 - 2010
	<b>Public Knowledge</b> law clerk / internet freedom fighter —————	2009
	<b>DigiLore</b> software developer intern at defense contractor —————	2006
	<b>Digital Millenium</b> software developer at nonprofit —————	2004 - 2005
	<b>Diebold</b> software developer intern at financial security company ———	2003 - 2004
	<b>MIR Technology</b> software consultant at small electronics company —	2001
	<b>XcelNet Communications</b> web developer at local ISP —————	2000 - 2001
School	<b>Michigan State University</b> College of Law, J.D., <i>cum laude</i> Full Merit Scholarship, Studied in Guadalajara, Mexico	2006 – 2009
	<b>University of Cincinnati</b> College of Engineering, B.S. Computer Science, <i>cum laude</i> Engineering Department Scholarship	2002 – 2006
	<b>Stanford University</b> School of Engineering, High School Summer College Student Programming Methodology & Abstractions, Design & Analysis of Algorithms	Summer 2001