

MICHAEL IP

Software Engineer

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SKILLS

ReactJS, Ruby on Rails, ExpressJS, SQL, Sequelize, AWS, Git, Javascript, CSS, HTML

SPOKEN

English, Cantonese, Spanish

EDUCATION

General Assembly
New York, NY
Certificate Software Engineering

Lehigh University
Bethlehem, Pa
B.S. Computer Science

AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

2015 NPPA Best of Photojournalism
Award of Excellence - Magazine Photo Editor
First Place - Best Use of Photography (Magazines)

2013 Peabody Awards
Member of ABC News team for "presciently planned, comprehensive coverage" of Superstorm Sandy.

MISSION STATEMENT

"I am a dedicated, creative and extremely driven software engineer with over 17 years of experience spanning three industries. As an officer in the U.S. Army I learned critical thinking, problem solving and small team leadership. My time working as a photographer and photo editor taught me to rely on strong fundamentals but to constantly think outside the box and find creative solutions to complex problems. I believe staying on the cutting edge of technology is what brings positive change to the world. I seek to work in a creative environment that fosters growth and innovation."

WORK EXPERIENCE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY DEC 2019 - MARCH 2020

New York, NY
Software Engineering Immersive

Learned full-stack web development using front-end (Javascript, HTML, CSS, ReactJS) and back-end (Ruby on Rails, Postgresql, ExpressJS) while implementing version control with git.

FREELANCE PHOTOGRAPHER 2008 - PRESENT

New York, NY, Barcelona, Spain

Clients included The Wall Street Journal, Los Angeles Times, Harper's Bazaar Chile, WWD Japan, Chaumet

NEWSWEEK 2013 - 2015

New York, NY
Senior Photo Editor

- Researched, procured and edited images for various sections of weekly glossy news magazine
- Assigned and produced domestic and international news assignments in collaboration with photojournalists

NEW YORK DAILY NEWS 2010 - 2015

New York, NY
Features Photo Editor, Web Photo Editor, Assignment Desk Editor

- Assigned and directed as many as twenty photojournalists to best cover New York City news, sports and features assignments
- Negotiated licensing and pricing with photo agencies to procure photography for print and web

UNITED STATES ARMY 2004 - 2008

Fort Drum, NY, Baghdad, Iraq
Field Artillery Officer

- Managed and trained a team of 10 soldiers for combat operations.
- Ran operations center for 130-soldier Infantry company in Iraq during 15-month combat deployment.
- Oversaw over \$500,000 worth of civil work and security projects in Iraq to help rebuild country

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT COMMAND 2002 - 2004

Fort Monmouth, NJ
Software Engineer

- Responsible for field testing command and control software resulting improvement on interface