

# ROB THIESSEN

SENIOR FULL STACK DEVELOPER

**PORTFOLIO** [robthiessen.com](http://robthiessen.com)

**SKILLS & ABILITIES** I collaborate, build & sometimes rescue applications. Since beginning my career nearly 15 years ago, I've worked with agencies, consulted for startups, and collaborated with talented people to create digital products for both business and consumer use.

I read nerdy blogs like DWB, Hubspot, inspiration room and even spaceX. I experiment with circuits, microcontrollers, and solar power. I closely track emerging web technologies and LOVE React, React Native, Angular CLI, Node, Babel, Redux, Webpack, Sass to name a few.

I prefer ternary operators to if/else, arrow functions to regular functions. I LOVE GIT, Grunt, Gulp and automated workflows. Minification, concatenation, unit testing, task runners, I could go on and on!

I have extensive experience with WordPress, its plugins, custom themes and functionality. I LOVE Roots, Sage, Bedrock.

I have built all types of social media campaigns, such as Facebook Apps, Twitter feeds, YouTube channels, Pinterest Apps and so on...

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## **EXPERIENCE FREELANCE FULL STACK DEVELOPER**

JANUARY 2016 - PRESENT

- Developing and maintaining the website, front and back-end functionality
- Build clean code that follows the design and functional specifications
- Installing and setup of existing websites, fixing website bugs and enhancements
- Using: React, Redux, Angular CLI, Node, Webpack, GIT, Gulp, Wordpress

## **TECHNICAL DIRECTOR RICHMOND DAY**

MAY 2013 – JANUARY 2016

- Provide technical direction and solutions during all phases of development.
- Evaluate development team, identifying strengths, problem areas, and developing plans for improving performance.
- Evaluate interview candidates for technical positions.
- Provide input and collaborate with creative teams.
- Provide estimates for projects for all technical disciplines (Application development, Web development, Quality Assurance).
- Ensure project managers are equipped to monitor project cost, risk, and timelines.

## **SENIOR / LEAD FRONT END DEVELOPER RICHMOND DAY**

JANUARY 2012 TO MAY 2013

- Front end web developer for proprietary ASP / ASP.NET / driven content management system : MINI.ca
- Programmed standards complaint Angular, HTML5, XHTML and CSS3 working with jQuery library modules and ASP & ASP.NET, MVC framework libraries
- Built html templates for high traffic and complex data driven websites
- Social media campaigns utilizing, Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and LinkedIn

## **IT SENIOR SPECIALIST-FLASH DEVELOPER GANZ-WEBKINS**

DEC 2010 TO JANUARY 2012

- Manage team of 12 developers of various skill levels.
- Write Flash based applications, using Action Script 2/3.
- Software: Flex Builder 3.0, Flash CS5, Flash Develop, Photoshop CS5, Illustrator CS5

## **SENIOR FRONT END DEVELOPER SAATCHI & SAATCHI**

DECEMBER 2009 – DECEMBER 2010

- Develop and maintain web-based applications. Microsites, Touchscreen and mobile.
- Worked in tandem with Art Directors, Writers and development team.
- Created estimates and wireframes for technical evaluations.
- Ensured code quality and stability on high traffic sites.

## **SENIOR FLASH DEVELOPER THE BRAND FACTORY**

FEBRUARY 2007 – APRIL 2009

- Design, Development and Implementation of interactive projects for clients.
- OOP Programming of class libraries, flash components and complex web sites.
- Integration of Flash with dynamic data (XML, PHP/MySQL, ASP,JSP)

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**EDUCATION** **FANSHAWE COLLEGE**, LONDON ON.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

September 1997 - 2000

**FANSHAWE COLLEGE**, LONDON ON.

LEVEL 1 DIGITAL VIDEO CMPR.292

September 2001 – June 2002