

JESSICA BELL

WEB DEVELOPER



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SKILLS

HTML/HTML5, CSS/SCSS, JavaScript, React, JQuery, Angular, Node, Git, Grunt, Gulp, NPM, Jenkins, Jira, Drupal, Agile, AWS, CircleCi UI/UX, Conference and Community organizing, Social Media, Podcasting, Teaching, Public Speaking, and Diversity and Inclusion



LEADERSHIP

ACM Distinguished Speakers Committee Chair, Former DCFemTech Board Member, Former DC Tech Meetup Organizer, Women Who Code Member, DC Tech Stories Producer, Former DC ACM Chair



EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, International Relations
San Francisco State University 2012
Capstone: *Concepts of Power: Soft Power, Cultural Diplomacy and Education Exchange*

Front End Web Development
General Assembly Washington DC 2014



WORK EXPERIENCE

Feb 2018 - Present: Software Engineer

The New York Times/Wirecutter, Remote

Key member on various cross functional teams working on new features, technical debt, and internal quality across code bases. Assist with React presentation layer, WordPress CMS, GraphQL data layer, and deployments using CircleCi and AWS. Work closely with design, editorial, and product teams to create, define, and deliver features.

Jan 2017 - Jan 2018: Developer

The Washington Post, Washington D.C. and Remote

Develop internal tools for the newsroom. Support, debug, and refine suite of apps using JavaScript (Angular, Node), and various deployment tools (AWS, Jenkins). Responsible for adding new features, addressing technical debt on existing apps, and responding to user issues (bug fixes, UI issues, user training). Utilize communication skills to manage priorities.

Oct 2015 - Oct 2017: JavaScript and Web Development Teacher

General Assembly, Washington D.C.

Write, prepare, and teach evening classes including: Intro To JavaScript (10 week boot camp), Talk Like a Programmer, Intro to SCSS, Intro to Programming, and Front End Web Development. Lead Office Hours for students and served as a member of the JavaScript Guild.

Jun 2016 – Jan 2017: Engineering Consultant

Deloitte Digital, Washington D.C.

Served as engineering consultant on front end projects. Manage junior developers, collaborate with Design and QA teams, communicate with project managers, and report to client during project life-cycles and sprints. Operate in an agile environment with a keen eye for accessibility, responsive and mobile web development.

Jan 2015 - May 2016: Associate Web Developer

RepEquity, Washington D.C.

Developed Drupal themes, newsletters, and client sites. Assisted in maintaining and updating company code bases. Worked closely with design and UX/UI and back end teams. Utilized version control, and style guides.



SPEAKING & AWARDS

50 on Fire DC Inno Award, 2016, 2017

Top Tech 100 Washingtonian Magazine Award 2017

Trending 40 DCA Live Award 2017

Speaker Lesbians Who Tech Summit 2018

Speaker White House Data Innovation Summit, 2016

Organizer Tour De Code DCFemTech 2016

Speaker DevFest DC Google Developer Group Summit 2016

Speaker Women in Tech Summit 2016, 2017, 2018

Award Powerful Women Programmer DCFemTech 2015

Speaker DC Tech Woman Hackathon Google 2015

Organizer Developer's Journey & Hack Day RepEquity 2015