

J. Albert BOWDEN front-end web developer

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PROFILE

An award-winning front-end web developer with 5.5 years of professional, practical experience building Standards-compliant sites.

A diverse skill set in cross-browser and cross-platform capability for an ever-developing Web.

A builder who is truly concerned with the user experience, ensuring sites that are intuitive, workable, and highly useable.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts + Computer Information Systems + Graduated 2006

James Madison University + Harrisonburg, VA

SKILLS

HTML (HTML5, XHTML, POSH, Microformats, HTML email) + CSS3 + JavaScript + jQuery + PHP
MySQL + Accessibility + Findability + SEO + Progressive Enhancement + Graceful Degradation
Cross-Browser/Cross-Platformability + Subversion + Github + Adobe Photoshop

EXPERIENCE

IE userAgent + Web Evangelist + *April 2013-present*

Promoting and Pushing the (Standards-based) Web forward. Community engagement(s), Web Platform feature experimentation, Cross-browser/Cross-platform troubleshooting, event speaking, and more. Actively working to and help others build great Web experiences.

bowdenWeb + Front-End Developer + *January 2011-present*

Custom front-end web development contractor, specializing in cross-browser compatibility and responsive web design.

Davis & Company + Front-End Developer + *September 2010-January 2011*

Built custom websites for company clients, collaborating with designers on website organization and structure. Constructed custom HTML emails, and provided support and testing for all email clients. Coordinated with clients on site needs and development support.

Dominion Enterprises + Web Developer + *June 2007-April 2010*

Lead the Web 2.0 redesign team in the complete restructure of the ForRent.com portal utilizing HTML, CSS, jQuery and PHP while maintaining cross-browser compatibility. Built custom designs for Homes.com's Top Gun realtor product and for apartment communities with ResiteOnline.com.

HONORS

ForRent.com Shark Tank + 1st Place + *April 2010*

Dominion Enterprises + Technological Innovation + 1st Place + *2009*

ORGANIZATIONS

Code for America Hampton Roads Brigade + 757 iOs + UXNorfolk

References happily provided upon request.