

## Jeff Micklos

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### Abstract

Front-end developer who is well versed in the best practices of development, from conception to deployment. Keen eye for grid-based design and pixel perfect placement. A love for writing semantic and standards compliant code, which renders flawlessly across all browsers. Expertise in Javascript, including libraries, such as Prototype, Mootools and jQuery. Server-side programming skills that are fully realized within a user-centered environment. A serial side-projecter with a huge desire to keep learning.

### Experience

#### Yelp – Front-End Software Engineer

*<http://yelp.com> - June 2010 - Present*

Worked on the front lines of local business review site, Yelp.com. Wrote and deployed (via Git) HTML, CSS, Javascript and Python in daily test driven iteration cycles. First engineer to bridge the gap and do design as well.

- Acted as an internal evangelist for identity consolidation, more semantic micro-format usage and progressive enhancement by way of HTML5 and CSS3
- Lead front-end engineer on Yelp's daily-deal feature, similar to Groupon
- Lead designer and engineer on Yelp's brand-new mobile Webkit website

#### Open Source Development

*<http://github.com/jeffmicklos>*

Contributed to multiple open source Javascript libraries by developing classes and plug-ins.

- Asset packager in PHP, which combines and minifies multiple static files into one
- jQuery extension that brings collection handling tools to jQuery, such as `in_groups_of()`
- Python class to export vendor specific prefixes for CSS3 properties

#### Webtape - Chief Architect

*<http://onwebtape.com> - November 2007 - Present*

The site gives users the ability to upload photos, write blog entries, share Youtube videos and Flickr photos. Facebook integration via the PHP and JS libraries give users the ability to share posts across both sites and allows Facebook users to comment on Webtape posts via open authentication (OAuth).

- In 2007 Facebook had a job posting that said 'Experience building a social network', so I built one
- oEmbed integration allows users to share content from basically anywhere on the Internet
- Heavy use of Javascript (via MooTools) makes interactions seamless and snappy

### Education

#### Bachelor of Science - Web Design & Interactive Media

*Art Institute of California - San Diego - October 2005 - June 2009*

- Honors graduate
- Graduating class speaker
- Best graduate award winner
- Tutor for students in XHTML, CSS, Javascript, PHP and MySQL