

# Garrett Johnson

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## Experience

### Technical Services Analyst

June 2013 - April 2014

*Epic Systems*

- Deployed and maintained interoperability features in five health systems.
- Developed two new features using Intersystems Caché, improving efficiency and safety for customer organizations.

## Projects

### Block Overhead (Ruby on Rails, Backbone.js)

[Live](#) · [GitHub](#)

*Stack Overflow for fighting games*

- Consumes a RESTful JSON Rails API with a Backbone.js single-page app.
- Uses Pagedown with custom JavaScript hook to present Markdown editor.
- Scalable image uploads to Amazon S3 through Paperclip gem.

### Mario.js (JavaScript, HTML5 Canvas)

[Live](#) · [GitHub](#)

*Clone of Super Mario Bros*

- Built JavaScript game engine rendering on the HTML5 Canvas.
- Implements a builder pattern to simplify map construction.

### CTris (JavaScript, React, Redux, Express)

[Live](#) · [GitHub](#)

*Tetris with React and Redux*

- Computes new state each frame using pure functions on a single store
- Uses React component hierarchy to efficiently animate over 200 DOM elements.
- Independent Express server manages leaderboard data with MemCachier.

### Llymlaen (Purescript, Halogen, Haskell, Servant, Sass)

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*Shareable Animated Diagrams*

- Dynamically interpolates element state between key frames
- Fully type-safe, functional code for both client and server

## Skills

Ruby · Rails · JavaScript · Node · React · Redux · Backbone.js · jQuery  
HTML/CSS · Python · SQL · Postgres · Haskell · Servant · Purescript · Halogen  
C · Git · Express · Sass · Gulp

## Education

### App Academy, New York

November 2014 - February 2015

*Full stack web development boot-camp with a <3% acceptance rate*

- Focus on pair programming, test-driven development, and best practices

### Illinois Institute of Technology, BS Physics

08/24/09-18/05/13

*Curriculum Highlights*

- Computational Physics
- Statistics
- Programming Languages
- Data Structures
- Algorithms