

# ELDON LOBLEIN

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## ABOUT

A seasoned designer/engineer with a diverse arts and business background who enjoys tackling ambitious projects with open and creative individuals.

## SKILLS

<b>Ruby/Rails</b>	<b>HTML5/CSS3</b>	<b>React.js</b>	<b>Redux/Flux</b>	<b>Bootstrap</b>
<b>jQuery</b>	<b>JavaScript</b>	<b>UI/UX Design</b>	<b>Git</b>	<b>SQL</b>
<b>Illustrator</b>	<b>Photoshop</b>	<b>Lightroom</b>	<b>AWS</b>	<b>RSpec</b>

## PROJECTS

**Full Stack Developer, GAMETIKS.com** (*Rails, JavaScript*) | [live](#) | [GitHub](#)

*Social web application for hunting enthusiasts (Launched August, 2017)*

- Constructed fluid layout from custom vector assets using Adobe Illustrator, Bootstrap, SCSS and jQuery/JavaScript for a powerful and adaptable user interface
- Integrated leaderboard and unlockable badges with a unique scoring algorithm to drive user engagement, resulting in 100+ active members in first month
- Leveraged google Maps API to dynamically model and filter user content in real-time with AJAX and JSON, while bootstrapping data for lightning-fast rendering
- Achieved 200% boost in rendering speed utilizing Amazon S3 / CloudFront & browser caching to decrease bounce rate

**Full Stack Developer, froliq.io** (*Rails, React/Redux*) | [live](#) | [GitHub](#)

*Single-page web application allowing users to travel while finding work (demo)*

- Designed elegant and dynamic DOM elements for stronger user feedback by integrating CSS attributes into component state
- Constructed simple and reusable React components to ensure scalability/maintainability and follow DRY principle
- Built custom authentication system facilitating both business accounts and traveler accounts using BCrypt for password hashing

## PAST WORK

**Graphic Designer / Web Developer / Visual Artist - Freelance**

**2012 - 2017**

- Developed cost-effective websites with HTML, CSS, jQuery and JavaScript, as well as customized WordPress sites for businesses and individuals from Maine to Connecticut
- Received commissions of up to \$4,000 for reproductions and original oil paintings
- Produced bold, contemporary clothing designs for refugee-assistance programs, helping to influence charitable donations and surpass fundraising goals of \$75,000 per campaign.

**Audio Mixing Engineer / Composer / Video Editor - Freelance**

**2012 - 2017**

- Delivered high-quality custom audio and video to fortune 500 companies including The Chubb Corporation and The Hartford Financial Services Group within 24-hour deadlines

**Founder, The Jamaican Grille**

**2004 - 2007**

- Owned, maintained and managed food truck business, catering public and private events
- Created branding/marketing materials and assembled Flash-based website with original graphics and animations

## EDUCATION

**University of Hartford - Bachelor of Music with focus in Audio Engineering**

**2012**

- Double Major
- Summa Cum Laude (3.8 GPA)
- Hartt Talent Scholarship