

# Alex Brendon

Interactive Developer

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## Profile

I've developed many high-quality, fully responsive websites and applications for numerous high-profile clients including: **Microsoft, Nintendo, Pokemon, Toyota, Xbox, and Leafly**. I get it done with Javascript, HTML5, and CSS3, using some combination of the following: **Javascript, HTML, Grunt, Sass, LESS, jQuery, Backbone, Angular** and **Greensock**. I have a unique enthusiasm for **user experience design** and **user testing**.

## Experience

### Senior Front-End Developer, Leafly; Seattle, WA — 2014 - 2015

As lead developer, I was involved in all parts of projects, including strategy, information architecture, design, technology architecture, development, and deployment.

I worked directly with UX/UI designers to make sure the best possible solution was being presented for users. I was a firm advocate for user testing and best user experience practices.

### Interactive Developer, POP; Seattle, WA — 2010 - 2014

Pop was an extremely fast paced environment where I would often be juggling multiple projects with tight deadlines.

Some of my work can be found at [pokemon.com](http://pokemon.com), [nintendo.com](http://nintendo.com) and [eshowroom.toyota.com](http://eshowroom.toyota.com) where I used Javascript, jQuery, HTML, CSS and Backbone to develop the websites as well as complex applications within each site.

I lead a team of 3 developers to build a multi-million dollar internal website for Toyota's dealerships. This tool is currently used by all Toyota dealerships across the nation to look up details on their inventory and act as a digital hub for all employees.

I collaborated with UX designers to come up with flows and user interactions. We built working demo prototypes to better convey ideas to the rest of the team.

### Front-End Web Developer, HL2 — 2009 - 2010

Before HTC was a well known smart-phone brand I had the opportunity to build the front-end of the new [HTC.com](http://HTC.com) website that made them emerge into the market. I built out the entire front-end with Javascript, HTML, and CSS while working in an [ASP.NET](http://ASP.NET) environment.

### Web Developer, Support My Web — 2008 - 2010

While working at Support My Web, I built out numerous websites for clients using PHP, MySQL, and Javascript. I worked directly with clients and managed my own projects from start to finish.

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## Education

Seattle Central Community College — 2008, Web Development

University of Nevada Las Vegas — 2006 - 2007, Computer Science

## Skills + Technologies

HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, JSON, AJAX, XML, PHP, MySQL, Backbone, Angular, OOP, MVC, Sass, LESS, Node, Grunt, [ASP.NET](#) MVC, Greensock, Photoshop,