

# NICK ORTIZ

## WordPress Developer

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// **Background** Full-stack developer with an eye for security, design, and optimization. Experience working in small distributed teams. Capable of working with little direction and on tight timelines. Worked on beautiful award winning sites. Developed high performance websites that scaled to large audiences.

- PHP
- CSS/SASS/LESS
- JavaScript, jQuery, AJAX
- Gulp/Grunt/Webpack
- MySQL/MariaDB
- GIT/SVN
- various web APIs.

// **Experience**

### **WordPress Developer @ Cornershop Creative**

July 2013 - February 2018, Remote

Theme & Plugin Developer for a small distributed team. Built custom functionality utilizing a variety of plugins, custom fields, and post types. Modified existing functionality in themes or plugins using hooks and filters. Managed successful deployments across varying server infrastructure. Customized E-Commerce solutions to match specific donation needs. Customized BBPress functionality to enable various voting and sales functions. Debugged inherited code bases that were not meeting client standards.

### **Lead Developer and Project Consultant @ itsums**

May 2014 - May 2017, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Consulted on overall project needs and direction. Facilitated effective communication between development team and design team. Implemented git and version management systems. Also contributed features and bugfixes to project.

### **WordPress Developer & Designer @ RYNO Technologies**

July 2011 - December 2012, Corrales, New Mexico

Theme development and design with a focus on scalability and turnaround time. Developed proficiency for removing hacked website files and fixing downtime issues in production environments. Video editing and retouching.

### **Instructional Technician & Student Aide @ Central New Mexico Community College**

March 2009 - September 2011, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Provided technical support to staff and students in a heavily trafficked computer programming lab and its surrounding classrooms. Taught students how to plan, debug, and compile their programming projects. Debugged students software in many languages (PHP, jQuery, JavaScript, C++, Java, C#, Oracle SQL, Django, Python)

// **Education**

### **Central New Mexico Community College**

Computer Information Systems: Concentration in Web Technology & Digital Media.