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Citizenship Affirmation	I am a U.S. Citizen
Residency Affirmation	I am a resident of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Statement of Intent	I intend to comply with and advance the policy established by this Act.
Statement of Interest	<p>Last year, I joined millions of Americans in the March For Our Lives and witnessed firsthand the power of many citizens uniting to enact change. I then saw how our Congress failed to enact those changes in large part because of the influence of the NRA.</p> <p>In Citizens United vs FEC, not only did the Supreme Court incorrectly rule that artificial entities are entitled to the same inalienable rights as citizens, but it established legal precedent that empowers those entities to have a disproportionate influence on our government. We limit contributions to political campaigns because we recognize that money is not speech, but rather the amplification of speech. In a capitalist society where wealth is unevenly distributed amongst its members, it is critical to the success of that society to have a government that is equally accountable to all citizens regardless of their financial standing.</p> <p>As the spouse of someone who spent several years both on Capitol Hill and then at a lobbying group, I saw secondhand how influence on our politicians was bought and sold through the lobbying efforts of few.</p> <p>As a citizen of the United States and resident of Massachusetts, I feel it is my duty to fight the undemocratic and corrupting influence of money on our government. We must sever the relationship between wealth and the governance of our country, both at the individual and the entity levels. I hope you will give me an opportunity to serve on this commission to advance this cause.</p>
Résumé or Summary of Qualifications Upload	<a href="https://s3.amazonaws.com/files.formstack.com/uploads/3282862/71887710/490090834/71887710_citizens_commission_resume.pdf">https://s3.amazonaws.com/files.formstack.com/uploads/3282862/71887710/490090834/71887710_citizens_commission_resume.pdf</a>

Political Party Affiliation, if any, over the previous five years

Unenrolled

Clty or Town where you reside

MEDWAY

Employment Status

Employed

Occupation

Technical Product Director

Employer

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# Conor Hackett

## SUMMARY

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10+ years of experience using the latest technologies to deliver value to businesses. Experienced in leading and developing high functioning teams. Enjoy challenging tasks that require creative problem solving. Strong analytic and communication skills. Love of learning.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Wayin- Denver, CO

October 2015-Present

#### *Lead Frontend Engineer/Technical Product Director*

- Promoted to lead engineer 6 months into merger because of success coalescing the teams both technically and culturally. Led team of 10 engineers
- Designed and built toolkit of reusable controls that **reduced time to delivery of new features by 20%** and created brand consistency across the platform
- **Reduced QA cost by 50%** by identifying a problem, persuading key stakeholders, leveraging automation, and improving processes to remove bottlenecks
- Collaborated with the Product team to interpret customer feedback, usage data, and leadership's directives in order to prioritize features development and plan execution
- Analyzed technology solutions and made recommendations based on both current and future needs and available resources

### Fountainhead Solutions- Remote

August 2014-October 2015

#### *Software Engineer/Consultant*

*Clients: Mobility Labs, LDC, Kuepa, Gates Foundation, Medellin Mayor's Office*

- Co-developed **single-page application (SPA)** for the **collaborative authoring and jurying** of lesson modules aimed at improving student and teacher performance and productivity
- **Doubled number of users** in 3 months

### Truist- Washington, DC

April 2013-May 2014

#### *Software Engineer*

- Developed interactive WYSIWYG web site for white-labeling peer-to-charity donation platform
- Reengineered legacy applications from **2 to 3 tiered architecture** resulting in greater maintainability, reusability, and testability

### American Systems- Chantilly, VA

September 2011-March 2013

#### *Software Developer*

- Promoted from the most junior member of the development team to the technical lead within 14 months
- Collaborated on the complete redesign of a **custom business intelligence (BI) application** integrating a variety of data sources into a **data warehouse** and **analysis cube**
  - Resulted in- 1000% reduction in data retrieval time; 300% increase in active users
- Facilitated improvement to inter and intra team communication that resulted in faster and more stable software releases

### SAIC- McLean, VA

November 2008-September 2011

#### *Software Developer/Scrum Master/Energy Analyst*

- Created an **digital data collection system** resulting in increased response rates, reduced completion effort by 30%, and improved data validity
- Cultivated excellent customer relationships through **strong communication** and interpersonal skills
- Developed a **multi-platform analytical reporting tool** for easy collaboration among clients

**AmeriCorps VISTA-** Hanover, NH

August 2007-August 2008

- Managed three full-time programs that significantly benefited the education of Dartmouth students and the communities served
- Conducted program evaluations and implemented recommendations for improvement
- Led marketing and recruitment efforts that yielded a 200% increase in applicants
- Created ongoing partnerships with community organizations

**US House of Representatives-** Washington DC

January 2006-April 2006

*Intern*

- Intern for Congressman Charlie Bass

**EDUCATION**

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**George Mason University-** Fairfax, VA

May 2014

*M.S. Degree- Software Engineering*

**Dartmouth College-** Hanover, NH

June 2007

*B.A. Degree- Government*