

# Robert J. Wiegers

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## Professional Experience

First Church of Bennington, Vermont 12/2015-Present

### Senior Minister

- Administered services and programs to grow the church both numerically and spiritually
- Supervised staff, volunteers, and boards
- Created a community Youth Group, adult support groups, and one-on-one spiritual support
- Established an outreach to address our community's opioid crisis.
- Accomplished various administrative tasks, including rebuilding the church website

Unum Insurance - Portland, ME and Chattanooga, TN 9/2007-8/2013

### Systems Analyst

- User Interface leader for enterprise web applications, using Agile SDLC
- Expert in web technologies such as ASP.Net, C#, HTML, CSS, Ajax, jQuery
- SQL Database management and extensive reports using SSRS
- Worked on long-term projects, as well as customer support and troubleshooting

BlueCross BlueShield of Tennessee - Chattanooga, TN 4/2006-9/2007

### Senior Programmer

- Developed enterprise web applications technologies including ASP.Net, VB.Net, and SQL
- User interface design using Adobe Photoshop
- Extensive experience with user documentation and training

Three HD Interactive Media - Chattanooga, TN 1/2001-4/2006

### Web Developer

- Developed eCommerce websites for local and national retailers
- Experience with SEO, Email marketing, and copywriting
- Online marketing and web design integration using ASP.Net, SQL, CSS, and JavaScript
- Worked well with designers, development team and junior developers

Cyclops Web Development - Chattanooga, TN 12/1999-12/2000

### Sole Proprietor of full-service website development firm

- Developed extensive online curriculum application using HTML, JavaScript and ASP
- Self-taught, self-motivated, hands-on learner

## Education

Master of Divinity, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, South Hamilton, MA, 2016.

Bachelor of Arts in English, Covenant College, Lookout Mountain, GA, 1999.

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## References

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## Special Interests

Spending time with my family especially outdoors, including fishing, cross-country skiing, photography, birdwatching, mountain biking, hiking, and camping. Opening our home to friends and neighbors for conversation and games. Composing and playing folk music on guitar, mandolin, and banjo.