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Hove programming && open source

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Open Source

"If I have seen further, it is by standing on the shoulders of giants" – Isaac Newton

From processors, compilers, kernels, to browsers. Programming is about building on the work of others.

Open Source embraces this fact and leverages it. Open Source is about inviting anyone onto your shoulders.

Foomatic	Primary contributer to Foomatic 5.0 series. Added support for sqlite backends. Rewrote XML backend replacing 10k lines of code with 2k and improved performance. Work sponsored under Google Summer of Code 2011.	
libjtapi	Primary developer. Libjtapi is the reference implementation of the Free Standard Group's Job Ticket API, jtapi. Work sponsored under Google Summer of Code 2012.	2012-03 to 2012-10

Notable Experiences

While in university I took advantage of numerous programs complementing my interests. I must thank my mentors who were all enthusiastic and patient. They put up with some of my most silly mistakes and taught me valuable lessons.

Program	Mentor	Description	Time
Microsoft SDE	Eric Millan	Interned with Windows Division, Sustained Engineering Group, Devices & Networking Team.	Summer 2013
Internship		Wrote OCASE BCDE, a bulk analysier for windows mini-crash dumbs. BCDE takes a debugger script which it runs accross large quantity of crash dumbs capturing results. Also backported bug fixes from Windows 8.1 to Win 7 & Win 8.	
Google Summer of Code 2012	Glen Petrie	Wrote LibJTAPI, an abstract job ticket manipulation library. Also see 'libJtapi' in Open Source section.	Summer 2012
Google Summer of Code 2013	Till Kamppeter	Rewrote Foomatic's DB XML backend into Perl. Wrote a SQL backend, also in Perl. Also see 'Foomatic' in Open Source section.	Summer 2011

Web development

For three years starting in 2010 much of my web development was on a freelance basis. In preperation for my Microsoft internship I wound down my freelancing to focus on personal projects.

The websites listed are those I learned the most from. Numerous others not listed are still running and serving their owners well.

gamecrazy.com hollywoodvideo.com moviegallery.com	Did all backend and initial front end programming. Every hour popular content is aggregated based on social media signals. All three sites use the same engine with site specific configuration.
marilynmonroe.com	Developed to beat flash on its own turf with large full screen backgrounds and brand perfect fonts. The theme was created from a client supplied PSD.
necaonline.com	Did all major programming including migrating 1000s of images, products, and posts from propreitary ruby backed site.
smrsimple.com	Since launch in 2009 we have served over 150,000 visitors over 1,300,000 pageviews, and over 100,000 map downloads.

Education

GPA by end of third year: 3.47

University of Calgary	Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	2010-09 to 2014-05
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Skills

Languages:
С
Perl
PHP
Java
Javascript

Tools:
Perl DBI
SQLite
Unix cli
SSH
rsync

Platforms:	
Linux	
Android	
Web	

Web Tech:
jQuery
Wordpress
HTML
CSS

Languages:
English
Japanese (下手)

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