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Professional Profile

A proactive and hardworking Software Engineer with 7 years' experience in open source software applications, web development, network analysis script development and server infrastructure management in the IT industry. VOIP system configuration, including IP routing and physical server installation in data centres. Proven working experience in fault finding and installation of underground seismic equipment in the mining industry. Working knowledge of marine electronic and electrical systems. Fast to learn and configure new software frameworks and adapts quickly to new challenges and environments such as underground mining or working in isolation on long term projects. A responsible risk-taker with strong problem solving skills.

Education

2008

University of Stellenbosch

B.Eng. (E&E) Degree

2002

Outeniqua High School

Grade 12 (Matric)

Professional Courses / Training

SAMSA Day Skipper Certificate of Competence of Power Driven Vessel Category C <9m Competent Crew Certificate / Good Hope Sailing Academy

M1 Basic First Aid Competency / Action Training Academy

Skills used in Projects / Computer Software and Hardware Skills

Electrical system planning for 12V and 24V marine systems, sourcing and assembling components.

Python programming.

Apache web server with SSL security setup deployment for web backend services.

Django MVC/T software framework, also Satchmo(E-commerce).

Deploying Linux on cost-effective commercial virtual server.

Freeswitch SIP/VOIP server with Python.

Kamailio IVR and SIP trunk

SIP protocol analysis (6 months) C++ Development (University final year project) for signal processing.

Nagios and Nagios-plugin dev (bash+python) and NagiosGrapher setup for server monitoring.

Linux system admin.

Wired communication systems installation and debugging (Fsk-, 485-, 232- and ethernet-devices).

VHDL Hardware programming.

C Firmware programming.

PC Board Layout

Java programming.

Basic BASH programming.

Good general computer skills.

1. Jun 2015 - CURRENT

Callall Telecoms

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Overview

Python software development on voucher vending/redemption server.

Responsibilities

Software development for python/Django project

Designing Client-Server vending system from scratch

Managing outsourcing of Android application development

User Interface design of web applications

Linux server commissioning and maintenance and recovery

2. Mar 2015 - May 2015

Kartoza

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Overview

Python software development on Inasafe project

Responsibilities

Software development for Inasafe project

Develop command-line client for GIS application

Reporting and planning during daily meetings

3. Ост 2014 - FEB 2015

Mezzanine Ware

MOBILE APP DEVELOPER

Overview

Develop mobile web apps

Responsibilities

Application design with solutions architect.

Develop reports as components of client solutions.

Contribute towards an improved development environment and process.

Perform quality assurance by means of unit tests and other testing strategies.

4. 2013 - SEPT 2014

Top Water

BUSINESS OWNER

Overview

Retail shop specialising in water purification systems.

Responsibilities

Directly managing 1 Store Assistant.

Building an e-commerce website from open source components to promote the business using

Django-Satchmo framework providing all components of a professional e-commerce shop.

Installing a commercial Reverse Osmosis system on site.

Marketing.

Strategising.

Training staff.

Liaising with and selling to clients.

Supply management.

Resolving all technical issues.

Setting up all the necessary admin and maintenance processes.

5. 2012

Telenexus

ENGINEER / DEVELOPER

Overview

A small start-up company focussed on providing value added VOIP services to bigger telecommunications companies.

Responsibilities

Attending shareholder meetings.

Building a voice server running an open source PBX with dynamic dial plan managed with python code. Liaising with service providers and performing network wide debugging telephonically.

6. 2011

Callall Telecoms

VOIP ENGINEER

Responsibilities

Attending strategy meetings.

Testing new VOIP products.

Building basic test environments for prospective services.

Managing infrastructure monitoring service (Nagios+NRPE).

Configuring and installing voice servers into data centres.

7. 2010

Vox Telecom

JUNIOR SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

Responsibilities

Maintaining multiple projects and keeping code up to date in repositories.

Receiving exposure to LAMP and IP networking as well as the production environment of web applications.

Driving assigned projects until completion.

Reporting to the team and team leader on a weekly basis.

Major Projects

Developing an auto configuration system for customer premise devices.

8. 2009

ISSI

JUNIOR SYSTEMS ENGINEER

Responsibilities

Planning and executing installations of seismic equipment.

Repairing broken hardware, writing reports and occasionally assisting with manufacturing new products. Managing and planning routine underground site visits.

Description of Previous Projects

Mezzanine mobile apps:

Design and build mobile applications using proprietary software tools exploiting RDBMS concepts.

Rebuild Linschoten Super Yacht (66ft www.linschoten.co.za):

Accessories refitted / rewired include:

- Electric Winches.
- Solar Regulator.
- Multifunction Display.
- Instrumentation.

Consolidated the existing electrical system into an acceptable state. Sourcing components with the correct specifications

Planned installation and assisted with installing equipment.

Experienced boat builder who consulted with me concerning electrical and electronic systems when needed.

Telenexus VOIP System (Building a commercial value added service):

Configured VOIP servers and tested and debugged international routing functionality. The VOIP servers ran Freeswitch on Ubuntu Linux. The dynamic dialplan was coded in python using mod python. The user

interface consisted of a handset used to dial shortcodes and an IVR system which guided the user to make an international call.

Auto Configuration Server for ADSL Modems:

ADSL routers with custom firmware. Django was used to serve the configuration file to the modem. Routers were setup for secure VPN.

Vending system for MVNO prepaid airtime sales:

Django/Python server interfaces with Android app via API. Android POS prints voucher. User interface frontend built with bootstrap data served by Django.

Key Strengths

Able to manage multiple projects simultaneously in a team environment.

Focused, self-motivated and target driven; determined to succeed.

Enthusiastic learner, eager to meet challenges.

Willing to learn and adapt to changing environments.

Endorsements

"Mr Engelbrecht was always enthusiastic about his tasks and mastered new skills very quickly, able to complete such tasks rapidly and effectively. He made a significant contribution to the success of this department. As a person he will be missed for the quality of work done as well as the accuracy with which things were done. He was a dedicated and loyal individual who always executed his responsibilities in a diligent manner." Frans Cronje, Manager – Technical Services, ISS International Ltd

References

Available on request.