David Harris Veteran Software Engineer

About

Skills

Seeking a challenging startup environment.

We grow when we reach beyond our past experiences. We grow well when heeding our past successes and failures. To your team, I bring deep experiences in software and product development, leading, inspiring, and supporting others, and willingness to take risks. I am a Jack-of-many-trades and master of a few of them.

C/C++, Java/Scala, JavaScript, Linux, WebDev, Git
Leadership, Management, Communications

Adaptability, Creativity, Startups

Experience

Sr. Manager, Principal Engineer ARRIS, now CommScope

Chicago, Seoul, and Atlanta 2002-present

Came into ARRIS as a C++ software engineer when Cadant was acquired. We successfully launched the 1st version of our CMTS. I helped start our Seoul and Asia-Pacific offices. I returned to the U.S. to further develop my soft skills: leadership, customer management, and communication.

Startup Software Engineer Cadant

Chicago 2000-2002

We started from scratch with no hardware or software. I developed our SNMP agent and was part of the data infrastructure team. As with most startups, I wore many other hats and poured my time and passion into our product. The effort has paid off. Our product is the most widely deployed CMTS, powers much of the Internet, and is still going strong.

Software Engineer Motorola

Chicago 1998-2000

Was part of the Private Radio Network Engineering (PRNE) division, the same that developed WW2-era radios. Besides lots of C/C++ code, I developed a multicast protocol deployment and testing framework to speed up workflow and reduce errors.

Education

BS Computer Engineering / 3.94 GPA Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA 1993 - 1998

MBA / Partial Georgia State University

Atlanta, GA 2005 - 2006

Hobbies

Backpacking: Joy is spending days on the trail with family and dog

Modded Minecraft: Sandbox game, Java, Linux, sharing creations

Politics: Getting out the vote going door to door, meeting new people

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