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Projects

AnonyMouse – San Francisco, CA: December 2010 – Present

Co-Founder, Technical Lead Currently building non-profit platform for anonymous mentoring using modern full-stack web development tools such as NodeJS, MongoDB, and various public APIs

Work

Salesforce.com – San Francisco, CA: October 2008 to Present

Senior Member, Technical Staff – Quality Engineering: March 2011 to Present
Member, Technical Staff – Quality Engineering: October 2009 to March 2011
Associate Member, Technical Staff – Quality Engineering: October 2008 to October 2009

Quality Engineer on Force.com API, formerly on Salesforce Knowledge

- Responsible for maintaining test automation suites and QA processes on features such as REST API, Apex REST, Streaming API (CometD), and SOAP APIs
- Participating in secondary initiatives such as implementing GitHub:FI, redesigning build automation systems, and evangelizing open-source projects
- Helped design and implement Knowledge 10 automated test suites
- Regularly mentor new hires and participate in technical job interviews for new candidates
- Empowered teammates as Scrum Master on Knowledge through the use of in-house agile project management process

Junction Solutions – Lincolnshire, IL: June 2007 to October 2008

Senior Consultant: June 2008 to October 2008
Consultant: June 2007 to June 2008

Responsible for client consultation, project management, software design, quality assurance, and support using customized Microsoft Dynamics AX Multi-Channel Retail ERP vertical

Projects:

Coffee Manufacturer: June 2008 to October 2008

- Managed requirements gathering during design phase as project technical lead
- Evangelized Test-Driven Development using xUnit-style framework built into MorphX IDE

Skating, Snowboard, and Surfing Retailer: February 2008 to June 2008

- Designed and tested Wireless Warehouse inventory management system
- Directed end-user training for various functional areas prior to go-live on Dynamics AX

Prison Supply Company: August 2007 to February 2008

- Developed and documented modifications on Dynamics AX platform in Inventory Management, Order Management, and Financials modules
- Performed quality checks after go-live to ease support processes after roll-off

Education

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign: May 2007

Bachelor of Science - General Engineering
Concentration: Engineering Administration, Technology Commercialization

Skills

Proficient in: Java, Eclipse, Selenium, JUnit, Linux, OS X, Windows9x/NT/XP/Vista/7
Experience in: JavaScript, NodeJS, MongoDB, git, (X)HTML/CSS, SQL

Achievements

2nd Place, Changeorg "Hack For Change" hackathon: June 2011