

Austin Brunell

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WORK EXPERIENCE

IT Operator

Aug. 2017 – Jul. 2021

Northwest Financial Corp

Creston, IA

- Reduced Evening Operations workload by 20% by writing scripts and designing new automated processes.
- Built/upgraded application servers that host core banking software for 25+ branches.
- Provided high-impact emergency support for 10+ applications/systems in a complex banking environment.
- Oversaw daily IBM mainframe processing.

Software Developer

Nov. 2015 – Sep. 2016

UnitedHealth Group (Optum)

Minneapolis, MN

- Performed back-end and front-end development with Spring, Java, Groovy, JSP, and SQL.
- Additionally used Maven, Git, Spock testing framework, and MVC architecture.
- Worked on an innovative enterprise web application built to auto-adjudicate healthcare claims.
- Delivered new features as part of a Scrum team (Agile).

Business Analyst

Jun. 2015 – Nov. 2015

UnitedHealth Group (Optum)

Minneapolis, MN

- Worked on a cross-functional team in the development, documentation, and delivery of process innovations through the use of Big Data technologies.
- Removed project roadblocks by serving as a liaison between the stakeholders—software engineers, PM's, customers, solutions architects, and subject-matter experts.

Teaching Assistant – Intro to Java

Aug. 2013 – May 2015

Iowa State University

Ames, IA

- Taught lab sessions and tutored students in the Computer Science: Introduction to Computer Programming (Java) class.

EDUCATION

Iowa State University

May 2015

B.S. Management Information Systems

Ames, IA

- *magna cum laude*
- Vice President – Management Information Systems Club

SKILLS & Interests

- **Top Skills:** Java, Spring Boot, JSP, CSS, SQL, Hibernate, Maven, MVC, Relational databases, Git.
- **Interests:** Home reno, bikepacking, mountain biking, gaming, coffee, reading, fitness.