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About

I am an software developer that is not afraid to get his hands dirty... I done time in Visual Basic and never complained. PHP? Sure. I can write beautiful code in any language. But Python really rocks my boat. And c# I like too.

I tend to collect a lot of different tools and am especially fond of those that work well together - as opposed to technologies that tend to create silos with NIHS.

As I mature as a software developer, I have found that my passion for the craft grows while at the same time my

willingness to participate in flame wars shrinks. Let's just get it done. And make the user happy.

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