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About me

I am an eneregetic, curious and creative developer. My love for code is driven by my love for math, algorithms and logical puzzles. I love exploring new ideas, and is always willing to learn. I like people about as much as I like logic, and therefore I work best in a small team. It is easy for me to be self-motivated when I am surrounded by peers, but I tend to get distracted when I am alone. I flourish in work environments with many freedoms, whether those are creative or environmental. A structured environment may seem tedious or even overwhelming to me.

Skills

Innovation



People Skills



C#



Problem Solving



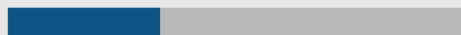
SQL



Linux



Rust



Javascript



(*)[The skill scale is from 0 (Fundamental Awareness) to 6 (Expert).]

Interests

I am a thinker, I love Math, Puzzles, Theology and Philosophy. I am also curious, and always appreciate new knowledge. I like to keep active and spend time in nature.

Education

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| 2009-2012 | B.Sc. Mathematical Sciences
Majoring in Computer Science | Stellenbosch University |
| 2003-2007 | High school
Computer Studies, Math, Science, Biology, English, Afrikaans | Brackenfell High School |
| 2017 | Life Coaching Certificate
A two-year course in Life Coaching including 50 hours of practical work. | New Insights (Distance Learning) |

Experience

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| 2018-Present | Software Developer (Mostly Computational Geometry) | Itecho |
| | I did most of the mathematical work for a client in manufacturing. I also worked on the rest of the stack. We use .NET Core with C# for the backend, vue.js for the frontend and PostgreSQL as a database. | |
| 2017-2018 | Life Coach | Self Employed |
| | I had my own coaching practice. My work was non-technical, but I did learn a lot about people, leadership, motivation and public speaking. | |
| 2016-2017 | DevOps Engineer | Airvantage |
| | This is the same job as at VAS-X (our product was bought by Airvantage, along with the team). However, I moved back into development a bit, and I had a nice variety of responsibilities. From keeping the systems operational, to being involved in developing patches and new features. | |
| 2014-2016 | Support Engineer | VAS-X |
| | I was part of the team running an Airtime Advance System at multiple telecom companies. My duties included mostly operational work, with a few support tickets and regular interaction with corporate clients. I did most of my technical work directly in the Oracle database, because 90% of the project consisted of stored procedures. | |
| 2014 | Software Developer | iPlan Industrial Engineers |
| | At iPlan we wrote extensions for Syspro(an ERP System) using C#.NET | |
| 2012-2013 | Software Engineer | Libralex |
| | At Libralex I had a wide range of responsibilities. I worked on software for veterinary clinics, for which I was the technical person on the project. That meant that I did support at all levels and the development work. The project was written in VB.NET | |
| 2010-2011 | Tutor | Stellenbosch University |
| | While studying I kept myself busy, and earned a small income tutoring younger students. | |
| 2008 | Camp Facilitator | Wortelgat Outreach Trust |
| | This is what I did in my GAP year. I worked a lot with children and teenagers, teaching various soft skills through camp activities. | |

Other information

Personal Info

I am first and foremost a Christian. I take a heavy interest in theology, and in what it means to be a Christian. My family is also very important to me, and I will go to great lengths to ensure that I spend enough time with my wife and my son. I like the outdoors, so I often spend time walking my dog, mountain biking, or just enjoying nature with my family.