Chad Tamplin

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A proactive and results-driven "hands on" leader with over 18 years' experience and a proven track record of success in information technology

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Product Development
- Emerging Technology
- Software Architecture
- Budget Development
- Mentoring and Leadership
- Process Efficiency
- Communication
- Vendor Management
- Client Relations

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Private Health News

Chief Technology Officer

June 2010-Present

Highlights

- Created technology vision/roadmap for company which included rebuilding core software products with modern architecture/tools, supervising technical staff, ensuring network operations, and creating 3rd party relationships.
- Reduced hosting costs by 150k by redesigning production environment and moving to the cloud.
- Successfully led multiple agile projects to rebuild the company's SaaS products. Provided "hands on" leadership to architect and design product suite using Microsoft technologies.
- Negotiated new vendor contracts for cloud hosting, VOIP phone system, and CRM systems.
- Created disaster recovery systems for production and office systems.
- Budgeting of all technical aspects of the business including hardware/software, infrastructure, technical staff, 3rd party vendors, and consulting.
- Recruited and mentored efficient development staff. Encouraged career development and a collaborative environment.
- Defined new processes for technical work including client services requests and product development which helped tasks stay within budget and on time.

Active Daily Living, LLC – (a Subsidiary of Private Health News) Chief Technology Officer

Jan 2014-Present

Highlights

- Developed SaaS application from ground up including architecture, design, and development using Microsoft stack. Created cost-conscience, technology budget for the start-up.
- Created web based products and content to help seniors "Age in Place" which often included home modification recommendations.
- Involved in sales meetings to provide technical expertise for product suite.
- Presented at American Society on Aging conference on the importance of functional and environmental aspects and how they affect the ability to remain in your home as you age.
- Responsible for proposal creation of out-sourced projects and led project discussions with vendors.

Ferno-Washington Inc

Director, Technology Solutions

May 2012- Dec 2012

- Executive advisor for mission critical ecommerce projects. Informed Senior Leadership of best practices and vendor selection. Interviewed and recommended third party for project completion.
- Evaluated internal reporting capabilities and architected solution to give custom data analysis to CFO.
- Introduced dashboards to replace outdated spreadsheet system to show financial trends.
- Mentored developers in current .NET technologies, including training sessions on the latest trends in .NET architecture.

Tellus LLC

Project Lead

June 2005- June 2009

- Responsible for product development teams building custom niche ecommerce solutions.
- Involved in Executive Committees for technical budgeting, product road mapping, staff reviews, and cost reduction.
- Client facing member of the team responsible for leading client(s) through requirements gathering phase, planning and organizing construction phase, and point of contact throughout the client relationship.
- Involved in pre-sales meetings as technical expert.
- Reviewed and recommended vendor relationships.

Cincinnati Financial Corporation

.NET Software Developer/Analyst

May 2003- June 2005, June 2009-June 2010

- Technical lead on insurance quoting software responsible for defining and building major components for the platform.
- Mentored developers on .NET Architecture and best practices.
- Involved in team discussions on how to architect and build software to ensure scaling.

Triple-I Corporation

Software Engineer Consultant

January 2001- May 2003

- Provided consulting services to local business in the Cincinnati/Dayton area performing software development activities.
- Developed software for a large e-commerce company in the print-management industry.
- Involved in planning, requirements gathering, and software delivery for a leading provider of
 outsourced business communication services, including document management, marketing and
 billing solutions.

EDUCATION:

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, Columbus, Ohio *B.S. in Civil Engineering*

FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY, Columbus, Ohio
Secondary Degree Program – Software Development