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Software Engineer seeking a *re-entry* position in **Software Development** following a family leave.

I am extremely excited to return to my previous work of designing and creating software. After completing the core course work for my B.S. in Computer Science, I worked for 5 years as a professional software developer. Over the past 20 years I have been a stay-at-home mom caring for my family. Since receiving my degree, I have continued to code for myself and for several volunteer projects. I have steadily learned new technologies through on-line courses, reading and remaining curious of all software trends. I am an eager and enthusiastic learner. I am ready to apply myself full time to an entry-level software developer position.

SOFTWARE SKILLS

- Java
- JavaScript
- PHP
- CSS
- HTML
- MySQL
- C
- Unix/Linux
- Bash Shell

5+ YEARS PROFESSIONAL SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE

January 2001 – present	Stay at home mom, demonstrating leadership and time management skills, and a tireless work ethic.
September 2000 – January 2001	Technical Documentation, Syclo LLC, Hoffman Estates, Illinois Contract Work
November 1998 – September 2000	Full-time family leave to care for toddler and new born
April 1994 – November 1998	Software Developer, Accuvoice Inc., Northbrook, Illinois C, SQL, PL/SQL, bash shell, Oracle, Unix All phases of the software development lifecycle with focus in design and development.
October 1993 – April 1994	Software Developer, AGT, Columbus, Ohio C, SQL, PL/SQL, bash shell, Oracle, Unix Software development - mainly modifications to existing code.

PROVEN ABILITIES & CHARACTERISTICS

- Strong Organizational Skills
- Strong Communication Skills
- Strong Team Player
- Highly Motivated
- Detail Oriented
- Ability to Multitask and Prioritize
- Passion for Technology
- Tenacity for Solving Challenging Problems
- Strong Aptitude for Financial Analytics
- Embraces all Opportunities for Learning

FORMAL EDUCATION

2004 B.S. Computer Science, Business Minor Indiana University - Bloomington, Indiana

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Implemented a highly successful Boy Scout Plant Sale for seven years, involvement ongoing.

2018 Designed and implemented a data entry system for the sale using a LAMP set-up in the cloud on an AWS virtual machine image.

2015 Redesigned and upgraded the High School Band's GoDaddy web site.

CONTINUED EDUCATION

2018 JavaScript Essential Training – Lynda.com

2017 Creating a Responsive Web Design – Lynda.com

2016 Object Oriented Programming in Java – Coursera – University of California

2015 Analysis of Algorithms with Programming in Java – Coursera – Princeton University

2015 Programming in Python – Coursera – Rice University

Board & Volunteer positions:

2014-2015 BGIA, High School Band Organization – Fundraising & Website

2008-2015 Boy Scouts – Fundraising, Plant Sale Chair

2005-2008 Cub Scouts – Committee Chair

2004-2006 Cub Scouts – Advancement Chair

2003-2004 PTA – Legislative Chair

LIFE LONG LEARNER

I am a life long learner and have stayed abreast of new technologies due to my interests in software, business, math and science. Along with software development I am particularly interested in data science, statistics and discrete mathematics.

PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

I enjoy designing, creating and building. I consistently strive to deliver quality products whether it is for computer software, school organizations, scouting events, fundraisers, halloween costumes or party food. I equally enjoy improving upon existing systems and products, whether they are mine or someone else's.