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### EXPERIENCE

DXC

New Orleans, LA Oct 2018 - Present

Senior DevOps Engineer

- Platform DXC: A data center and cloud Kubrenetes solution for enterprise cloud development, monitoring, automation, and workflows
  - \* standardized build processes
  - \* consolodated source code repositories
  - \* standardized access to source code
  - \* leveraged secrets management via HashiCorp Vault
  - \* developed helm charts for deployment of tools
  - \* provided centralized version controlled configuration
  - \* implemented continious integration via Jenkins pipelines
  - \* wrote custom resource definitions in python
  - \* provided API wrapper for any other client deployed in Kubrenetes stack
  - \* provided serverless access to exposed API layer via kubeless
- **Domain Task Orchestrator**: Cloud based Kubrenetes tool to facilitate other tools to communicate with one another
  - \* designed solution
  - \* isolated workflows to directed acyclic graphs
  - \* provided live demonstration for key milestones
  - \* trained team in best practices
  - \* replaced incomplete legacy solutions
  - \* integrated into platform offering
- Train Junior Developers: Provided ongoing training to other teams
  - \* Git
  - \* Python
  - \* Kubrenetes
  - \* Docker
  - \* API via swagger
  - \* Design Patterns
  - \* Best Practices
  - \* IDE customization and configuration

#### Baker Hughes

New Orleans, LA Dec 2016 - Oct 2018

Staff Build and Release Engineer

o Platform Operations Advisor: A cloud based (PREDIX) industiral IoT solution for Oil Platforms

- \* standardized build processes
- \* consolodated source code repositories
- \* standardized access to source code
- \* provided centralized version controlled configuration

- \* implemented continious integration via Jenkins pipeline
- \* dockerized full stack
- \* enforced gitflow change managment
- \* designed and implemented CA Rally based deployment strategy
- \* consolodated legacy UAA configuration
- \* automated PREDIX environment for deployment
- \* designed visual representation to communicate processes
- \* coordinated all build and release engineers for the project
- \* setup portable and standardized development environment
- \* enforced semantic versioning for all released artifacts
- \* designed and implemented release process
- **Digital Pipeline**: A Cloud based (PREDIX) GIS industrial IoT solution for managing risk on pipeline networks via visualizing customer provided inspections information and real time sensor data
  - \* built continuous integration server
  - \* automated job creation via Jenkins jobs DSL
  - \* coordinated all build and release engineers for the project
  - \* dockerized development environment
  - \* created and maintained source code repositories
- Reliance: Cloud based (PREDIX) real time monitoring of de-salter equipment used to alert operators of potential upsets based on sensor data and historical trends
  - \* leveraged existing continuous integration server
  - \* cleaned up exisiting Bamboo based jobs
  - \* coordinated all build and release engineers for the project
  - \* rewrote build scripts to use best practices
  - \* maintained source code repositories

## GE Digital

Senior Software Engineer

New Orleans, LA June 2016 - Dec 2016

- Intelligent Pipeline Management: Legacy datacenter based GIS industrial intranet solution for managing risk for pipeline networks visualizing customer provided inspections information and real time sensor data
  - \* introduced jHipster to team
  - \* train junior Software Engineer on SOLID practices
  - \* wrote selinium driven test suite leveraging jBehave
  - \* refactored legacy code base

## GE Oil and Gas

New Orleans, LA

Senior DevOps Engineer

Mar 2015 - June 2016

- Engage Drilling: Customer collaboration portal to support offshore drilling industry with documentation, service, ecommerce, and Contractual Service Agreements.
  - \* implemented Continuous Integration via shared Jenkins service
  - \* composed Chef recipes for AWS infrastructure
  - \* wrote kitchen based test suite for infrastructure
  - \* wrote bash scripts for manual deployments to said infrastructure

- \* migrated deployments from delivery based system to bash deployments
- \* trained team on use of above
- \* colaborated with corporate team for use of shared chef server

GE Capital
Senior Java Developer

New Orleans, LA

Oct 2012 - Mar 2015

- o Commercial Distribution Financing: Legacy GWT risk analysis calculator for commercial loans.
  - \* added features from client to legacy code base
  - \* removed bugs from legacy code base
- SecureOS: Recipes for secure operating systems to provision servers.
  - \* architected full chef based solution for SecureOS footprint based on STIG ISOs
  - \* implemented solution in chef
  - \* trained team on solution
- ESB layer for banks: Service Catalog and shared SOA middleware for online banking solution
  - \* architected full stack solution to replace legacy code
  - \* implemented in JAVA using Spring guided by WSDL
  - \* leveraged contract first best practices
  - \* documented suggested deployment process

## **Applied Enterprise Solutions**

Slidell, LA

• Inventory program: Software based Naval equipment program

- \* trained in best practices for java solutions
- \* implemented WSDL based backend methods
- \* extended functionality of existing code base

## U.S. Department of Energy

New Orleans, LA

Feb 2012 - Oct 2012

Sep 2011 - Apr 2012

 $Java\ Developer$ 

Java Developer

- SAP: Software to track learning of employees
- \* edited workflow to include development environment
  - \* provided process for adding and replacing test content for end users
- Sharepoint: Microsoft made instance to share documentation
  - \* implemented Java based migration software to move millions of files with folder based META into sharepoint
  - \* ran said Java software for successful migration

#### Programming Skills

• Languages: Ruby, JS, Java, bash, etc. Technologies: AWS, Cloud Foundry, Chef, Jenkins, etc.

#### EDUCATION

## Michigan Technological University

Houghton, MI

Bachelors of Applied Physics and Mathematics; GPA: 3.9

Aug. 2000 - May 2005

#### References

Available upon request.