Daniel Balthaser

Create, Evolve, Refactor, Resolve.

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Bloomsburg University: BS, Computer Science and Computer Forensics

TECHNOLOGIES

- C#/.NET/LINQ/ASP.NET/C/C++
- Typescript/Angular
- Particle/Arduino/Raspberry Pi
- Windows/Linux

Executive VP, Engineering
KLDiscovery, LLC

February 2020 - Present
Remote – Philadelphia, PA

- Led and developed a team of more than 200 employees including Directors, Architects, Managers, Trainers, Team Leaders, Developers, QA Engineers, DevOps Engineers, DBAs, and Application Support Engineers across five countries on three continents.
- Responsible for Engineering, DevOps, Application Support, DBAs, and Salesforce.
- Opened an office in Athens, Greece.
- Established processes, workflows, and applications to facilitate increased employee development, engagement, transparency, accountability, and ROI.
- Oversaw planning, design, implementation, and support of all company applications including Nebula (an end-to-end eDiscovery platform), an eDiscovery processing platform handling multiple TB of data per day, 300+ Data Recovery tools supporting all major filesystems, TicketStream (an ERP supporting millions of tasks per year), multiple Salesforce instances, Data Preservations tools, etc.
- Led department through migration to Azure services.
- Formed a dedicated company DevOps team.
- Co-Inventor on 3 US Patents (US11140212, US11178208, and US11190574).

Vice President, Engineering
KLDiscovery, LLC

March 2016 - February 2020
Ambler, PA

- Led and developed a team of approximately 140 employees including Directors, Managers, Team Leaders, Developers and QA Engineers across four countries on two continents.
- Evaluated and integrated Kroll Ontrack and Compiled Software team members and software post-acquisitions.
- Created and managed department budgets.
- Co-creator of custom portable eDiscovery hardware appliance.

Director, Engineering
KLDiscovery, LLC

Jan 2014 - Mar 2016
Ambler, PA

- Managed a team of 30 managers, software engineers, and QA engineers across two states.
- Performed due diligence on the technologies and Engineering team members for the acquisitions of RenewData and Interlegis.
- Participated in due diligence proccess for the company's technologies and Engineering team members for LDiscovery's recapitalization by Carlyle.

Manager, Engineering   May 2013 - Jan 2014

KLDiscovery, LLC   Fort Washington, PA

- Managed a team of 18 software engineers and QA engineers.
- Performed due diligence on the technologies and Engineering team members for the acquisition of AlphaLit.
- Evaluated and integrated AlphaLit team members and software post-acquisition.
- Participated in ISO 27001 certification process.

Software Team Lead   Dec 2011 - May 2013

KLDiscovery, LLC   Fort Washington, PA

- All prior Software Engineer duties.
- Managed a team of 7 software engineers.
- Created a company C# style guide.
- Worked with multiple departments to establish company standards and processes including security.

Software Engineer   May 2011 - Dec 2011

KLDiscovery, LLC   Fort Washington, PA

- Designed, created, tested, deployed, maintained, and supported multiple core business applications and libraries.
  - Applications include an eDiscovery Hosting Platform, multiple eDiscovery Data Processing Applications, and multiple Digital Forensics Collections Applications.
- Evaluated, recruited, hired, trained, and onboarded new team members.
- Created company core software development infrastructure including version control and backlog management software.

Intern/Software Developer   2009 – 2011

BLaST Intermediate Unit 17   Williamsport, PA

- Lead programmer/Software engineer on web-enabled ASP.NET (C#) applications and central application authentication server.

Areas of Interest

- Ultralight Backpacking
- Landscape Photography
- Microcontrollers (Particle, Arduino)
- Reverse Engineering/Hacking
- Automation
- Lambic Brewing