Stephen Brown - CV

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Professional Experience

AVP Programmer, Bank of America Merrill Lynch, London 2013-current

- Java and C# development on Front Office trade capture platform
- Moved existing hot-cold failover platform to hot-hot zero downtime platform
- Introduced and pushed use of standard deployment technologies (Ansible)
- Developed REST HTTP APIs for use by other teams
- Technologies used: C#, Java, Python, SQL/Oracle, Ansible, Haproxy, Git

Programmer, Bank of America Merrill Lynch, London 2011-2013

- Introduced automatic testing and deployment to the team
- Started a new team developing reconciliation software in python on an internal development platform
- Technologies used: Python, NoSQL DB, Parallel computation (2000+ node clusters)

Google Summer of Code Student, OpenStreetMap, Remote Summer 2010

- Significant development on an open source Android application
- Collaborated with team members and translators around the world
- Technologies used: Java, Android

Web Developer, In4Systems, Reading Summer 2008, Summer 2009

- Web Development using Ruby on Rails and Sybase
- Performed unit testing and automated testing using Ruby web testing frameworks
- Technologies used: Ruby on Rails, Sybase

Education

- University of Warwick Computer Science (Master of Engineering) 2007-2011. Awarded 2:1
- Forest School, Winnersh 2001-2007. 4 A-Levels

Achievements

- Qualified NPLQ Lifeguard and BCU First Aider
- Kayak Level 1 coach

Interests and Skills

- I founded a python project with 240+ watchers and 50 forks: pydashie
- I am an experienced white-water kayaker, and have been leading trips for six years.

References available upon request