# MICHAEL GIDDINGS

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# SDL Tridion Consultant ■ Senior .NET Developer

- Seasoned programmer with over 18 years of experience incorporating user and business requirements into cost-effective, secure and user-friendly solutions known for scalability and durability.
- Knowledge of commercial and open source software/database engineering tools, CMS development and implementation.
- Proven leader and consultant; drive system architecture decisions and lead projects from concept through the release process.

# Technology Summary

- C#; .NET; Java; J2EE; JSP; MVC.NET; ASP/ASP.NET; PHP; AngularJS; JavaScript; HTML5; CSS3; XML; XSL; SOAP/REST API; SQL.
- SDL Tridion 2013SP1/SDL Tridion Sites (8.5); Sitefinity CMS; Drupal 8; AWS; Azure; Visual Studio; Microsoft SQL Server; Eclipse; NetBeans; Agile Development

# **Professional Experience**

XAVIENT DIGITAL -- Atlanta, GA (Remote), Client: Union Bank(MUB) SDL Tridion Consultant/.NET, Java Developer, 2019 to Present

ZENMONICS INC -- Charlotte, NC (Remote), Client: Union Bank(MUB)

SDL Tridion Consultant/.NET, Java Developer, 2016 to 2019

Develop, maintain and support application programs for administrative, Web and mobile systems using C#, Java, JSP and SDL Tridion. Analyze code for system testing and debugging; provide direction on implementation and admiration of SDL Tridion instances across the business.

#### **Accomplishments:**

- Installed, supported and maintained SDL Tridion 2013SP1 implementations in business tiers.
- Developed and maintain SDL Tridion schemas, template building blocks and workflow definitions using Visual Studio and C#.
- Participated in the design, testing and deployment of client/server, multitier applications, J2EE and related components hosted on JBoss Web Application platform.
- Created user documentation and training materials for on boarding new team members and new users to SDL Tridion.
- Implemented and tested enhancement feature requests to enhance product functionality.
- Participated in Agile routines Sprint planning, Backlog grooming, daily scrums, etc. using JIRA tools.
- Consulted with business to architect a solution that would migrate data from SDL Tridion 2013SP1 to Drupal 8

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### Professional Experience (Continued)

FAST SWITCH -- Dublin, OH (Remote), Client: Key Bank (Key.com)

SDL Tridion Consultant/.NET, Java Developer, 1/2018 to 8/2018

Maintain and support SDL Tridion templates and components. Analyze code for system testing and debugging; provide direction on implementation and admiration of SDL Tridion instances across the business.

#### **Accomplishments:**

- Developed SDL Tridion components that render Rates and Fees into JSON output in a headless format.
- Developed and maintain SDL Tridion schemas, template building blocks and workflow definitions using Visual Studio/C# and Dreamweaver.
- Created documentation for upgraded and new component and templates.
- Implemented and tested enhancement feature requests to enhance product functionality.

TAHZOO, LLC -- Washington, DC

#### SDL Tridion Consultant/.NET, Java Developer, 2013 to 2017

Led programming tasks including enhancements, maintenance and support for clients' applications and interfaces. Engineered software products, handling complex analysis and intricate programming to meet project requirements.

Clients include; Wells Fargo, Jaguar/LandRover, Harris Corp, Sodexo, Starbucks.

#### **Accomplishments:**

- Led solutions engineering, implementation and development of client web-based application solutions.
- Installed, supported and maintained SDL Tridion CMS infrastructure in AWS and AZURE cloud Tomcat, Windows and Linux environments.
- Developed and implemented cross-platform, Java and .NET based solutions, within the SDL Tridion CMS platform according to client requirements.
- Designed and developed SDL Tridion schemas, template building blocks and workflow definitions.
- Designed SDL Tridion configuration in support of multiple website system hosting requirements.
- Created SDL Tridion proof-of-concept prototype applications for demonstration and evaluation purposes.
- Participated in Agile routines Sprint planning, Backlog grooming, daily scrums, etc. using JIRA tools.

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### Professional Experience (Continued)

UNIVERSAL ORLANDO RESORT -- Orlando, FL

#### Sr. Computer Systems Analyst, 2009 to 2013

Defined, developed, tested, analyzed, and maintained software applications in support of the achievement of business requirements. This includes testing, analyzing and supporting software programs and applications.

#### **Accomplishments:**

- Participated in the re-development, deployment, debugging and testing of outsourced Ecommerce ASP.NET Web Application.
- Built development and staging environments for E-commerce Site including components; WAF, WCF, Tridion Content Management system, SQL data stores, and MS Commerce..
- Designed and developed SDL Tridion schemas, template building blocks and workflow definitions.

#### **Education & Credentials**

YORK UNIVERSITY -- Toronto, Ont. Can. (1998)

**BS in Computer Science** 

#### **Certification:**

SDL Tridion 2013 Developer Certification (Sept. 2015)