# Grant McConnaughey

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### **EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Science,** Computer Information Science; *Emphasis: Information Technology* Missouri Southern State University, Joplin, Missouri — July 2014 Major GPA: 3.90

Associate of Arts, General Studies

Crowder College, Neosho, Missouri — July 2011

GPA: 3.69

### RELATED COURSEWORK

· Website Administration I and II

• Data Structures

• Programming I and II

• UNIX System Administration

• Windows LAN Administration

• Information Systems I and II

· Database Management I and II

• Operating Systems

## WORK EXPERIENCE

February 2015 - Present

SideCars, Inc.: Software Architect

- Developed the reinsurance application SideKick using Python and the Django web framework.
- Kept SideKick up-to-date with the latest Django versions from Django 1.6 to Django 1.9.
- Spearheaded an initiative that raised SideKick automated testing from 272 tests and 46% test coverage to 2200 tests and 92% test coverage in 10 months.

June 2013 - January 2015

MSSU Information Technology: Programmer Analyst - Applications

- Rewrote the main MSSU Online Admissions application using the Grails framework.
- Developed a series of Finance Applications for the MSSU Business Office using the Grails framework.
- Created a suite of 15 diverse portlets for use by MSSU employees and students using the Grails framework.
- Maintained existing mission-critical C# and ASP.NET applications.

August 2014 - November, 2014 Self: Freelance Web Developer

• Programmed the HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP that powers the MSSU website (http://mssu.edu).

January 2013 - June 2013

MSSU Information Technology: Programmer (Intern)

- Configured the MSSU Help Desk software JIRA. Created documentation and trained staff on how to use it.
- Developed a booklist desktop and mobile web application for MSSU students using the Grails framework.

September 2012 - January 2013 MSSU Information Technology: Student Technician

- · Learned about Active Directory, domains, users/groups, and basic Windows LAN administration.
- · Expanded on my customer relations' skills through personal interactions with MSSU faculty and staff.
- Assisted professors and students with computer-related issues at the User Services Help Desk.

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Front-End: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap

Back-End: Python/Django, Groovy/Grails, C#/ASP.NET, SQL

Other: Git, Linux, Vagrant, Bash