**OBJECTIVE**

**Michael Conner**

**Software Engineer / Developer**

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Software engineering / development for a first class engineering team

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

I've engineered successful commercial products and participated in the full development cycle, from planning, architecture, coding, QA and deployment, using a broad range of technologies.

**Lead Engineer** - GoldMail, Inc./ PointAcross June 2007 - Present

Lead Engineer for MVC4 / Azure based messaging application <http://go.pointacross.com> (please contact me to arrange for a demo)

Lead engineer for ASP.net MVC3 content sharing web application <http://contentlibrary.pointacross.com/42021?target=cloud> (no login necessary)

Lead engineer for ASP.net commercial portal

Lead ASP.Net developer for the company's Portal commerce WAP; Lead Engineer for the Company's Silverlight Synergy content sharing product

In late 2010 / early 2011, key member of Windows Azure conversion team Converted existing third-party integration Web Services to WCF

Refactored existing ASP.Net and Silverlight projects for deployment to Windows Azure; Lead engineer for all audio editing and MP3 encoding components used in GoldMail commercial desktop application

Lead generalist engineer for voice-over-messaging Startup, working on all facets of company products and infrastructure

Key member of a small engineering team building the GoldMail Composer desktop audio / slideshow creation tool, Commercial website and content sharing application, and associated backend infrastructure

**Senior Developer** - Legal MacPacFeb 1994 - Jun 2007

Legal software developer

Senior developer for the Sackett Group, the number one provider of document automation software for the Legal industry Engineered the latest XML / C# office integration components for codeless document creation for the MacPac 10 product line

**Freelance Writer**1995 - 2002

Published four novels and numerous shorter pieces in the science fiction genre

Won SFWA Nebula award for my novelette, "Guidedog"

**TECHNICAL SKILLS**

I've thrived working in small shops where engineers have to take ownship of projects.

C# / .NET ASP.NET / MVC

Windows Azure javascript

jQuery CSS

VS 2010 / Team Foundation Server Silverlight.

Azure tools 2.0 Azure PHP toolkit

Cerebrata Cloud Storage Studio Cerebrata Azure Diagnostics Manager

**EDUCATION / INTERESTS**

**Bachelor of Arts** -San Francisco State University

Summa cum laude, degree in English. Minors in Botany and Creative Writing.

**Clarion Writer's Workshop** -Michigan State University

Intensive course and workshop work in Creative Writing.

**Musician Songwriter and performer in popular Bay Area band**.

Currently producing and playing in several live bands and recording projects.

**Other Interests**

Flash photography in Strobist style; Image processing with Adobe Lightroom and Photoshop; Cycling; Skiing; Hiking and Backpacking; Travel; Cooking; Espresso .