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**Objective**

Experienced military leader with documented success in responsible and challenging positions; seeking a position to gain work related experience in order to progress to higher level positions. I have a proven record of accomplishment, mission-critical decision making, time-management, and extensive teamwork abilities; with the ability to develop and implement effective action plans. I have fulfilled a tour of duty in Afghanistan and four years of military service with an honorable discharge.

**Education**

**Grand Valley State University** Allendale, MI

*• B.A.Sc., Computer Science (Grades: 80%) Sep. 2009 - Jun. 2011*

**–** Minor: Business

**–** Relevant courses: Java programming, Data Structures and Algorithms, Digital Design, Computer

Architecture, C programming, System Programming, SQL

**Muskegon Community College** Muskegon, MI

*• A.S.A., Science and Arts 2001-2006*

**–** Finished degree after completing 4 year Active Duty contract with the U.S. Army.

**–** Relevant courses: Physics, Calculus, Statistics, Electroacoustic music

**Work Experience**

**Kohl’s Department Store** Grandville, MI

*• Advertisement Setter / Warehouse Nov 2009 - Jun 2011*

**–** Work with other associates as a team to inventory and assess advertisement pricing and policies for entire store.

**–** Customer assistance and interaction

**–** Warehouse inventory and offsite merchandise management

**180th Transportation Co., U.S. Army Reserve** Muskegon, MI

*25F Communication Specialist Aug 2009 - Aug. 2010*

*•* **–** Train on various soldier skills and wheeled truck driving. Plan and execute regular training exercises

In support of the 180th Transportation Company.

**Shareco Communications** Grand Rapids, MI

*• Telecommunications Line Installer Mar. 2008 - Nov. 2008*

**–** I was responsible for the installation, repair, and termination of cabling in commercial and residential business.

**–** Proficient in the use of CAT5E, CAT6, 100-pair copper wire, and standard RG5 coaxial cable.

**–** Installation and splicing of fiber optic lines in commercial settings.

**710 BSB, 3rd BCT, 10th MTN DIV, U.S. Army** Afghanistan

*• Communications Specialist OEF VII Feb. 2006 - Jul. 2007*

**–** Deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom as a communication specialist for a company sized element with more than 150 employees.

**–** Participated in the Joint Task Force as security for the occupying NATO and ISAF forces.

**–** Participated in the successful repatriation of a US Soldier in a Search and Rescue Mission.

**–** Maintained and Installed radio communication and navigation devices in armored vehicles.

**10th Mountain Division, U.S. Army** Fort Drum, NY

*• 25F Network Switching Systems Operator / Maintainer Aug. 2005 - Feb. 2006*

**–** Directly responsible for the installation, maintenance, and repair of over half a million dollars of communication equipment for a company with over 150 soldiers.

**–** Participated in successful training at JROTC in Fort Polk, Louisiana.

**–** Conducted numerous training exercises successfully in light infantry.

**Military Awards**

Joint Service Achievement Medal (Secretary of Defense) May 2007

ISAF Medal Afghanistan (NATO) 2007

Joint Meritorious Unit Award (CJTF-76) 2007

Army Commendation Medal (U.S. Army) 2007

Army Good Conduct Medal (x2) (U.S. Army) 2007

Army Certification of Achievement (U.S. Army) 2006

**Security Clearance**

Secret (US Army) Exp. 2012

**Skills**

**Programming:** Java, C/C++, Ruby, Python, BASH, HTML, CSS, SQL

**Operating Systems:** Linux (Debian, Gentoo, Arch Linux), Mac OSX, Solaris, UNIX, Windows

95/98/NT/2000/XP/VISTA/WIN 7

**Applications:** Vim, Eclipse, LATEX, MS Office 2007, Adobe Photoshop/Premiere

**Military Skills:** General Dynamics C4 - MSE Network Systems, COMTECH MTS, Plugr, and Blue Force Tracker GPS devices, COMSEC devices, SIPR and NIPR networks, SINCGARS Radios, SMART-T Satellite Communications, Cisco routers

**Miscellaneous:** software configuration management, strong verbal and written communication skills, excellent troubleshooting skills, exceptional problem solving skills, good teams skills

**Interests**

**Academic:** Ubiquitous Computing, RF/wireless, Operating Systems design / maintenance, Computer Security, Information Assurance

**Memberships:** Student Veteran Organization, CS Study Group, Total Trek Quest