Jan Killian

Personal data

Date of birth: Dec 23rd 1975

Nationality: Czech

Objective

Seeking projects abroad to meet people, learn, and have fun following synergy, tackling challenges and embracing new technologies.

I'm particularly interested in lean services that shift paradigms for effectivity and open data/service ecosystems.

Currently I'm most proficient in the following technologies and areas:

- Python, Linux, Google App Engine
- API+UX, NoSQL/SQL data modelling, distributed computing
- cloud services, server farm management, security

Experience

Freelance Developer

2010-2011

Developed projects using Python, Linux and Google App Engine.

- Built an initial phase of network cloud services management project for an Amsterodam based european network operator. Implemented p2p network testing probes, driven by Kamaelia multithreaded generators and running as deamons under Supervisord on Ubuntu VM nodes. Provided scripted procesess for node management using Fabric/Supervisord, for building, distributing and updating packages in development/test/live environments, and for setting up MongoDB/rsyslog/tinyproxy servers and git versioned nginx apt repositories. The project was stopped due to time constraints on my side and Google Wave (next planned step) fadeout.
- Prototyped Google App Engine Python backend for QR based advertisment monitoring and gaming platform. Our development team did not find agreement with the investing media company though and the project continues development in a limited scope.

Developer/Specialist

2005-2009

Commerzbank AG, Prague, CZ

References: Ryan McGloin, Local Head ADS

- Took part in an agile development process wherever IT interdisciplinary skills were needed.
- Setup testing environment and SUSE Linux WebSphere/JBoss/Oracle/Sybase server infrastructure.
 Analysed Czech branch e-banking and server infrastructure migration to the in-house managed server platform.
- Developed reporting and database checking tools (python), Connect:Direct scripting base (ksh, bat) and local servers/desktops/services management scripts (ksh, sh, bash, bat, python, SQL).
- Lead local development of Firstspirit-based CMS applications for company Internet websites (java +jython+beanshell).
- Co-developed the Application Security Test Concept.

IT&eB Executive

2002-2004

Wyeth Czech s.r.o., Prague, CZ

References: Vladimír Chmela, CFO

Responsible for IT of Czech branch in a global network.

- Managed Novell Netware 5.1 network with Windows 2000 clients, S&M/F&A/R&D applications and Groupwise 5.5. Supported global internet, intranet, WAN, RAS, security, ITC and eB solutions. Planned budget and managed assets, suppliers and services.
- Reshaped servers and network to be compliant with global setup and policies, cooperated in merge into global NDS, implemented global ZENworks based workstation management. Coordinated local JDE implementation, network infrastructure upgrade and country intranet setup.

Network Administrator

1996-2002

H-Media s.r.o., Prague, CZ References: Michal Ouzký, Technical Manager

Responsible for IT.

- Implemented and managed Novell Netware 4.11/5.1 network with Windows 95/98/NT clients, S&M/ F&A applications and solutions for internet, e-mail, backup, security and data exchange.
- Implemented Novell ZENworks based workstation management with Windows deployed from disk images and user applications, policies and profiles automatically delivered from network.

MIS Technician 1999-2000 References: Jamal Ashraf, CFO

TRW-Carr s.r.o., Stará Boleslav, CZ

Responsible for Brain XPPS production planning and control system. Co-responsible for IT.

 Managed XPPS on AS/400, provided DB2 grymgr/SQL data reports for F&A, logistics and warehouse management. Coordinated warehouse inventories with CFO.

Co-managed Novell Netware 4.11/5.0, Novell Groupwise 5.1 and Ethernet/Token Ring network. Supported NDS/Groupwise operations within TRW Global Network and WAN/EDI/RAS solutions. Supported 100+ employees in 2-member team.

User Support Technician (Civil Service)

1998-1999

University of Economics, Prague, CZ

References: Jan Havlíček, Support Manager

Supported 1500+ employees in 3-member team.

Installed new hardware and software, reimplemented image based workstation deployment.

Cooperated in LAN/MAN maint., Netware troubleshooting and setting up a new college network.

Network Administrator

1994-1997

Billboard s.r.o., Prague, CZ

References: Šťěpán Hutla, Technical Director

Responsible for IT.

■ Implemented and managed Novell Netware 3.12/4.11 network with Windows 3.1/95 clients, S&M/ F&A applications and solutions for internet, e-mail, backup and security.

Supervised development of campaign building client application.

Network Administrator (Scholarship Activity)

1994-1995

1994-1997

Faculty of Mathematics and Physics at Charles University, Prague, CZ

Co-administered Novell Netware 3.11 computing lab network.

Education

Secondary and University Education

Gymnázium Korunní - Zborovská, Prague, CZ

1990-1991 Specialization: German Language 1991-1994 Mathematics

Degree earned: Maturita (General Certificate of Education)

Faculty of Mathematics and Physics at Charles University, Prague, CZ

Study branch: Master Study (MSc.) of Computer Science

Interrupted the study in 4th semester due to time constraints with 2 half-time jobs.

Skills

Language Skills

Czech: Native speaker

Advanced in both written and spoken language English:

Tech Skills

- Python/Jython, bash/sh/ksh, Perl, PHP, C, Asm x86, BeanShell
- Hg, Git, Darcs, SVN, CVS, ClearCase
- MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL, MS SQL, Sybase, DB2, SQLite
- App Engine, WSGI, nginx, Apache, JBoss/Tomcat, WebSphere
- Linux, Solaris, Novell NetWare, OS/400 and Windows servers
- Small to mid-scale Linux server/node and Windows desktop management

Qualification

- 20 years of coding and 17 years of system administration experience
- Analytic and conceptual thinking
- Deep insight into technologies of choice
- Troubleshooter, fast-learner, team player

Completion data

Availability: Ready to start working immediatelly. Can travel for projects. References: Contact e-mails are available online at iki.github.com/cv.

Networks: @jankillian, linkedin.com/in/killian, google+jan.killian, github.com/iki.

Interests: Hiking, biking, music, books, networking, programming.