Jason Petsod

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EDUCATION

Illinois Institute of Technology; Chicago, IL

August 2006 - May 2010

B.S., Physics, cum laude; GPA: 3.51/4.00.

PROFESSIONAL

D. E. Shaw & Co., L.P.; New York, NY

Systems Intern

Summer 2009

• Designed and created a statistics aggregation framework with Java, Python, and MySQL to monitor and troubleshoot database infrastructure.

Systems Intern Summer 2008

- Designed and created a MoinMoin-wiki-based knowledge base in three weeks.
- Developed the first management tools for the MySQL infrastructure.

Morgan Stanley; New York, NY

Unix Operations Intern

Summer 2007

Quickly developed a number of Perl tools to help manage a Linux/Solaris plant of over 6,000 servers.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages Python, Ruby, Perl, C, bash/zsh, ŁTEX, Java, PHP, SQL

Applications Dovecot, Git, lighttpd, Mercurial, MySQL, OpenSSH, Postfix, PostgreSQL, Puppet, Subversion

Networking TCP/IP, DHCP, DNS

Operating Systems Linux, Mac OS X, OpenBSD

PROJECTS

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May 2010 – Present

• Writing a homegrown CMS using the Pylons web framework and PostgreSQL.

sup-web

May 2010 - Present

• Creating a web interface for the sup mail client using the Sinatra web framework.

frankenplot

January 2010 – Present

• Revamped a data plotting application used by scientists at Argonne National Laboratory as part of a research project under Professor Carlo Segre.

eduKEN

August 2009 – May 2010

Project manager of a team developing a video annotation and indexing system written in Ruby on Rails to improve
online distance education.

PHYS240 (Computational Physics) Final Project

March 2009 – May 2009

• Wrote a C program to solve the Schrödinger equation for a hydrogen atom with fine structure and hyperfine structure corrections by using time-independent perturbation theory.

gears

July 2008 – Present

• Writing a Python command-line frontend to the Transmission BitTorrent client that supports improved filtering and search capabilities while better adhering to Unix philosophy.

"The Scalability of the AMD64 Architecture"

Fall 2004 - Spring 2005

• Explored the scalability of AMD64 processors in a compute cluster built from commodity computer components.