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Tool Proficiencies

- Git, GitHub, GitHub Actions, Jenkins;
- Jira, Jira + XRay, Zephyr for Jira, TestRail;
- Selenium WebDriver, WebDriver.io, Cypress;
- JUnit, NUnit, Mocha, Chai, Jest;
- Jenkins, GitHub Actions, AWS Lambda.

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

- Integration & automation development;
- Python, Java, Kotlin, Ruby, PHP;
- Javascript, Typescript, Node, React;
- PostgreSQL, MySQL, SQLite;
- Agile software development methodology.

WORK HISTORY

Streem, Inc. // Frontdoor Home

Software Engineer

October 2020 - September 2022

- Collaborated on the design, documentation, communication, and rollout of org-wide software development process changes to improve product stability during concurrent dev and research initiatives after a major growth event
- Performed in-depth investigations of a data pipeline spanning Twilio rooms, Postgres databases, and Amazon S3 buckets using internal and external APIs, custom python tools, log analysis via DataDog, and direct inspection via SQL
- Designed, documented, executed regression and feature-level test plans for the product platform, including public APIs
- Created GitHub Actions workflows to run targeted automated regression tests on-branch and summarize results in PRs
- Implemented a proof-of-concept React application for visualizing highly dimensional data to better assess gaps in test coverage across a complex matrix of devices, platforms, and browsers for multi-participant video calls
- Established standards for ticket-level testing, provided training on those standards to development teams
- Reviewed developer test summaries for any coverage gaps and identified integration test cases worth automating

Left Coast Financial Solutions

Chief Technology Officer

June 2019 - March 2020

(Note: I continued to consult on business & technical initiatives March 2020 - March 2022 with approval from Streem COI staff)

- Managed contract technologists on devops, full stack development, IT infrastructure, and brand identity projects
- Continuously identified milestones for internal & customer-facing technology roadmaps; contributed to their completion
- Performed data collection and market research to identify out-of-box and custom solutions for internal automation needs
- Established Jira-based task tracking for all teams, including non-technical BSA Compliance and Account Services groups
- Tested and troubleshot AWS Lambda functions integrated with Jira and open-source banking software Cyclos
- Defined, refined, documented, and integrated best practices for software development and customer PII protection

Cylance, Inc. January 2016 - June 2019

(Note: Acquired by BlackBerry Corporation in February 2019; continued as the BlackBerry Cylance Business Unit thereafter.)

Senior Security Automation & Orchestration Engineer

March 2018 - June 2019

- Developed custom integrations and scripts for tools which Demisto did not yet fully or satisfactorily support
- Designed and constructed scheduled jobs to fully automate and report on various regular housekeeping tasks
- Defined and implemented process for security automation requests, tracking, and prioritization
- Completed Cylance Management Essentials Certification training coursework

End-to-End Product Quality Lead

April 2017 - February 2018

- Guided development process, established test standards for greenfield project through productization, rearchitecture
- Owned end-to-end quality upon integration into product ecosystem through test design, execution, reporting, response
- Performed cross-product full stack investigations to determine root cause of defects in forensic endpoint data integrity
- Organized patch releases while preparing test infrastructure for a complete architectural shift in the next major version
- Provided tailored training on both architectures for varied audiences including tier 1 support, data science

Senior Quality & Test Automation Engineer

January 2016 - March 2017

- Contributed to python automation framework for generating and verifying forensic data throughout the data pipeline
- Participated in configuration, maintenance, and improvement of automated test pipeline Jenkins jobs
- Led team through feature release to improve feature coverage, platform/compatibility coverage, automation stability

EARLY CAREER

Marin Software

Software Quality Engineer

- February 2015 December 2015
- Maintained and expanded an existing Java Selenium automation framework in response to new features
- Redesigned regression tests in anticipation of a new OLAP pipeline leveraging Presto atop HBase and Solr
- Ensured health of traditional and near-realtime Solr operations and RESTful APIs in two distinct pipelines
- Implemented python scripts to consolidate performance data from component logs in lieu of Kibana support

NAVEX Global

Quality Assurance Engineer

September 2014 - December 2014

- Developed a C# Selenium automation framework prototype against a user management app and its integration points
- Owned testing and quality standards for a quarterly release of the user management app common to all products
- Improved development cycle transparency with changes to test planning and automation development

Webtrends

Quality Assurance Engineer II

June 2013 - September 2014

- Led continued development of an established C# Selenium automation framework to improve reporting value
- Owned features from inception to delivery to ensure that design, implementation, and testing met quality standards
- Established and maintained valid testing environments consisting of multiple servers and interdependent components - Delegated to, trained, and collaborated with a testing team in China to expedite results and increase test coverage
- Introduced Agile and QA process and a new Groovy Selenium automation framework for a rapid-release Rails app

Portland State University Cooperative Education Program (PCEP)

Tripwire, LLC

QA Specialist Intern

January 2013 - June 2013

- Documented, tested, and developed tests using a Selenium-based, product-specific, GUI testing framework
- Wrote scripts and configured Jenkins jobs in support of automation and data generation efforts

Thetus Corporation

Quality Assurance Intern

July 2012 - January 2013

- Automated aggregation of input data for performance tests and refinement of product logs
- Performed black box exploratory, regression, and integration testing of multiple products
- Collaborated with design and development teams to define requirements and thorough test plans

Portland State University Library Web Developer

November 2011 - January 2013

- Used HTML, CSS, PHP, jQuery, and MySQL to create web pages and dynamic media
- Improved accessibility with semantic HTML, microformats, and progressive enhancement techniques
- Produced original designs and design improvements for desktop and mobile web pages and graphics
- Developed a Sinatra/DataMapper Ruby application to manage library objectives and related resources

EDUCATION

Master of Science Computer Science

Portland State University

Specialty: Programming Language Design & Applications

September 2011 - August 2015

specialty. I rogramming Language Design & Applications

Guest instructor

Specialty: Intelligent & Adaptive Systems (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)

Bachelor of Science (Dual Degree)

University of Washington - Tacoma

Computing & Software Systems
Computer Engineering & Systems

September 2008 - March 2011 Minor: Mathematics

Computer science and electrical engineering lab tutor from 2008 to 2010

Associate of Arts & Sciences

Tacoma Community College

Course Focus: Computer & Electrical Engineering

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September 2006 - June 2008

Member, webmaster of student branch of American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) First place web site in regional ASME technical writing expository website competition, 2007