**JAMES DENIS**

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**IT Professional / COBOL Programmer / Analyst**

Multidisciplinary computer programmer/team lead with a wide variety of skills. A go-to person for out of balance problems on a multi-million-dollar mainframe systems who also took an overly complex online system and simplified it so maintenance could be done quicker.

After using HTML, CSS, VBScript and JavaScript and wanting to know more went on to complete the University of Arizona’s Coding Boot Camp, where every day was a chance to add to my coding skill set.

A bachelor’s degree holding, Boot Camp Certified professional with a passion for using all skills to help solve complex business problems.

**Areas of Expertise**

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| * Computer Programming | * System Support | * System Analysis |
| * Technical Support | * Project Coordination | * Installation & Testing |
| * Maintain & Enhance Coding | * Quality Assurance | * System Monitoring |

***Operating Systems:*** *TSO/ISPF, Windows*

***Programming Languages & Databases:*** *COBOL,**IMS, DB2, CICS, JCL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS*

***Database:*** *VSAM, MySQL, MongoDB*

***Methodologies:*** *SDLC, Agile/Scrum*

***Tools:*** *Changeman, Infoman, Jobtrac, JSON*

***Other:*** *SAR, GiHub, Heroku*

**Professional Experience**

**Parker Hannifin, Irvine, CA 9/2019 – 11/2019**

**Contractor** *(September 2019 – November 2019)*

* Resolved production problems with JCL/COBOL and CICS.
* Updated system to allow On-Demand Reports to be created properly.
* Performed 24/7 on call

**CVS Health, formerly CVS/CAREMARK, Scottsdale, AZ 1994 – 2008** *and* **2013 – 2019**

**formerly PCS Health Systems**

**Senior Programmer** *(January 2013 – March 2019)*

* Monitored websites and internal systems. Result: Ensured operating correctly and running efficiently.
* Resolved production problems with JCL and COBOL.
* Developed, deployed & maintained ad hoc code using VBScript, JScript & VuGen that conducted health checks on systems.

**Consulting Analyst** *(August 2001 – March 2008)*

*Praised by senior management, clients and programmers for quickly developing technical programming solutions for complex business requirements and mentoring and supporting Programmer team.*

* Resolved 2-year technical problem others failed to solve, identified and corrected problem within 4 hours.
* Mentored new programmers one-on-one and assisted senior programmers with career growth.
* Engaged in long-term planning and strategy to define future requirements for system improvements on basis of technological development and internal functional needs.

**Senior Programmer** *(August 1995 – August 2001)*

* Performed complex programming activities for multimillion-dollar IT systems infrastructure; billing, and accounts payable / receivable functions, utilizing IMS and VSAM files.
* Repaired day-to-day system problems, made minor enhancements, and empowered systems to run faster.

**Programmer / Analyst** *(April 1994 – August 1995)*

* Provided computer information system support for customer and vendor databases, billing, and accounts payable/receivable functions, utilizing IMS and VSAM files.
* Performed work individually, analyzed all types of systems, helped rewrite and install entire systems, and was on call 24/7 for any problems.

**FocaFliPs, Phoenix, AZ 2009 – 2013**

**Founder / Owner**

* Bought, renovated, and sold 16 houses from 2009 to 2013 ranging in price from $100,000 to $250,000.
* Established budget for purchasing properties, hired, and monitored contractors to refurbish homes.

**Additional Experience: K-MART, Troy, MI, Senior Programmer Analyst**

**Education**

**Bachelor of Arts Degree in Computer Science**, Walsh College, Troy, MI

**Associate of Arts Degree in General Business**, Macomb Community College, Warren, MI

Coursework included: COBOL, FORTRAN, BASIC, and Business Communications

**Visual Basic Classes**, Glendale Community College, Glendale, AZ

**Bootcamp Certificate in Full Stack Web Development,** University of Arizona – Chandler AZ