JOSEPH M. GALLO

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TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE

Java, Python, Perl, PHP, C++/C, Apache, Tomcat, MVC, JUnit, Cactus, Ant, JavaScript (jQuery, Dojo), Ajax, Web Services (REST, SOAP), XML, JSON, HTML, CSS, SVN, Git, Oracle, MySQL, PostgreSQL, SQLite, Trac, Nagios, NSIS, Wise, Regex, Scheme, MATLAB, ARM Assembly, Linux, Windows

WORK-RELATED EXPERIENCE

Programmer/Analyst (Berkeley, CA: August 2008 - April 2010)

UC Berkeley Graduate Division (http://grad.berkeley.edu)

- Worked on GLOW, a J2EE web app with Oracle back-end that provides graduate student-related information and services to students, faculty, and staff.
- GLOW received the Larry L. Sautter Award for Innovation in Information Technology.
- Worked on several different GLOW projects including online fellowship competition, compliance reports, departmentally restricted awards, and a fee remissions payment system.
- · Wrote series of Jakarta Cactus unit tests.
- Migrated from Jaguar server to Apache/Tomcat.

Programmer [Contract] (San Francisco, CA : April 2008 - August 2008)

CherryBlossoms (http://www.blossoms.com/)

· Wrote web-based chat with LAMP backend.

Askmoses (http://www.askmoses.com/)

• Wrote popup dialog allowing user to submit question.

ireminder (http://ireminder.com/)

• Refactored site code (php/html).

Software Developer (San Francisco, CA: September 2007 - March 2008)

blinkx, Inc. (http://www.blinkx.com)

- Worked on blinkx beat, an interactive client application that brings latest video content from blinkx site to the desktop. Application was done in C++, using Win32 API, and the installer in NSIS.
- Helped merge blinkx beat with pico, an application that shows videos related to contents of viewed web
 page. Used Ajax, CSS, HTML for the front-end and converted pico's installer, written in Wise, to NSIS.
- Worked on Firefox extension that uses DownloadHelper to extract media source url's of videos normally unobtainable by usual means (HTML, XML).
- Wrote several web crawlers in perl to fetch video content from numerous sites. Maintained media content via MySQL.

Software Developer / Research Assistant (Amherst, MA: 2006 - 2007)

Professors Ed Riseman and Allen Hanson as [NSF-funded] ASSIST Project leaders

- Designed and developed address book application intended for elderly users, with simple Java Swing GUI front-end, featuring large accessible widgets and SQLite database back-end.
- Helped integrate suite of applications (fall detection, object finder, videophone, calendar, address book) intended to prolong an elderly user's ability to live independently in a setting of his/her choice.

Programmer / Research Assistant (Amherst, MA: 2006 - 2007)

Professor Allen Hanson as Project Advisor, Grad Student Vidit Jain

- Worked on and tested hyperfeature based face recognition system, already implemented by grad student at the time, with regard to its possible applications in the ASSIST Project.
- Added XML functionality to conveniently parse identifier generator parameters and model image list.
- Assisted in conversion of MATLAB to C++ (OpenCV) and validation of converted code.

Programmer (Amherst, MA: Fall 2004)

Professor Allen Hanson as Independent Study Advisor

Designed and developed Java Swing GUI application illustrating generation and traversal of a maze
using recursive backtracker algorithm and the reflected changes to underlying stack data structure.

EDUCATION

University of Massachusetts Amherst (Amherst, MA: 2003 - 2007)

Bachelor of Science, May 2007

Double Major in Computer Science and Mathematics

Mathematics Concentration in Mathematical Computing

Graduated Cum Laude with Commonwealth College Honors

Departmental Honors in Computer Science

GPA: 3.49