

# Curriculum Vitae

## Brian Moss

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### Profile

Highly skilled technical writer with extensive experience in open source software. Excellent organisational, communication, and leadership skills.

### Education

2012: **Red Hat Certified System Administrator**

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2012: **Technical Communication Certificate Program**

Society for Technical Communication

2006-2010: **DPhil in Classical Languages and Literature**

University of Oxford

2004-2006: **M.A. in Greek and Roman Studies**

University of Victoria

1999-2004: **B.A. (Hons.) in Greek and Latin Language and Literature**

University of Victoria

### Employment History

20 Apr 2015 – 28 Apr 2017: **Information Architect**

Rackspace Hosting Australia Pty Ltd

- Rackspace Private Cloud documentation suite content creation and architecture
- Built internal publishing solution and developed tool chain enhancements
- OpenStack documentation core contributor, tools team lead, release manager
- Create and review upstream content, working regularly with developers in other project teams to ensure accuracy of published material
- Tools bug triage, Python, CSS, HTML, Sphinx development

30 Jan 2012 – 17 Apr 2015: **Content Author II**

Red Hat Asia-Pacific Pty Ltd

- Documentation Team Lead for Red Hat CloudForms; previously member of Red Hat OpenShift documentation team
- Worked closely with the cloud technology engineering teams to produce and maintain high-quality documentation for Red Hat cloud products
- Mastered use of internal documentation toolchain, including Publican, Git version control, PressGang CCMS, and DocBook XML
- Developed excellent knowledge of Red Hat Enterprise Linux, cloud computing solutions, and technical writing standards
- Won Society for Technical Communication Merit Award for *OpenShift Enterprise Administration Guide*

**2011: Policy Officer (Volunteer Position)**

English-Speaking Union Queensland

- Responsible for designing and constructing documents necessary for the running of the English-Speaking Union Queensland, a not-for-profit educational charity
- Recent duties include writing the organisation's Business Plan, producing its Policy and Procedure Manual and creating a variety of forms necessary for the administration of the union's volunteer program

**2008-2010: Greek and Latin Instructor**

Faculty of Classics, University of Oxford

- Taught ancient Greek and Latin at the undergraduate level
- Responsible for designing syllabi, setting homework and tests, and grading

**2005-2006: Rédacteur for L'Année philologique**

Greek and Roman Studies Department, University of Victoria

- Summarized articles written in multiple languages and recorded journal information in the L'Année philologique database using specialised software

**2003-2004: Ancient Greek Website Proof-reader and Developer**

Greek and Roman Studies Department, University of Victoria

- Proof-read ancient Greek for a learning website based on the *Athenaze* beginning Greek textbook
- Designed graphics and edited layout for the website

**Technology Summary**

**Languages:** Python, Bash, reStructuredText, Markdown, AsciiDoc, Docbook XML, CSS, YAML, HTML, jQuery

**Tools:** Git, Gerrit, GitHub, SVN, Trello, Rally, Jira, Bugzilla, Launchpad, TravisCI

**Methodologies:** Agile, Waterfall

**Software:** Microsoft Office Suite, Libre Office Suite, Komodo, Sphinx

**Systems:** Linux, Microsoft Windows, Mac OSX

**Other:** English, French, Latin, Ancient Greek, reading knowledge of German

**Community**

- OpenStack documentation core contributor, tools team lead, release manager
- Organized *Documentation Down Under* miniconf at linux.conf.au 2017
- Brisbane OpenStack meetup organizer
- OpenStack Documentation swarm co-organizer
- Code and documentation available on GitHub under GPLv3 or Apache licenses
- Led "OpenSource in the Cloud" workshops at EXITE camp for girls

References available on request.