Kevin Dodge

Software Engineer with a passion for UX/UI

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EXPERIENCE Software Engineer SLI Systems

Christchurch, NZ 2014-present

- Communicate directly with clients on implementation of site search for e-commerce
- Develop new products using JavaScript and associated frameworks, such as Rich Auto Complete to boost sales and drive site traffic
- Provide critical support to production systems, including realtime server and database operations
- Stack: Linux, Apache, Solr, Java, Perl, PHP, jQuery, in-house language, SVN, Gitlab

Researcher The University of Chicago

Chicago, IL, USA 2013-2014

- Researched and developed rigid body mechanics simulation in C
- Developed graphing and analysis tools for simulation data in Python
- Presented research at the American Physical Society's Department of Fluid Dynamics meeting in November 2014, and at the US National Congress on Theoretical & Applied Mechanics in June 2014

Researcher Cornell University

Ithaca, NY, USA 2012

- Experimental study of high energy-density plasmas
- Designed an experiment to test a leading theory on comet tail disconnection
- Analysed experimental data in Python

Web Developer Freelance

Syracuse, NY, USA 2008-2010

- Designed and implemented several new websites for local businesses
- Set up and taught non-technical staff the use of Joomla! CMS

EDUCATION Cardiff University Cardiff, UK

Computer Science (Study Abroad Programme), 2014

The University of Chicago, IL, USA

Bachelor of Arts in Physics, 2014

Honours Included: Dean's List, 2010-2014

SKILLS Frontend Development HTML5, CSS3 (SASS), JavaScript (jQuery), PHP

Software Engineering Python, C, Java

Systems Administration Linux (Bash, Perl), Apache, Nginx

E-Commerce Magento, Usablenet, Tealium, Google Analytics

Data Analysis SciPy, NumPy, Mathematica

Graphic Design Photoshop