# **Kevin McPhillips**

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Technical

**Ruby** Love it and live it.

**Frameworks** Rails 2 and 3, Sinatra, Padrino **Web** jQuery/Javascript, CSS3

Testing RSpec, JUnit

Database MySQL, SQLite, ActiveRecord, DataMapper Linux enthusiast and full time user. Mac user.

**Languages** Java trained. Some PHP. A dash of Python and shell scripting.

Tools Git, Bash, JSON, XML

Work

### Thorkelson Consulting (CanadaDrugs.com)

May 2009 - Present

Full time Ruby on Rails developer working on enterprise software.

Developing in an agile environment using Scrum and self managing teams.

Emphasis on pair programming.

Working closely with all departments on bug fixing and feature planning.

Testing with RSpec.

#### MTS Communications Inc (MTS TV)

May 2005 - May 2009

Developed J2EE web applications as part of the MTS TV settop box portal.

Worked on the settop Video on Demand application.

Learned Java based web tech such as JSPs/Servlets, WebWork, and Hibernate. Participated in the 24 hour on-call support for all MTS TV servers and applications.

Education

## B. Sc. Computer Science (Co-op Option)

2001-2006

University of Manitoba

#### **Sun Certified Java Programmer**

May 2009

Java 5.0

#### **Projects**

#### Freelance Web Developer

Developing and maintaining websites for fun and for profit including: gracehrabi.com ebritton.com stoneboatpottery.ca kevinmcphillips.ca Currently porting legacy PHP sites to Rails 3.

#### **Ceramicist and Artist Co-op Member**

Dirtying my programmer hands doing wheel thrown pottery.

Vice president of the Clifton Studios Artist Co-Op.

cliftonstudios.ca/artists/kevin\_mcphillips

#### Tinkerer

Maintainer of a Linux server (VPS) and user of Ubuntu Linux and OS X desktops.

Open source enthusiast.

Interested in network security, hacking, and problem solving.

References

Available upon request.