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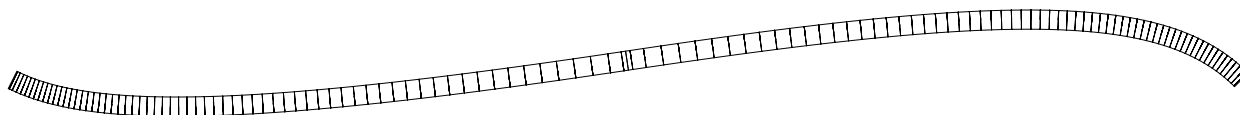
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Objective

To combine Renaissance aesthetics, cosmopolitan ethics, and scientific technique in the critique and construction of physical and conceptual artifacts.



Education

Dec 2020 BSCS University of Missouri - St. Louis (expected)

Employment

1998-2001 Student Programmer, UM - St. Louis Registrar's Office. Perform MARKIV mainframe database queries (MVS/TSO) and reformat data (UNIX) to produce reports (Line-Printer) and address labels using Postscript. One interesting project was producing the data for a student directory with embedded Quark tags. Developed a system for interactive queries and accelerated data entry using WinBatch.

2002-2019 Barista, Starbucks Coffee Co.

Extracurricular

1989- Study the guitar, piano, bass, clarinet, music theory, songwriting. Rock, Folk, Jazz, Ragtime, Blues, Classical, Flamenco. UMSL Jazz Band, Jazz Ensemble, Pep Band, Concert Band.

1998-1999 "Redaktor" of the Pierre Laclède Honors College Student Association's *Brain Stew*. Designed and Edited monthly magazine using Pagemaker and various other tools.

1999-2000 Treasurer of the UMSL ACM Chapter. *Requisitioned "first" computer!*

1998-2003 Intense interest in programming languages and language implementation, graphics and graphics programming.

2007-present Began the xpost project with a goal to implement a clone of Sun Microsystems' NeWS graphical programming interface for UNIX. Participated in internet programming fora: `comp.lang.c`, `comp.lang.postscript`, `stackoverflow.com` under the name *luser droog*, contributing programs, answers and questions.

2014-present Performed in local musicals with Stray Dog Theatre and Ignite Theatre on electric bass, upright bass, and electric guitar.

Portfolio

2008-present xpost: A Level-1 Postscript Interpreter for GNU/Linux/X11 (github.com/luser-dr00g/xpost).

debug.ps: A portable Debugger for PostScript (github.com/luser-dr00g/debug.ps).

pcomb: Parser Combinators in C (github.com/luser-dr00g/pcomb).

