## Mark McEahern

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## **Summary**

- More than 20 years experience in information technology, including software architecture, software development, and project management
- Extensive experience with a variety of software development ecosystems, including Ruby/Rails, Javascript, Java, Microsoft, and Python

## **Professional Experience**

Co-Founder, CTO, Manifestly LLC, Madison, WI. February 2016—present

 Managed complex technology stack for SaaS with 5x MRR growth since 2016, including Ruby on Rails, Slack bot, Native Mobile apps for iOS and Android using Ionic Framework

Partner, Co-Founder, Adorable IO, Madison, WI. January 2014—February 2016

 Built and managed a successful software consulting business with a staff of 15, nearly a dozen subcontractors, and nearly \$2.5M in revenue in 2015

Principal, McEahern Consulting, Madison, WI. December 2012—December 2013

• Provided expert software consulting to several clients

**Senior Director of Software Development**, Chirrpy, San Rafael, CA. *April 2012—December 2012* 

- Designed, developed, and maintained web-based system for managing event ticket sales.
- Integrated multiple payment processors (Authorize.Net, PayPal, Samurai).
- Integrated ticket ordering process into Facebook page.

**Software Architect, Supervisor**, Wisconsin State Laboratory of Hygiene, Madison, WI. *February 2008—April 2012* 

- Designed and implemented a method of extracting charges from heterogeneous systems in order to maintain a single enterprise-wide billing system (Epic's Reference Lab Billing).
- Led team to design and develop system for submitting low-volume reportable conditions electronically, replacing the use of faxes for submitting laboratories.

 Led team to replace IBM WebSphere with open source alternatives (Apache Tomcat, dotCMS), saving organization \$100K in annual licensing fees while at the same time significantly improving functionality for the end users.

**Project Lead**, Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions, Madison, WI. *June 2003—January 2008* 

- Instrumental in leading the organization from 100% manual review of all electronic filings to auto-filing 60% of corporate formation documents.
- Designed and implemented a method of automating the determination of corporate name availability, making Wisconsin one of the few states at the time to provide this service.

**Principal Software Engineer**, Youel Systems, Inc., San Diego, CA and Madison, WI. *June* 2000—April 2003

• Led team to develop content management system for MIPS using Zope's Content Management Framework (CMF).

**Co-Founder, Chief Privacy Officer, Web/Database Development Manager**, Enonymous Corporation, San Diego, CA. *November 1998—May 2000* 

- Helped negotiate \$2.5M in first round financing from Mission Ventures.
- Managed team of web and database developers in the design and development of back-end systems.
- Determined company privacy initiatives, established privacy rating guidelines and managed small team of privacy policy analysts.
- Acted as company spokesperson in various press interviews.

**IS Comprehensive Services Specialist**, Bureau of Enterprise Information Technology, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Madison, WI. *December 1992—November 1998.* 

- Developed and conducted traditional instructor-led courses on a variety of software packages in the Central Office and across the State.
- Selected as Division Employee of the Month in April 1994, Nominated for Division Employee of the Year in 1993 and 1994.

## **Education**

- Master of Arts, Philosophy, University of Wisconsin—Madison. 1991.
- Bachelor of Special Studies, Cornell College. 1990. Phi Beta Kappa, Magna Cum Laude.