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Profile

I'm an easy-going and pragmatic guy who emphasizes simplicity and reliability in both my work and personal lives. I take great pride in the work that I do and strive not only to meet deadlines but also to improve my skills and knowledge.

Education

Massey University, New Zealand

1999 - 2002, 2006

Bachelor of Information Science (joint majors in Computing Science and Information Systems)

Technologies

Proficient

Linux (Ubuntu/Debian, deployment and administration), Windows, Ruby, Ruby on Rails, Apache, MySQL, Javascript (Prototype/Scriptaculous), HTML, CSS, GIT, SVN, Amazon S3 + Cloudfront

Not quite so proficient (or just rusty)

Python (AppEngine), Javascript (jQuery), Adobe Photoshop, PHP (4/5), C/C++

Work Experience

CTO (Ruby/Rails) @ Just Landed, S.L., Spain

July 2007 - July 2010

- Managed a cluster of remote Ubuntu servers and Amazon ECS, S3, and Cloudfront instances
- Monitored and improved scalability and SEO
- Designed and developed the replacement Classifieds/Housing/Jobs application with massive improvements while maintaining the existing application
- Graphical re-design of the site and branding
- Oversaw translating the site into 39 languages
- Technical lead for a team of developers

Senior Web Developer (PHP) @ eTheory Ltd., New Zealand

March 2006 - December 2006

- Designed and developed the powerful MIX Content Management System
- Managed the hosting environment
- Implementation and maintenance of several websites from supplied designs, initially in an older CMS and finally in MIX

Web Developer (PHP) @ Inspired Web Solutions Ltd., New Zealand

March 2003 - March 2006

- Development, deployment, and maintenance of content-driven websites in WebDirector
- Designed and implemented some of the largest Internet commerce sites in New Zealand
- Provided extensive support for a rapidly expanding customer base

Activities

Wrote several mini-games for the OpenPandora console 2009

Extensive travelling around Europe 2007 — 2010

Time Magazine's Person of the Year 2006

Taught Ceroc dancing and placed in several competitions 2003 — 2007

References

Available upon request