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Michael **WebExpert** **Skwarcan**

Education

Purdue University – West Lafayette, IN
B.S. in Computer Graphics Technology (focus in Interactive Media)
Graduate of 2010
- 3.46 GPA
- Web Master of SIGGRAPH
  (Student Interest Group for Graphics)

Lake Land College – Mattoon, IL
Associate Degree in Web Technology
Graduate of 2008
- 3.62 GPA
- Phi Theta Kappa Honors Society
- 2008 Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges

Professional Experience

Web Developer   May 2010- Current
Balcom Agency – Fort Worth, TX
- Worked with Ruby on Rails using the Refinery CMS
- Built and maintained multiple sites using the Drupal CMS
- Worked in a LAMP environment

Web Developer   June 09 - August 09
The RedPost – Goshen, IN
- Coded in Ruby on Rails to build a website for downtown Goshen
- Integrated jQuery and RoR to increase usability
- Worked in a Linux environment using GitHub and VimDiff to collaborate
  with other developers

Web Developer   Jan. 08 - May. 08
Luster Software – Champaign, IL
- Redesigned the site LusterSoftware.com
- Created Time Tracker Web Application in ASP.Net for internal use
- Made changes to a Health Care Site to increase usability

Technical Skills

- Advanced HTML, XHTML, XML, and CSS techniques
- Strong Ability to use Adobe Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Flash, InDesign,
  Illustrator, and AfterEffects
- Coded in Ruby (Rails and Sinatra), Javascript (jQuery), ASP.Net (VB and C#),
  PHP (Standard and CodeIgniter)
- Managed Databases with PhpMyAdmin, SQL Server, and Microsoft
  Access
- Integrated Flash AS 3.0 web application with PHP and XML
- Hosting and maintaining a site
- Created a RSS Feeder with PHP/ASP.Net C# and XML
- Experience working with multiple CMS's(Drupal, Wordpress,
  ExpressionEngine, DotNetNuke, Refinery)
- Worked with both Windows, Macintosh, Linux Operating Systems
- Used jQuery to create a more interactive and user friendly site
- Knowledge of all Microsoft Office programs including Microsoft
  Visio, Microsoft Project, and Microsoft Visual Basic Studios
- Created a Social Network from the ground up in PHP
- Experience building websites with different apperances based on desktop
  or mobile devices
- Experience working with BaseCamp, Campfire, and Backpack