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SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Languages Python, C#, Swift, JavaScript, Ruby, Perl, C, C++, Bash, Fish, PowerShell

Technologies Windows, macOS, GNU/Linux, Vim, Git, Perforce, TeamCity, OctopusDeploy

EXPERIENCE

Susquehanna International Group, LLP

Application Support Software Engineer

Bala Cynwyd, PA

June 2020 – Present

- Developing automated ready-for-business reports and management tools in Python and C# .NET for the Proprietary Trading Services Team, which supports effective stock and derivatives trading.

Test Automation Software Engineer

January 2018 – June 2020

- Developed integration tests in IronPython for an internal trading platform written in C# .NET.
- Investigated test failures to determine root cause and escalate to the developer responsible.
- Responded to build-system, continuous integration, and deployment help requests.
- Led virtual scrum meetings through video and textual chats for a team of twelve.

Test Automation Software Engineering Co-op

March 2016 – September 2016

- Rewrote the team's automated test running infrastructure, increasing maintainability and usability while shedding almost 6000 lines of legacy code and building a scalable system for running tests.

Apple Inc.

Linux and vSphere Systems Architecture Co-op

Cupertino, CA

September 2014 – March 2015

- Supported Apple's world-class Silicon Engineering Group, with upwards of 3000 ECAD designers.
- Created, tested, and documented an upgrade plan from VMware vSphere 5.1 to 5.5.
- Wrote VMware ESXi Kickstart and PXE-Boot scripts, and deployed using existing PXE infrastructure.

Drexel University

Assistant Linux Systems Administrator

Philadelphia, PA

April 2014 – September 2014

- Administered the Department of Computer Science computing resources, serving more than 400 students and over 200 Ubuntu machines, using Nagios, RackTables, and the RT Issue Manager.
- Migrated the Department's internal website from Drupal to WordPress with integrated LDAP login.

EDUCATION

Drexel University, Pennoni Honors College

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

Philadelphia, PA

June 2018

PROJECTS

StreetSavvy

September 2016 – May 2018

- Developed a geographic model of safety and risk in urban environments utilizing open civic data.
- Built server infrastructure to deploy a Python Flask web app and API with MongoDB, SSL/TLS, etc.
- Developed a Swift iOS app to natively display information from the existing web API.
- Led team's daily check-in and weekly review meetings using a modified Agile Scrum process.

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