

## Richard F. Porter

### ADDRESS

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### JOB OBJECTIVE

A challenging software development position solving interesting problems among intelligent, experienced peers.

### SKILLS

Languages	Java, Python, JavaScript, C
Databases	DynamoDB, SQL
Platforms	Linux, Windows, Android

### EDUCATION

Masters of Engineering, Computer Science, December 2011  
University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC

Bachelor of Arts, English Major, Math Minor, May 2007  
Presbyterian College, Clinton, SC

### EXPERIENCE

#### Amazon.com

*Software Development Engineer III*

Oct. 2016 - Present

Flexibly grow AWS GameLift features in response to and anticipating customer requests and simplify the overall architecture, while increasing availability.

*Software Development Engineer II*

Oct. 2014 - Oct. 2016

Iterated from prototype to product for AWS GameLift, scaling both the player and developer facing functionality.

*Software Development Engineer I*

Apr. 2012 - Oct. 2014

Designed and developed the developer facing APIs for Login and Pay with Amazon.

#### CTB/McGraw-Hill

*Android Development Intern*

Jun. 2011 - Jul. 2011

Created an Android tablet application to enable monitoring of test takers by test administrators.

#### Teradata

*Intern*

Mar. 2009 - Nov. 2009

Improved existing JavaScript documentation system by adding search and fixing browser specific issues. Extended the Alfresco Document Management System to add a document conversion action.

### HONORS AND AWARDS

Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America  
Belk Scholarship, Life Scholarship  
Outstanding Service Project of the Year (Dec 2005)

## **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP POSITIONS**

Director of Communications (2006 - 2007), Student Volunteer Services  
Constitution Revision Committee (2006 - 2007), Election Committee (2007)  
Intern, Bluefish Campus Ministry (2006 - 2007)  
Volunteer, Habitat for Humanity, Clinton Child Outreach Program and CHAMPS (2006 - 2007)  
Contributor, Blue Stocking newspaper (2006)  
Senator representing Sigma Tau Delta, Student Government (2005 - 2007)  
Member, Sigma Tau Delta, English Honor Society (2005 - 2007)  
Founder, Presbyterian College Movie Television (2005 - 2007)  
Historian (2004 - 2005), Finance Committee Founder / Member (2005 - 2007), Webmaster (2005 - 2006), Philanthropy Chair (2007), Theta Chi Fraternity