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Skill Summary

Experience in major web related programming languages and database driven applications. Background in MVC frameworks, object-oriented development and functional programming. Proficient with user experience and interactive design. Developed and maintained multiple client websites and web apps. Led teams of engineers to accomplish a variety of projects.

Experience

Web Development Engineer II
Amazon Web Services, Seattle, WA   *(9/2015 - present)*
- Led a redesign project that brought modern UI practices to our product.
- Built our team's continuous delivery infrastructure to allow for rapid development and release.
- Held technical interviews for over 50 engineering candidates.

Lead Developer/ Co-Owner
EdSolio, Sioux Falls, SD   *(8/2010 - present)*
- Developed a custom, user-friendly CMS
- Collaboratively built architecture & design of product
- Used HMVC & OOP principles throughout application (Kohana)

Programming Analyst
Good Samaritan Society, Sioux Falls, SD   *(2/2015 - 9/2015)*
- Upgraded web app from Yii to Yii2.
- Developed unit testing suite for web application.

Senior Developer
Prairie Oak Partners, Sioux Falls, SD   *(7/2013 - 2/2015)*
- Designed and architected a business web application
- Created development cycle workflow

Developer & Tech Analyst
GunUp, Sioux Falls, SD   *(7/2012 - 10/2014)*
- Utilized agile software development strategy
- Implemented web server stack
- Handled UX elements to suit business needs

Web Developer @ Marketing
44 Interactive, Sioux Falls, SD   *(11/2011 - 7/2012)*
- Engineered solutions for web marketing UX needs
- Maintained company's marketing websites
- Constructed a variety of web applications built with Kohana and CodeIgniter

Web Developer @ Marketing
Glynlyon Inc., *Rock Rapids, IA*   *(2/2011 - 11/2011)*
- ○ Utilized AB testing to determine user goals
- ○ Provided database analysis for email marketing campaigns

Internet Support Technician (Developer)
Lawrence and Schiller, *Sioux Falls, SD*   *(12/2008 - 2/2011)*
- ○ Constructed numerous websites for a variety of clients
- ○ Analyzed and solved many client website problems
- ○ Evaluated and provided custom programming solutions to meet client needs

Web Developer
University of Sioux Falls, *Sioux Falls, SD*   *(5/2006 - 12/2008)*
- ○ Managed University's web pages to fit user needs
- ○ Trained Faculty and Staff in use of our CMS (Joomla)

Systems Proficiency

Languages
JavaScript (Angular, React, jQuery), HTML, XML, CSS (Sass, Less),
PHP (Yii2, Kohana), C#, Java, Python, MySQL, MS SQL

Operating Systems
Linux (Apache), Windows, Mac OS XS

3rd Party Integration
Google, Twitter, Facebook, SendGrid, Twilio, Phaxio

Other Expertise
Agile Software Development, Responsive Web Design, Unit Testing, GIT, REST

Education
Studied Computer Science & Mathematics
University of Sioux Falls, *Sioux Falls*   *(9/2006 - 12/2008)*