Peter Keane

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Education

The University of Texas at Austin, Master of Library and Information Science, August 1995.

Harvard University, A.B. English and American Literature, June 1986.

Professional Experience

The University of Texas at Austin (March 1995 - present)

Senior Software Developer/Analyst, Liberal Arts Instructional Technology Services May 2004 - present Tech Lead/Project Manager for Digital Archive Services project:

- Designed and implemented *DASe* web application, an online digital collection tool used by instructors across the UT Campus for organizing, cataloging, presenting and sharing images, sound files, video, documents, and bibliographic references.
 - Technologies: PHP, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Javascript/AJAX, Perl
- Worked with Faculty members, researchers, and librarians to develop new archives within DASe, leveraging the flexible DASe data model to handle diverse metadata schemes and exposing search, read, and update functionality both within web application and by way of web service interfaces. Created new DASe archives based on data originating in existing physical slide collections, FileMaker databases, OAI-PMH repositories, public domain websites.
- currently rewriting *DASe* tool in preparation for Open Source release (http://code.google.com/p/dase/).

Technologies: PHP5, MySQL, Javascript/AJAX, Perl, Ant

Information Analyst/Programmer, The General Libraries November 2001 - May 2004.

- As part of the General Libraries Metadata Task Force, drew up specifications for and wrote Metadata Registry (digital asset repository) web application for the General Libraries.
 - Technologies: Java/Tomcat, Struts Framework, Apache OJB ORM, MySQL
- Designed and wrote PHP/MySQL applications for library, including knowledge bank and service desk scheduler.
 Technologies: PHP, MySQL, LDAP, SMTP
- Served as a member of the Undergraduate Library's reference department

Professional Librarian, The General Libraries December 1995 - March 1997.

- Developed processes and procedures for the acquisition of networked electronic resources. Worked with faculty and staff members on issues related to access and use of new electronic resources.
- Provided reference desk coverage in the Perry-Castaneda Library.
- Served as interim History Bibliographer.

Harvard University (July 1986 - July 1994)

Reference Assistant, Hilles Library September 1988 - July 1994.

- Worked as a member of the reference department at Hilles Undergraduate Library.
 - Duties included the design and management of barcoding project for undergraduate libraries.

Technology Skills:

- PHP, Python, Perl, Javascript, Bash, Java, XSLT, CSS, HTML
- PostgreSQL, MySQL
- XML processing (parsing, validating, object-to-XML serialization)
- Data Harvesting and Processing
- Source Code management (Subversion, CVS)
- Build and Integration Tools (Make, Ant, Hudson)
- RSS, Atom, MARC, MARCXML, MODS, METS, FRBR, OAI-PMH

- Linux System Administration
- Solaris, Mac OS X
- LDAP, Samba, NFS, HTTP, SMTP, rsync, SSH
- \bullet Image processing (ImageMagick, GIMP) and embedded metadata formats IPTC/EXIF

Conference Attended

- OSCON 2005
- ApacheCon 2006
- Open Repositories Conference 2007
- EduCause Southwest Regional 2007 (presented talk on DASe)
- Texas Conference on Digital Libraries 2007 (presented talk on DASe)

Other

• Professional Folk Musician (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peter_Keane)

references provided upon request July 2007