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EDUCATION

Illinois Institute of Technology:

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

August 2003 - December 2007

Bachelor of Science in Physics

August 2003 - December 2007

WORK EXPERIENCE

Web Developer at Webitects, Inc.

February 2008 - Present

- Lead developer for community collaborg social networking portal with 500+ users.
- Lead developer of webitects.com, which was built in 3 weeks.
- Maintained Subversion and Git code repositories.
- Created a dynamic, virtualized staging environment built on VirtualBox.

Fermilab Computing Division (Internship)

May 2006 - August 2007, May 2007 - August 2007

- Created TablePlotter web interface to generate statistics plots of database data using Tomcat JSP implementation.
- Implemented client user interface using Google Web Toolkit.

Argonne National Laboratory (Intersnhip)

August 2005 - May 2006

- Researched on applicability of aspect-riented design practices to MySQL database patching.
- Evaluated Frontier Distributed Database project usage in the ATLAS experience at CERN.

SIDE PROJECTS

Opendata (http://opendata.heroku.com)

October 2009 - Present

- Developing a system to import and store public data with a JSON API.
- Developing applications to provide visualization of the stored data.
- Currently maintaining 15 years of donation data for Illinois elections.

Potholes (http://pothole.heroku.com)

October 2009 - Present

- Imports pothole information uploaded by users via twitpic service.
- Allows interested parties to verify and report potholes via official channels.

SKILLS

Web development:

- 15 months of Ruby on Rails work experience with 3 patch contributions (http://bit.ly/h7lRx)
- 2 years of javascript experience, including jQuery and unobtrusive javascript techniques and prototypal inheritance.
- 4 years of java experience including Apache Tomcat and Google Web Toolkit technologies.
- Fluent in (X)HTML and CSS

Testing:

- Highly proficient with ruby unit testing (should and rspec)
- Highly proficient with javascript unit testing (QUnit and Screw-Unit)
- Highly proficient with blackbox acceptance testing using cucumber + selenium.

Other:

- Proficient using Git and Subversion.
- Used Sphinx to provide full text searching.
- Long time Linux developer (Ubuntu, Archlinux, Redhat).
- 7 years of C++ experience.