Rodney D. Morris

Professional Summary

Mr. Morris has 12+ years of experience as a Software Developer / Engineer and 3+ years of Project Management / Lead experience working in cleared and un-cleared environments. He has obtained a Master of Science in Systems Engineering and a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science from reputable institutions. Mr. Morris possesses extensive hands-on experience with the latest innovative frameworks and technologies including but not limited to Agile Scrum, MS Project, CloudForge, VMware, Windows & Linux servers, Enterprise Architect, MS Visio, BPMN, Spring, Oracle, JPA, J2EE, REST, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, Maven, and JIRA. Mr. Morris has excellent written and verbal communication skills and has the interpersonal skills to lead and/or work well within a team to meet or exceed customer expectations and accomplish goals.

Mr. Morris Career Highlights:

- Team Lead on the AFA, LOGCOP, and Graham Tech IR&D Development projects for Leidos and Graham Technologies, where his teams successfully met project milestones
- Positively recognized with Employee of the Quarter, outstanding support, and Above and Beyond awards from Leidos, the Defense Contract Management Agency customer, and Accenture Technology Solutions respectively
- Obtained a Master of Science from George Washington University while working 40+ hours p/ week with Leidos.
- Certified Scrum Master, April 2014
- CMMI-DEV v1.3 (with CMMI-SVC supplement) and SCAMPI Appraisal Team Member, March 2014
- Sun Certified Associate for the Java Platform, November 2006
- Cleared up to TS/SCI w/ CI Polygraph

Professional Experience

Graham Technologies, LLC   September 2013 to Present
Solutions Architect - Team Lead   Largo, MD

Mr. Morris is responsible for providing direct customer support to address various software and hardware security challenges at the technical direction of the government customer. Mr. Morris provided support to an existing multi-disciplinary team incrementally developing and deploying solutions to challenging geo-location problems. Mr. Morris assists with prototype development that requires applying expertise in: requirements solicitation & management, system/software configuration & change management, system/software virtualization, enterprise software development, data integration and visualization.

In his current role with Graham Technologies, Mr. Morris is the Project Manager for an Agile SCRUM Internal Research & Development (IR&D) mobile application initiative and is responsible for managing several business development contract vehicles where his responsibilities include applying expertise with proposal evaluations, management and execution. In addition, Mr. Morris was a key member of the CMMI appraisal team which was responsible for assessing and evaluating Graham Technology's organizational and project standards, processes & procedures at Level II for Development with Services Supplement efficiency; and leads the effort to developed and organize the Graham Technologies Level III asset library in preparation for project use and future development appraisal proficiency.

Relevant Skills/Technologies:

- Lead of 1-2 employees on a Graham Technologies IR&D Agile SCRUM Development initiative.
- Proposal Manager for the Graham Technologies STARS II and GSA IT 70 contract vehicles.
- Appraisal Team Member Associate in a 3rd party Graham Technologies CMMI Level II (DEV w/ SVC supplement) appraisal.

- Construct new, modify and organize Graham Tech. asset library artifacts in preparation for the Level III DEV CMMI appraisal.
- Met with the government customer and end users to solicit, refine and track requirements; and conduct demonstration progress reviews.
- Tracked project status using MS Project and CloudForge.
- Develop and administer using Java J2EE, RichFaces, Spring MVC Framework, REST Web Services, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, AJAX, SQL, JPA, MySQL DBA, FireEye MAS, VMware vSphere, Oracle VirtualBox Administration, Python, VM Auditing, Maven, Git, PHP/Apache2/MySQL/FTPd (LAMPP), Python, Android, WordPress CMS.
- Model using UML, MS Visio and Balsamiq.
- Test using Maven Surefire and JUnit Categories, Firebug Plug-in.
- Configuration management using Git, Dropbox, customized Wiki.

Leidos   September 2007 to September 2013
Software Developer - Team Lead   Chantilly, VA

Mr. Morris developed software applications and managed software development projects using industry standard and repeatable processes for Service Oriented Architecture methodologies for both classified and non-classified work. Projects included the Allied Federated Access (AFA), National Measurement and Signature Intelligence Requirements System (NMRS), Transitional ONIR Requirements System (TORS), Ground Architecture and Web Services (GAWS) (IR&D), Analytic Tools Service, and Logistics Common Operating Picture (LOGCOP).

Relevant Skills/Technologies:
- Lead of 2-6 employees on AFA and LOGCOP projects.
- Conduct meetings w/ senior leadership and the customer to discuss his Infrastructure area of responsibility.
- Developed and administered using Java J2EE, Java Servlet, JSP, JavaScript, AJAX, EJB, SOAP Web Services, C#, PHP, SoftwareAG (SAG) Flow, HTML, XSL, XQuery, SQL, Oracle DDL scripts, VMware vSphere, Layer7 SecureSpan Gateway policies, F5 policies, McAfee Security policies, Nagios, JasperReports.
- Modeled using UML, SAG Business Process Modeling Notation (BPMN), Enterprise Architect OMG UML, WSDL/XSD.
- Tested using JUnit, soapUI, loadUI, jMeter, FireBug.
- Performed configuration management using Rational Clear Case / Clear Quest / DOORS, JIRA, SVN, SharePoint.
- Led product and documentation reviews.
- Contributed to proposal construction and review efforts.

New Vision Engineering Group, Inc.   September 2005 to September 2007
Programmer Analyst   Falls Church, VA

Mr. Morris developed prototype and production applications for the Defense Contract Management Agency's Business Information Center. He created desktop and web applications such as the Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act application, Metrics Management web site, and Metrics Manager Database Input Tool application.

Relevant Skills/Technologies:
- Performed requirements solicitation, analysis and tracking for custom agency applications.
- Developed and administered using Java J2EE, Java Servlet, JSP, JavaScript, Visual Basic, HTML, SQL, MySQL schema scripts, MS Access.
- Tested using JUnit, soapUI, loadUI, jMeter.
- Performed hands-on training for the custom applications and COTS products.

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Accenture Technology Solutions   December 2003 to September 2005
Computer Programmer   Reston, VA
Mr. Morris supported the Report & Test Teams for the U.S. Department of Education's Office of Federal Student Aid Program - Common Origination & Disbursement enterprise web application.

Relevant Skills/Technologies:
- Official project mentor for new ATS project staff.
- Develop, automate and executed Perl scripts to ensure conformance to requirements.
- Submitted and maintained problem tracking discrepancy reports.
- Develop, monitor and manage business analytic reports using Cognos Architect Model, Impromptu and Metric Manager.
- Assist with designing and implementing the synchronization of Cognos DB2 and MS Access tables.
- Coordinate and facilitate meetings to for DB2 table synchronization.
- Support Test Team during Cognos Architect Model testing.
- Research and resolve outstanding Cognos Architect related issues.

Clearance Information – DoD TS granted on 2014-04-08, CI Poly 2013-07-08, U.S. Citizen

Certifications / Training
- Certified Scrum Master 04/29/14 member #: 000326370
- CMMI-DEV v1.3 (with CMMI-SVC supplement) and SCAMPI Appraisal Team Member: SAS #: 21980
- Sun Certified Associate for the Java Platform, Standard Edition, Sun Education Services, Cert #: 11/05 SW409182, 2006

Education
- M.S., Systems Engineering, The George Washington University, Washington, DC, 2011
- B.S., Computer Science, Minor in Mathematics, Coppin State University, Baltimore, MD 2003

Professional Recognition
- LEIDOS: Advanced Technology Division's 2011 Quarter 1 Employee of the Quarter.
- NVEG: 2007 DCMA Letter of Recognition (LOR) for outstanding support to Field Offices. The LOR praised my hands-on training, professionalism, and customer assistance.
- ATS: 2005 Above and Beyond award for production issue resolution. The award praised my willingness to go the extra mile to debug and resolve a complex production issue that challenged the senior staff and was thought to be outside my area of expertise.

References Available upon request