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## Personal Profile

An articulate and self-confident IT professional specialising in quality driven software design and development. Goal orientated, with a track record of leading, influencing and motivating others in order to achieve objectives. Has extensive experience of interacting with key stakeholders in order to establish requirements and delivering to customer satisfaction.

## Skills & Expertise

Web Development: ASP.NET Forms, MVC, HTML, JavaScript, JQuery, AJAX, CSS, WCF, Amazon Web Services

Desktop development: Windows Forms, ADO.NET, Window Services

Languages: C#, PL-SQL, T-SQL, SQL/PSM

Databases: SQL Server 2000 – 2008 R2, Oracle 10g, MySql 5.6

Tools: Visual Studio 2005-2013, Team Foundation Server, SVN, NUnit, MsTests, TeamCity, MOQ, Fluent NHibernate, Entity Framework, ReSharper, MSBuild, Unity, Castle Windsor, Mercurial (hosted by Bit bucket), Toad

Processes: KanBan, Scrum, DDD, TDD, XP

## Key Achievements

* Design and introduced Kanban delivery process to improve communication, visibility and ownership of work for [www.benpal.com](http://www.benpal.com).
* Presented a talk on Specification by Example with SpecFlow for the London ALM group
* Designed, implemented and delivered custom content management system for [www.fishermansfriend.com](http://www.fishermansfriend.com).
* Pioneered Software In Partnership’s move into web development by creating a content management system.

## Employment History

## Hitachi Consulting UK, London April 2012 - Current

## Senior Consultant

## Senior consultant working in the Microsoft Practice delivery custom .NET solutions using agile processes

## Jardine Lloyd Thompson (www.benpal.com) August 2012- Current

## Team Lead

* Development and maintenance of MVC Web application with a SQL server backend and WCF services.
* Developed and implemented KanBan process for managing client expectations and improving collaboration between onshore and offshore team members and with client’s team.
* Implemented and fixed stored procedures in Sql Server 2008. Optimised database queries using the Execution Plan and Profiler Tools.
* Implemented the Repository pattern and query strategies. Optimised NHibernate queries by modifying mappings and NHibernate QueryOver statements.
* Implemented busines rules and process flows using Domain Driven Design and good Object Orientated design principles.
* Implemented User Interfaces in ASP.NET MVC and JavaScript with some JQuery.
* Mentored, code reviewed and managed junior team members.
* Pair programmed with colleagues and refactored code to meet best practices and patterns. Further improved code quality through TDD using MSTests and MOQ.
* Delivered key user stories and elaboration documents by working closely with product owners and team members. Worked closely with designers to deliver web pages that met designs.
* Created and managed work items through Mantis, TFS and Trello. Setup TFS builds.
* Collaborated with onshore/offshore teams to resolve defects and enhance quality of new features.

## PPG Industries April 2012 – August 2012

## Senior Developer

* Designed and developed Windows Forms application using WCF and calling a database stored procedure API. Key architecture utilised MVP, factory and command patterns.
* Converted key user interface and business logic components of the VB6 application into C#.
* Created Reusable controls and established best patterns and practices to reduce offshore delivery time.
* Created a specific VB6 to C# converter to increase process efficiency and effectiveness.
* Setup TFS Project, customised build scripts and added code quality policies.
* Closely collaborated with onshore and offshore teams to evolve proof of concept into production system.

## Avanade UK April 2010 – April 2012

**Senior Consultant**

Senior Consultant working in the custom development practice.

## UBS April 2010 – April 2012

**Lead / Senior Developer**

* Introduced technologies such as NUnit, RhinoMock, MOQ and JQuery and software patterns such as MVC, MVP, factory and strategy to the team.
* Designed and implemented ASP.NET intranet applications with an Oracle backend
* Optimised stored procedures and functions using indexes, toad explain plan and oracle specific functionality.
* Designed and implemented reports using ASP.NET Report viewer component and automated jobs using Windows Services.
* Defect investigation and implementation of corrective actions to satisfaction of the client.
* Drove quality improvements of code and processes by using test driven development, software development patterns, development and execution of integration tests, and use of Team City.
* Team lead given the responsibility of managing a small team to deliver a web application.

## Software In Partnership Limited July 2006 – April 2010

**Developer**

## Fisherman’s Friend June 2009 – April 2010

Lead Developer

* Developed a data driven web content management system written in ASP.NET, AJAX, C# and MS SQL Server Express.

## CMGL June 2009 – April 2010

* Development and maintenance of Windows Form application for run off syndicates
* Designed an object oriented n-tiered distributed server monitoring system that used XML configuration files derived from data in a MS SQL Server 2005 database.
* Oversaw development of database driven company websites that were written in ASP.NET.

## Cutting Edge Software Limited June 2005 – June 2006

Database Assistant

* Developed FileMaker 6/7 applications.
* Developed and maintained company website using PHP and Dreamweaver MX.

## Education

Postgraduate Certificate in Technology Management | Open University, London 2012

Bachelor of Science (Honours) Software Engineering (First Class) | City University, London 2008  
‘A’ Levels - Mathematics (A), Chemistry (C), Physics (C)

## Certifications

Programming in HTML5 with JavaScript and CSS3

Microsoft .NET Framework 4.0- WCF Development

Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5-WCF Application Development

Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5-ASP.NET Application Development  
Microsoft Certified Professional Developer .NET Framework 2.0-Windows Developer

Full UK driving licence  
References available on request