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| **OBJECTIVE**  Seeking a fulfilling IT position that utilizes my broad range of IT, management and superior people skills.  **EDUCATION**  **Business Administration, Bachelor of Science** August 1976 – June 1980  **Alfred University**, Alfred, NY  Studies focused in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing.  **EXPERIENCE**  **Network Support/Programmer Analyst**  November 2006 – Present  **Document Fulfillment Services**, West Sacramento, CA  Performed network support functions for 20 users Designed programs to manipulate format & output customer data for statements, invoices and other financial documents.  **Manager – Information Technologies** September 2005 – November 2006  **Arcadia Biosciences, Inc.**, Atlanta, Davis, CA  Reported to the CFO. Managed 1 FTE and several outsourced support technicians in all aspects of computer-related hardware and software support for 70+ users across 4 geographic locations. Responsible for annual operating and capital budgeting.  **Independent Consultant/Contractor** 2004 – 2004  Davis, CA  Worked on team to develop next-gen prototype for IBM Intranet web portal, integrating several legacy sales/forecasting tools into a single application. Created Java-based portlets and Java Server Pages (JSPs) to build a unified user experience. Used WebSphere Content Manager suite to implement a document catalog, for storing and tagging thousands of user-generated reports. Used IBM Internal site standards for interface coding. Extensive use of Java, AJAX/JavaScript, SQL, and Unix shell scripting required. Assisted with proof-of-concept reviews and stress testing.  **Manager – Information Technologies** 1995 – 2002  **Calgene, LLC – a Monsanto Company**, Davis, CA  Reported to the Division President. Managed 7 FTE’s in all aspects of computer-related hardware and software support for 400+ users across 5 geographic locations. Responsible for annual operating budget of $2M+ as well as a $200K capital budget.  **Systems Administrator, I/T Specialist** January 2000 – March 2002  **Company Name**, Atlanta, Georgia  Performed software and server support for an IBM Internal web site for the North and South Americas geographies. Assisted with critical system outages, software upgrades, and capacity planning. Coordinated with business executives, software experts, help desks, and data source teams in a 24x6 availability environment. Support tasks involved work with AIX RS/6000 servers, DB2 databases, WebSphere products, and Brio Enterprise reporting tools.  **Application Integrator, Summer Intern** Summer 1997 – Summer 1999  **Company Name**, Atlanta, Georgia  Created and maintained site pages for IBM Southeast Human Resources recruiting team, using HTML and web graphics. Developed animated presentations for use at college recruiting fairs. Automated SQL reporting for employee productivity metrics and billing rate optimization.  **ACTIVITIES & AWARDS**  Volunteer, Time To Read with Atlanta Public Schools, 2007  Member, National Association for Multi-ethnicity in Communications, 2007  Mentor, Adopt-a-Student with Atlanta Public Schools, 2004 – 2005  Volunteer, INROADS/Atlanta, 2001 – 2005  Employee Bravo Award 2006  Thanks Awards 2004 – 2006 | | **Skills** |