Resume tips that got me shortlisted for an Interview with Amazon/Google in less than 2 hours





### Tip #1 - Resume Name

Provide a valid resume name for your file e.g. Dinesh\_Varyani\_Resume.pdf
Avoid names such as
MyResume.pdf, Resume.docx,
DineshVaryani.docx, etc













### Tip #2 - Resume Color

Keep resume in multi-color format. Using single color will make important parts of your resume look the same.
e.g. links/email become hard to recognize from normal text.

### Tip #2 - Resume Color

### AVERY DAVIS

Digital Designer

### CONTACT 123-456-7890

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### EDUCATION

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION
University
2017-2020

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

High School 2010 - 2016

### SKILLS

Content Writing Web Design Illustration Graphic Design

### REFERENCES

Provided upon request.

### SUMMARY

A passionate digital designer with over 10 years experience in online content, design and development. Known for my hardworking ethic and exceptional people skills.

### WORK EXPERIENCE

WEB DESIGNER
Really Great Company

2020 - Present

- · Website design and development
- Delivered 20 websites from concept to completion
- · Developed visual style guide

### WEB DEVELOPER

Really Great Company

2014 - 2016

- Database administration and IT management
- Website back ups and server migration
- Front end and back end development

### CONTENT MANAGER

Really Great Company

2010 - 2016

- Content writing and editing
- Developed and maintained editorial content plan
- · Created and trained staff on editorial style guide



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### SKILLS

- Graphic Design
- Visual Design
- Branding Design
- Packaging Design
   Book Cover Design
- Motion Graphics

### TOOLS

Design Tool 1	
	80%
Design Tool 2	
	75%
Design Tool 3	
	80%
<ul> <li>Typography</li> </ul>	
	85%
<ul> <li>Print Design</li> </ul>	

### **Adeline Palmerston**

### GRAPHIC DESIGNER

### PERSONAL INFO

I am a passionate Graphic & Branding Designer having expertise of 5+ years. I work closely with my clients in developing strong brand identities that define and exhibit values, and also professional visual entities to define your tone. I am a strong team player and a social butterfly.

### **EDUCATION**

Advance Diploma in Graphic Design
University name

2015-2017

Bachelors of Design in Graphic Design University name

### 2012-20

### EXPERIENCE

Social Media Manager
Studio Shodwe

2020-Present

- Led a team of 3 designers to develop digital media resources.
- Led an Ad campaign for 4 brands over a 6 month period in driving result-oriented growth.
- Developed 200+ digital and print graphics.

Graphic Designer

2017-2021

Liceria & Co.

Developed Branding and Packaging designs for 4

new brands.

- Designed over 300 social media content.
- Derived visual quality identity and guidelines for brands.
   Other digital and print designs.
- Other digital and print designs.

### REFERENCE

 Kyrie Petrakis - VP, Liceria & Co. hello@reallygreatsite.com

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### Tip #3 - One Page Myth

Keeping a One-page resume so that it's easy for the recruiter to go through it in 5-10 secs is not always correct. If you have done great things/amazing projects in your professional career you can showcase it in a 2-3 page resume.

### Tip #4 - Technical Skills

Showcase your skills/technologies in one place rather than scattered with every project you have worked on.





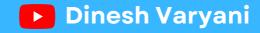
### Tip #5 - Good Header

The resume header is the first thing the recruiter/manager will check out. Provide a good introductory summary covering your passion and ambitions at the top

### **SUMMARY**

Dynamic and creative software developer with over 11 years of experience in software development. With proven leadership and development skills, have delivered complex systems to clients. In the overall experience, have been consistently rewarded in delivering technology-based solutions. Would like to give my best to my organization and be an important asset in an environment that provides me immense opportunities to learn, grow and enhance my skills and knowledge to the fullest.





### Tip #6 - Priority Sections First

Keep the most important things in the resume first, like the introduction summary, technical skills, projects, achievements, certifications, education, etc.

These top sections will be the first thing recruiters will check out.

Things like hobbies, references, and contact info can come at the end





### Tip #7 - Resume Work Impact

Provide project impact via numbers and percentages rather than normal description.

Avoid - Implemented the project with XYZ feature that helped in the productivity of the users.

Focus - Implemented the project with XYZ feature that increased the productivity of the users by 30%.

### Tip #7 - Resume Work Impact

Focus - Implemented XYZ
feature that reduced the manual
time from 3 weeks to 10 mins.
Focus - Reduced the client
onboarding duration from 1
month to 1 week etc.

## Tip #7 - Resume Work Impact

Thus, projects outcome in numbers and percentages shows how much impact your deliverables have done in Company's growth.

- Designed the project which included the critical process of onboarding a Highend client. It spaned a complex workflow of
  gathering information of client's source of wealth. The system eased the process and has reduced client onboarding from 120+
  days to less than 30 days.
- Responsible for requirement gathering from the legacy system and challenging businesses to adapt certain requirements to the new system.
- Responsible for overcoming issues of the legacy system. It was slow and provided locks while capturing the SOW of any partner.
   The new system was designed and implemented to overcome slowness and performance issues.
- The project reduced the timeframe of maker/checker communication to 60% and thus, increased the productivity of RMs and middle office teams by 50%.
- Led the end-to-end product development, deployment, monitoring, onboarding of Banking partners, and ensuring the quality of service of the product.



### Tip #8 - Outside Work Contribution

Day-to-day work is ok and being done by everyone. But, an actual resume looks good when you showcase contributions outside work in a Company. Always highlight the things you do apart from normal work like - Training, **Events, Hackathons, Team** bonding activities KT, Sessions, etc

### Tip #9 - Innovation & Creativity

Big Tech Giants will always look for innovative and creative work you have done in your career. Thus, showcasing the innovative things you have done throughout your career like working on cool personal projects, YouTube, Blogging, Instructor, Tools, **Building Apps, Coding Platforms** Rank etc

### Tip #9 - Innovation & Creativity

### **TECHNICAL ABILITIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS**

- Creator and owner of http://www.hubberspot.com/ a site containing blogs for Java learners and enthusiasts. It's thrice referred by the Spring Source Community for Spring Tutorials.
- · Creator and owner of Youtube channel for technical videos by name "Dinesh Varyani".
- Instructor on Udemy as <u>Dinesh Varyani</u> with courses on Data Structures and Algorithms, JUnit 5 and Mockito 3.
- Created a tool named "Crud Builder" for Credit Suisse. The tool took DB tables metadata and generated code from Controller, Service, Repositories to Entities. The tool reduced the development time of developers by autogenerating code across all the multi-tier applications.
- Created a tool for QA's and Developers in Mastercard to directly configure Swagger within Postman to ease testing and debugging across various environments.
- Created a tool named "Log Extractor" for Mastercard. The tool presented UI to the developer and extracted the logs with one click from the configured environment.
- Created a tool named "Report Configuration Console" for ADP. The tool presented UI to the developer to configure reports related
  to the ADP Tax Credits Product. The tool configured reports in the database and also generated SQL for it. Thus, it saved a lot of
  development time for the team. It also had features to export SQL for all the reports in one go.
- Created a tool named "Product GUI Translation Tool" for Amdocs. This tool translated the GUI of Amdocs Product to various
  international languages. Initially, it was a manual process that took months to complete. This tool made it automatic and reduced
  overall development time to 20%.
- Working as a Java Trainer in Accenture and providing training to new joiners in technologies such as Java, Hibernate, JPA, and Spring Core.



### Tip #10 - Technical Landmarks

Adding your exceptional professional achievements or landmarks will make you standout among others. Thus, showcasing your achievements, certifications, awards, and recognitions is a must.

### Tip #10 - Technical Landmarks

### ACHIEVMENTS AND RECOGNITIONS

- Received STAR Team Award (Credit Suisse) in recognition of exceptional contribution to SOW Delivery.
- Received **STAR India IT Performance Award (Credit Suisse)** in recognition of outstanding performance, accomplishment, and lasting commitments to the organization.
- · Received Spot Award (Altimetrik/Mastercard) in recognition of outstanding performance and splendid efforts at work.
- Received Accenture Celebrates Excellence Award Pathfinder for contribution to Innovative Excellence, effective project
  delivery by using new and innovative methods, reusing existing best practices and work methodologies to work more efficiently
- Received Accenture Celebrates Excellence Award Numero Uno for contribution to Delivery Excellence in the individual
  category, demonstrating a key sense of accountability and ownership for the processes that impact the quality, delivery timelines,
  and service level metrics.
- Received Zenith Propel Award for demonstrating the quality of work in the Accenture Financial Services domain and having a significant impact on Accenture Success.
- · Received prestigious awards through Accenture Recognize Performace Program.
- · Received consistently Top ratings across different organizations for outstanding performance.

### **CERTIFICATES**

- · Java Standard Edition 6 Programmer Certified Professional.
- · System Design certification from Educative.
- · Object Oriented Design certification from Educative.
- · Data Structures and Algorithms certification from Algoexpert.
- Software Olympiad 2015.
- · Won Altimetrik Cricket Tournament.
- · Quiz competition winner.



### Tip #11 - Resume Template

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E.g -





**♥** New York, NY

in www.linkedin.com/lee

### Lee Sparks

Corporate Communications Head

### **SUMMARY**

15+ years experienced senior corporate communications & marketing professional proficient in formulating and executing brand-building strategies to increase social media reach. Skilled at orchestrating marketing initiatives, managing public relations, conducting consumer behavior analysis & spearheading high-performing teams as part of promoting products and services. Adept at streamlining corporate communication processes and conceptualizing product campaigns to elevate revenue & drive visibility.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Corporate Communications Head**

Jun '14 - Present

Positronix LLC

New York, NY

An end-to-end solutions provider, with an employee base of 5k+ professionals globally

### **Leadership & Communications Strategy**

- · Managing a team of 20 professionals across diverse functions to drive smooth operations & bolster brand visibility
- · Streamlining corporate communication processes to ensure timely delivery of critical projects for 50+ clients
- · Driving communication on various social media channels by formulating a data-driven corporate communication strategy

### **Public Relations & Branding**

- · Overseeing conceptualization of 20 campaigns spanning brand building and new product releases
- · Conducting extensive market research to gain insights into consumer behavior for building a robust brand image

### Sr. Communications Manager | Jun '14 - Jun '16

### **Media Relations Manager**

Jan '06 - May '14

Lucky Acoustics Pvt. Ltd.

New York, NY

An end-to-end solutions provider, they take clients through the entire cycle of project implementation for OLTP Solutions etc.

### Media & PR Strategy

- · Improved brand visibility and indirectly impacted business revenue by creating and implementing innovative programs
- · Fostered robust business relationships with 15 media personnel including journalists and editorial teams
- Oversaw media coverage & performed competitor analysis while carefully monitoring consumer behavior to drive KPIs by 29%
- · Acted as the single point of contact for internal business teams to gauge critical insights around media requirements
- Maintained MIS and media database while reporting to the Marketing Head on media deliverables

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- PG Diploma Marketing & Communication | Harvard University | Hingham, US | Mar '09 Mar '11
- Bachelors of Arts | Harvard University | Hingham, US | Feb '06 Feb '09

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION [Click on 'Add Section' above to add/customize more sections!]

Languages: English, Spanish & Hebrew

### **KEY SKILLS**

Communications & Media Strategy

Corporate Communications Management

Marketing & Branding Vision

Public/Media Relations Management

Consumer Behavior Analysis

Market Research

Competitor Analysis

Social Media Management

Team Management & Organizational Leadership

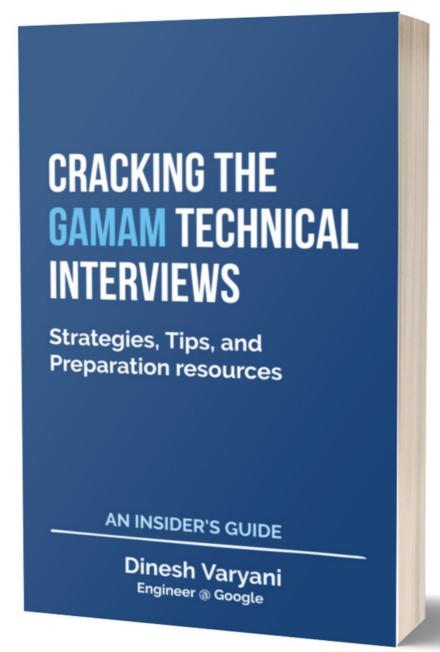
### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

• NinjaOutreach • HubSpot • Prowly • Muck Rack





### Cracking the GAMAM Technical Interviews



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