**Darren A. Anastasoff**

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**PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

* More than 15 years’ experience developing and implementing enterprise solutions within the insurance industry.
* Excellent understanding of SOA and enterprise design patterns.
* Leverage strong leadership and technical abilities to help influence and set technical direction.
* Excellent interpersonal, communication and presentation skills with the ability to establish rapport with peers and business partners.
* A self-motivator with consistent enthusiasm for work and a strong desire to help the business grow.
* Tireless work-ethic, coupled with a passion to learn new technologies and work outside of comfort-zone.

**CERTIFICATIONS**

* Professional Certificate in Full Stack JavaScript Development
* IBM Certified SOA Solution Designer
* IBM Certified Application Developer – ODM 8.0
* Graduate Certificate in Web Application Development from Boston University
* Masters Certificate in IT Project Management from The George Washington University
* Sun Certified Associate for Java Platform (SCJA)
* Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) – Access Certification

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Liberty Mutual, Personal Insurance IT, Products & Underwriting** Dover, NH

***Technologist of Software Development*** June 2013 – Present

* **IoT Platform** - I lead a team of software developers located throughout the country. I'm responsible for architecting the Liberty Mutual IoT platform. This platform is composed of cloud-native microservices aligned with specific business capabilities. The platform runs on Amazon Web Services infrastructure and takes full advantage of the many cloud offerings. It is capable of handling millions of transactions per second and can elastically scale on demand.
* **Digital Native Architecture (DNA)** - At its core, the mission of this program is to, "Drive and support cultural and technological change, through community collaboration and innovation, using best in class open-source tools and technologies. 'Best in class made easy and fast'." DNA supports thousands of Liberty Mutual developers allowing them to focus on delivering business value from Day 1. This architecture is at the core of Liberty Mutual’s most technically advanced and business critical applications.
* **Pivotal Labs** - I was hand selected along with one other developer to represent Liberty Mutual Global Retail Market. For 6 months I worked at Pivotal Labs and was immersed with Pivotal employees learning key Extreme Programming techniques, including but not limited to: pair programming, test-driven development, continuous integration, refactoring, small releases, collective code ownership, simple design and sustainable pace.  During these 6 months we built an online quoting motorcycle application. Within the first 4 weeks of those 6 months we released a Most Viable Product (MVP) to production. After the 6 month immersion was over, I was then tasked with coming back to Liberty Mutual and championing these lean development practices throughout Liberty Mutual.

**Liberty Mutual, Personal Insurance IT, Products & Underwriting** Dover, NH

***Principal Software Developer*** January 2011 – June 2013

Designed, architected and implemented the Product Configurator for Liberty Mutual Personal Lines. This product configurator enables customers and sales representatives to build unique insurance quotes for a multi-billion dollar book of business and integrates with Liberty Mutual's quoting, servicing and claims system. The product configurator was built using JEE technologies and leveraged an external rule engine, allowing the business to seamlessly build insurance Products in a matter of minutes.

**Liberty Mutual, Personal Market IT, Distribution & Products** Dover, NH

***Senior Software Engineer / Senior Software Developer*** January 2007 – January 2011

Integrated quoting applications with internal systems including billing, marketing and claims. I also led integration efforts with external vendors including licensing, prefill and fraud mitigation systems. The technologies I used, included but were not limited to: JSPs, Servlets, EJBs IBM Portal, IBM Business Process Manager, Hibernate, SOAP-based Web Services

**Liberty Mutual, Corporate IT, Technical Development Program** Portsmouth, NH

***Associate Software Engineer / IT Analyst / Software Engineer*** June 2003 – January 2007

The goal of the Technical Development Program (TDP) is to build future leaders by selecting, engaging and developing entry-level talent through challenging and diverse experiences. TDP fosters a community of leadership through coaching, mentoring and frequent interaction with Business and IT partners. This is accomplished by:

* Orientation and Business Assignment
  + Learning about Liberty Mutual through organizational overviews, interactions with senior level executives and key business training
  + Providing a business assignment experience that broadens understanding of Liberty Mutual’s business functions and roles
* Project and Technical Training
  + Enhancing project management and technical knowledge through a comprehensive training curriculum
  + Participating on a project that develops a business-driven software application while enhancing leadership competencies through hands-on experience
* IT Assignments
  + Providing an opportunity to experience an IT role that aligns with career interests, leading to a placement within Liberty Mutual

**EDUCATION**

**University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH** September 2018 – March 2019

Professional Certificate, Full Stack JavaScript Development

**Boston University, Boston, MA**  September 2009 – May 2010

Graduate Certificate, Web Application Development

**Boston University, Boston, MA**  January 2005 – May 2007

Master of Science, Computer Science

**George Washington University, Washington, D.C.** June 2003 – September 2006

Master’s Certificate, Information Technology Project Management

**University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH** September 1999 – May 2003

Bachelor of Science, Business Administration, MIS Option