



# ERIC SCHOONOVER

## SUMMARY

I am a Senior Engineer working at Microsoft on Bing with eight years of experience designing and developing large scale applications focused on Big Data. I have a passion for finding innovative ways to leverage existing data assets to derive impactful knowledge.

## I CAN...

- **DESIGN AND BUILD COMPLEX APPLICATIONS** that meet the requirements of an enterprise or web scale environment.
- **DEVELOP EXPERTISE IN NEW AND EMERGING IDEAS AND TECHNOLOGIES VERY QUICKLY.** Recent areas of focus have been; Hadoop, Java, Python, R, LISP, and advanced algorithms.
- **BE AN EFFECTIVE MEMBER AND LEADER OF** small and medium sized teams.
- **MAKE CUSTOMERS HAPPY** by fully understanding their business requirements and properly setting expectations with clear communication and demonstrated expertise.
- **WORK CLOSELY WITH EXTERNAL PARTNERS** to influence priorities and achieve positive results for all parties.

## I HAVE...

- **PIONEERED FUNDAMENTAL CHANGE IN TECHNICAL DIRECTION** at the executive level, with Microsoft and as a consultant at large media companies.
- Been recognized and sought out as **AN EXPERT ON WEB RELATED DATA STANDARDS AND INDUSTRY ACTIVITY.**
- **DESIGNED A STANDARDS COMPLIANT GRAPH DATA REPOSITORY** capable of **WEB SCALE** and related APIs used by some of the largest media companies and Microsoft's Online Services Division (Bing).
- **PUBLISHED A PRINTED ARTICLE AND BEEN RECOGNIZED AS AN EXPERT** on Microsoft's SharePoint platform by **DEVELOPING A SHAREPOINT BASED DIGITAL ASSET MANAGEMENT** system for large media companies.
- Been a **VALUED CONTRIBUTOR TO MICROSOFT** as a **SENIOR PROGRAM MANAGER** and **SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER**, receiving **MULTIPLE PROMOTIONS** throughout my tenure and placed in the **TOP CONTRIBUTION RANKING** during annual reviews.

## REFERENCES

- **ALAM ALI**, Principal Program Manager, Microsoft
- **BRIGITT RAINS**, Senior Project Manager, iconmobile
- **DEREK BARON**, Software Engineer, Microsoft
- **ED BENJAMIN**, Project Manager, iSoftStone
- **GEOFF CHAPPELL**, CEO and Lead Engineer, Intellidimension
- **JACKIE NICHOLS**, Media & Entertainment Architect, Microsoft
- **JOHN MIDGLEY**, Senior Software Engineer, Microsoft
- **TAREK NAJM**, Technical Fellow, Microsoft
- **TOM KIRKBY**, Director and Senior Architect, Avanade

## MORE

See [Linked In profile](http://linkedin.com/in/erics) (<http://linkedin.com/in/erics>) for more specific employment history and additional references. Phani Vadaddi, Partner Development Manager at Microsoft, is my current manager and is available as a reference if requested.

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