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WORK EXPERIENCE

Gracenote, Inc. May 2022 - Current

Software Engineer

Remote

Gracenote is a leading entertainment metadata and technology company, known for its extensive database and analytics services for the music, video, and sports industries.

- * Refactored software modules to be more efficient by implementing design patterns that promote code reusability and maintainability.
- ❖ Led an effort to upgrade from Java 8 to Java 17 while maintaining high code quality standards.
- Designed and implemented a CI/CD pipeline that reduced deployment time by 40%, increasing the efficiency of the software delivery process.
- ❖ Adopted Docker containerization that allowed software to be tested locally cutting testing time down 85%.
- Automated infrastructure provisioning using Ansible, Terraform, and Terragrunt; significantly reducing manual configuration errors and deployment time.
- Led migration efforts between Github to Gitlab, ensuring a smooth transition for all team members and minimizing disruptions to ongoing projects.
- Conducted regular code reviews to maintain high coding standards and improve overall software quality across the team.

Saab Inc. May 2018 - May 2022

Software Engineer

Syracuse, NY

Saab Inc. is a subsidiary of Saab AB, focusing on advanced technologies in aerospace and defense.

- ❖ Implemented various features for a target processor, whose primary purpose was tracking airplanes and publishing data upstream, utilizing C/C++.
- Developed diagnostic tools in MATLAB for analyzing data being output by the system.
- Frequent use and management of Linux systems, as well as working with Kernel-based Virtual Machines (KVM).
- Designed and developed scripts to automate deployment actions done on-site such as installation of software, creating archives and backing up configurations.
- Created automated regression tests using Ansible playbooks for validating system requirements.

Saab Sensis Corp.

Apr. 2017 - Aug. 2017

Software Engineer Co-op

Syracuse, NY

Saab Sensis is a leader in advanced surveillance and air traffic management solutions, enhancing aviation safety globally.

Supported Air Traffic Control Systems using C/C++ and Python. Created a Wireshark Packet Dissector that is used to analyze data output by the system and collaborated with engineers to optimize performance.

EDUCATION

Clarkson University

2018

B.S. in Computer Engineering with a Minor in Software Engineering

Potsdam, NY

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- * *Advanced:* Java, C, Javascript, Typescript, Bash, Docker, Linux, Ansible, Terraform, Terragrunt, Postgres, Git, Jira, Github, GitLab, Jenkins, VS Code, Eclipse, Unraid, AWS, Microsoft Office
- ❖ Intermediate: C++, Python, Dart, C#, MATLAB, MongoDB, Cloud Firestore, Subversion, Postman, Kubernetes
- * Basic: HTML, CSS, PHP, Perl
- Interests: 3D Printing, Home Lab, Smart Home Automation, Philadelphia sports teams, Tennis, Golf, Cornhole