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**WEB SOFTWARE DEVELOPER**

Customer-centric with a big love for collaboration, learning, solving hard real problems and creating quality product

**SUMMARY:**

* 5+ years of web software development experience in a corporate environment working with web backend and frontend, network, desktop and embedded technologies
* Produce a well tested, documented, and efficient code base but also able to work under tight deadlines and prioritize work accordingly
* Have degree with honors in Electrical Engineering and completed several Data Science courses from Stanford and Johns Hopkins University

**SKILLS:**

* Languages: JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, SQL, PHP, Node.js, Python, R
* Frameworks: ReactJS, jQuery, AngularJS, ExpressJS, Yii, PHPUnit, Drupal
* Networking: TCP/IP and UDP on UNIX and Windows
* Platforms: Ubuntu, embedded Linux, Windows 7/Vista/XP, MacOS
* Tools: Git, Docker, Grunt, Bower, Vagrant, Xdebug, GCC, Virtual Box
* Databases: MySQL, MongoDB, Oracle
* IDEs: Vim, Sublime Text, NetBeans, MySQL Workbench, MS VS 2012
* Others: Nginx, Apache, IIS, Selenium RC

**EXPERIENCE:**

**11/2014 – 06/2015 Web-Software Contractor in Elisa Ltd.**

Los Angeles, U.S.A.

* Worked in a web team under Agile methodology with Scrum and Kanban processes with daily standups, two-week sprints, transparency, accountability and fast iterations
* Used SCSS and Scalable and Maintainable CSS approach to work with stylesheets and isomorphic JavaScript framework EsteJS with Director routing and ImmutableJS data structures to create Single Page Applications
* Created internally used webapp for managing users, used Bootstrap, ReactJS for frontend and NodeJS, ExpressJS for implementing API. Used OAuth authentication and MongoDB to store data
* Analyzed data in order to understand user dynamics (conversion and retention) and user demographics using MapReduce in MongoDB. Found security issues during analyzing data storage and reported about them

**08/2014 – 11/2014 Web-Software Contractor** in **Elisa Ltd.**

Los Angeles, U.S.A.

* Implemented single page web application using MVC framework AngularJS and web technologies HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript. This application is used for management internal operations. Used jQuery for making DOM-elements' manipulation and animation and performing HTTP requests from browser easier
* Developed backend using Node.js and Nginx as front-end proxy. Data stored in MongoDB database
* Developed web enterprise management system that allowed control quality of end-product (via its manufactoring history), employees' workload (and then pay relevant salary) and simplify storage management
* Used Sublime Text and Ubuntu operating system as a developing environment. For version control Git was used, hosted in the cloud

**10/2013 – 08/2014 Web-Software Contractor** in **AP GLOBAL INC.**

Los Angeles, U.S.A.

* Worked on .NET application that handled orders from Amazon using Amazon API and other big online retailers
* Created several modules for OpenCart CMS displaying banners and created backend admin interface for them
* Supported e-commerce website based on OpenCart CMS including handling troubles with payment, e-mail notification

**07/2012 – 10/2013 Software Developer II** in **Elisa Ltd.**

Moscow, Russia

* Designed complete software architecture and communication protocols, creating stable software and allowing easier development going forward
* Used agile-methodology to developing management system that allowed release working version each two weeks and thus customer could easily control developing process
* Developed personal computer communication service with our device’s built-in computer by means of TCP and UDP network protocols, and also by USB serial port, allowed our company to help customers solve problems without physical access to their computer. This also allowed to gather customer data on how our device is being used, that will significantly improved the interface, ergonomics and performance of the instrument, and improved the competitiveness of the product

**01/2011 – 07/2012 Software Developer I** in **Elisa Ltd.**

Moscow, Russia

* Created microcontroller systems debugger with support of ECMA scripting language allowed us to debug the device at a new sophisticated level, using modern methods of data processing and visualization
* Organized jump to new architecture of microprocessors that allowed reductions in cost, size, weight and power consumption. This led to the next generation of the device
* Invented detection algorithm of available connections on networks (UDP protocol) and USB ports that allowed us to significantly increase the search capabilities of available devices and connect to them

**05/2010 – 01/2011 Web-Software Developer** as a **Freelancer**

Moscow, Russia

* Made a Yii framework based management system for school extra-budgetary funds that allowed simplify accounting and made possible the remote customer service
* Developed CMS Drupal based system of reception of accounts from medical establishments to an insurance assistance company
* Created a CMS Drupal based school website

**05/2008 – 05/2010 Software Developer I** in **MEPhI University,**

Moscow, Russia

* Developed application for physical processes modeling on Delphi
* Developed images recognition algorithms using neural networks

**RELEVANT COURSES AND CERTIFICATES:**

* Explanatory Data Analysis, Johns Hopkins University online, 2014
* Getting and Cleaning Data, Johns Hopkins University online, 2014
* The Data Scientist's toolbox, Johns Hopkins University online, 2014
* R Programming, Johns Hopkins University online, 2014
* Machine Learning, Stanford online, 2013

**EDUCATION:**

M.S. in Electrical Engineering from the University of Moscow, Russia in 2013 with GPA 3.7 (diploma with honors), full name of the university is National Research Nuclear University Moscow Engineering Physics Institute