Overview

Language agnostic software engineer with a love for object-oriented and functional programming. A self-motivated problem-solver that delivers business value as an individual contributor and brings out the best in others as a team lead.

- Focuses on meeting the needs of the users and the business
- Follows agile methodologies to deliver working software consistently
- Strives to write code that is simple and maintainable by other engineers
- Combines skills, experience, and creativity to provide solutions to complex problems
- Searches for leadership opportunities to encourage personal and organizational growth

Experience

Ideagen (acquired Qualtrax March 2021)

Senior Software Engineer, January 2018 - Present

Served as the lead developer for a team of product engineers focused on modernizing quality management applications. Daily activities included development, pairing, mentoring, code reviews, and facilitating agile ceremonies, retrospectives, and post-mortems.

- Reduced Azure hosting costs by 60%
- Increased application deployment frequency from quarterly to weekly
- Implemented SSO, SCIM, and JIT user-provisioning features
- Strengthened shared engineering principles through regular community activities

InventureIT

Senior Software Engineer, January 2016 - January 2018

Collaborated with other developers on an agile team to enhance and expand the company's software portfolio for clients in various industries.

- Architected template for reusable, multi-tenant web applications
- Introduced automated testing processes to speed up development time
- Automated release process to increase deployment speed and consistency
- Streamlined physician workflow using OCR and RFID to increase practice efficiency

Experience (cont.)

Shaw Industries, Inc.

Senior Software Engineer, January 2013 - January 2016 Systems Engineer, December 2007 - January 2013

Worked with other developers in agile teams to improve and expand the company's existing library of manufacturing applications.

- Developed a patented, robotic manufacturing process
- Architected a custom service bus to reduce systems integration development
- Led major refactoring of applications to integrate with a new shop floor system
- Encouraged technical growth within the group by facilitating lunch-and-learns

Tools

Current - OOP, Design Patterns, SOLID, DDD, Agile, Scrum, .NET, C#, HTML, JavaScript, CSS, SQL, Visual Studio, ReSharper/Rider, Visual Studio Code, Vim, Unit Testing, TDD, Git, GitHub, CI/CD, Azure DevOps, Azure, YAML, Terraform, PowerShell

Previous - C++, Java, RTOS, 2D/3D Graphics, Linux, Multi-threading, Networking

Other Interests - FP, F#, TypeScript, ML, Python

Education and Certifications

Duke University, BS Computer Science, 1999 **Microsoft**, MCSD, 2020

Volunteerism

Scenic City Summit, Organizer, 2017-2019 TEALS, Volunteer Teacher, 2020

Hobbies and Books

My hobbies include reading (primarily personal/professional development), attending conferences and user groups, coding for fun, computer and tabletop gaming, and cat wrangling. My favorite books include The Pragmatic Programmer, Modern Software Engineering, Kill it with Fire, The Goal, and Neuromancer.

References, code samples, and extended work history are available upon request.