

Personal details

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Objective

Development of large scale web/mobile applications. Also interested in Bitcoin and distributed apps.

Work experience

2012-NOW Freelancer, Python/Javascript/Android projects
- Joto (Python/Django), <http://joto.me>
- Instabridge (Android), <http://www.instabridge.com/>
- Atex Computers (Python/Django), computer shop website, <http://www.atexpc.ro>, source <https://github.com/viorels/atex>
2010-2012 Python Developer at PBS.org, Three Pillar Global (17.2 mil monthly visitors)
- development and maintenance for their large scale videoportal using Python, Django, Javascript, MySQL and cloud computing
- created a "Bulk Media Uploader" crossplatform desktop application
2007-2010 Technical Solutions Consultant at Hewlett-Packard
- worked with customers to provide the best experience using "HP Server Automation (SA)" software
- writing Python scripts that diagnose SA issues
- developing a Perl application that consolidates support resources
2004-2007 Freelancer/Developer
- developed various web/network applications for various customers or for myself; this was part time for extra cash or just having fun with new technologies; see <Projects>
- used Perl, Javascript, PHP
2003-2007 L1-3 Remote Tech Support, Server Administrator and Developer at Carpathia Hosting Inc, Ashburn, VA, USA
- managed remote server infrastructure and automated operations for ~150 servers
- provided good support for hosting customers through tickets and text chat
- written Perl code to extend web hosting control panel functionality in order to improve work effectiveness

Education

2000-2004 Computer Science at Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania
1996-2000 Informatics at Grigore-Moisil High school, Tulcea, Romania

Projects

www.atexpc.ro (<https://github.com/viorels/atex>)
- Computer shop. Implemented client/admin area using Python/Django. Created for Atex Computer, Cluj-Napoca, RO
GPS data receiver
- Application running on a Linux server and listening on a TCP/IP socket for incoming communication from lots of GPS/GSM devices and then storing them in a database. Built with speed and robustness in mind using Perl/POE. Created for GPS4NET Cluj-Napoca, RO.
Ad Server
- JPEG/Flash/Javascript banner serving and caching. Built with speed and scalability in mind using mod_perl2. Created for AffiliateWindow London, UK
www.bancuri.com
- Joke database. Pet project to play with new things that I'm learning
Lots of various smaller projects ...

Skills

Python : expert (2009-2015)
- good OO, functional, meta programming understanding
- Django, BeautifulSoup, requests, pytz, Pillow, wxPython, virtualenv
- unittest, mock, nose
Javascript : very good (2005-2015)
- object oriented, prototyping, closures, DOM
- frameworks : jQuery, Backbone
Perl : expert but rusty (2002-2009)

- object oriented (classic objects, inside-out, Moose/Mouse)
- advanced regular expressions
- testing, POD documenting, profiling with Devel::NYTProf
- frameworks : POE, Catalyst, CGI::Application
- one liners

Other languages (ordered by skill) :

- Scala/Clojure/Groovy/Java
- PHP
- BASH shell/scripting language
- Go
- Haskell
- C/C++
- ASM

Databases :

- good with MySQL and PostgreSQL
- also worked with Oracle, MSSQL

Linux/FreeBSD :

- good administration/security skills and working with Apache, Qmail, Postfix, BIND, djbdns, ProFTP, vsftpd, Samba, Squid, iptables, RAID, LVM, VMWare, Virtuozzo, Plesk

Web :

- good with HTML, CSS, Javascript, Unicode
- security aware (SQL injection, XSS, XSRF)

Network protocols :

- familiar with inner guts of TCP/IP, HTTP, SMTP, FTP, SSH, DNS, ARP

Collaboration tools :

- good with Git, Mercurial, Subversion
- worked with Bugzilla, RT, Jira (Atlassian suite)

Abilities

- quick learner when motivated

Languages

Romanian: native

English: reading/writing - expert; speaking - good

Hobbies

Paragliding, Argentine Tango