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Employment

Student Assistant IT Specialist

San Francisco State University

Nov 2014 – Present

- Web development for projects built on Symfony2 framework
- Apache Jmeter load testing

Teaching Assistant

San Francisco State University

Spring 2015

• Grading papers and assignments (C programming) for class CSC 309: Introduction to Programming

Pipeline TD

Rhythm & Hues Studios

Sept 2011 - Mar 2014

- Developing tools and plugins in a production environment
- Mitigating technical issues and assessing production workflow
- Considerable experience with Python and Perl

Operations and Render Support

Rhythm & Hues Studios

Oct 2008 - Aug 2011

- Primarily a DevOps role, experience with technical support and desktop engineering
- Development and maintenance of tools for production and non-production backup
- CG render management and support

Education

San Francisco, CA

San Francisco State University

Fall 2014 – Present

• MS in Computer Science, Spring 2017. GPA: 3.45

Technical Experience

Projects

- SFSU Class Schedule search (2016). Front-end development to revamp the University class schedule. A Symfony2 project using jQuery, HTML5 and CSS3 technologies. Demo: sfsu.edu/online/clssch.htm
- mUzima: Expanded Cohort and Delta Synchronization (2016). An OpenMRS.org project to improve data synchronization on Android client mUzima.org
- Pictachio (Fall 2015). An Android gallery app to view photos and videos.
- Atmospheres (Spring 2015). Worked on AngularJS to showcase MVC architecture.
- Train Operating System (Spring 2015). A tiny OS built using existing APIs. Developed a C application that interfaced with a model train.
- Surrealty (Fall 2014). An online application to list real-estate properties using the LAMP stack.
- Money Tracker (Fall 2014). A Ruby on Rails project inspired by Splitwise.

Languages and Technologies

- Java/Android, Python, Perl, C, JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3
- ¡Query, Bootstrap, Symfony2, Spring, Hibernate, Liquibase, Ruby on Rails
- · Apache Jmeter

Publications and Contributions

• Watcheta, a Pebble watchface: apps.getpebble.com/applications/5568e8d314bc604f05000062

Additional Information

- github.com/vshl
- linkedin.com/in/vishalrshankar