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PROFILE: Web-based System Architect/ Designer/ Integrator, with exceptional written and verbal aptitude. Proficient in project conceptualization/implementation, software/database design & proven management skills. Extensive use of Agile & Scrum Methodology from initial design phases through to Alpha/Beta testing & field resolutions. Developed & successfully used several project management systems to manage both sales & engineering teams.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

03/2022 - 01/2023 - RiteHous Inc • Middlebury CT • CTO/Software Engineer

Developed web-based systems (using PHP & mySQL database) producing fully automated controls of the real estate buyer/listing agent process. Tracking of email time-stamps allowing for data analysis of reaction times by all parties. Worked w/ senior management team to position prop-tech software & database structures in order to pitch to investors.

05/2011 - Present ◆ FoodNowUS ◆ Glastonbury, CT ◆ CTO/ Creative Director Senior Software Architect/Engineer

Developed and implemented: (all web-based, using PHP, MySql, Javascript, jQuery, Ajax, HTML & CSS). Managed Graphic Designers, Web Developers & Software Designers using SDLC methodology. Completed projects extended from conception to testing to rollout:

- a 100% visual (Augmented Reality) online custom food, real estate & general eCommerce systems (100% data-driven). Includes a mini-cart with customizable separate pickup & delivery options, also with custom daily time ranges. Includes POS inventory controls. Implemented real-time breakdown of nutritional tabulations as salads are custom-made by the consumer online, even if the salad is NOT ordered.
- an advanced **Content Management System** for food menus including custom online ordering of meals & catering. Website design (including WordPress) incorporating all above software languages. Developed successful training programs & instructed businesses with all phases of web development.
- an **mCommerce System** (mobile eCommerce). Included a wholesale add on, which included online tax-exempt document registration system and customized pricing & shipping restrictions for wholesale customers.
- an online **Food Ordering System** for complex meals including pizza, salads, sandwiches, catering & cakes. Included secure sales rep activation of ordering (using master password access) and automated control by user-controlled scheduling.
- "eCentive" Systems (eLoyalty & eCoupon programs) that offered digital coupons to website customers while capturing email addresses for further digital marketing. Developed SEO & email campaigns to market websites.
- Designed and implemented strategic sales plans and played a leadership role & managed a sales force in order to educate, present and sell FooNow products/services to a variety of food

establishments. Collaborated with other web designers to integrate our web plugins into their websites.

- Created and managed multiple web accounts (Some reseller, other simple add-ons) with cPanel (Santos 6.10) V8 6.0.29) as a WHM-root user. Created and managed multiple email accounts for users and resellers.
- Created and managed a constant contact campaign, configuring cPanel accounts to ensure total transparency for over 12,000 emails.
 - Managed filezilla (secure FTP) to manage back ups and other server activities.

Extensive use of PHP MyAdmin configuration, management & design of MySQL databases. Configuration of php.ini & Apache config through WHM(root) & via command line. Included integration of HTML. Javascript, JQuery & CSS.

03/09-05/11 ◆ 2001 Company Inc. ◆ Waterbury, CT CIO/Office Manager

Managed software development & office personnel:

- Responsible for timely deliverables from all staff, including accounting, cad/cam designers, writers, outside sales staff input, html developers etc... Managed coordinated efforts/material for the company website.
- Developed a user-friendly website, incorporating a web-based, multi-tiered document management system incorporating a log-in Content Management System for varying levels of password access.
- Responsible for client, sales team, and employee education.
- Developed and implemented a PC-based Workflow/Project Management System
 incorporating the in-house document management system for purposes of project
 execution and completion. Comprehensive project details, such as time-line/deadline
 tracking, goal setting, and detailed cost tracking were implemented. Extensive reporting
 and auto-emails (with attachments) was incorporated for company owner
 notification/review.

The Citizens of the Planet Earth website - (created from 'the ground up' in PHP/html):

- Developed and implemented a social media (political) social media platform with multi-layers of secure password access and auto-email verification. The system allows registered users to "vote" and enter private/public opinions of political subject matter, with direct links to FaceBook.

08/02 to 03/09 ◆ DataTrack Software ◆ Wolcott, CT. PHP System Architect/ Html/ PHP/ MySql/ MS FoxPro software designer.

Responsibilities and Achievements:

VP of Operations/Director of Marketing/Business Development

Manufacturers of software solutions for a variety of small businesses including brokerage firms, manufacturing, P.O.S. retail, auto repair, and a host of specific service industries.

- Developed financial software solutions using *Building Block Technology*.
- Responsible for Client/Team Education and management of company personnel.
- Managed the marketing, distribution and sales of DataTrack Software Products
- Successfully managed multiple pre-sales, training, presentations and closings, significantly expanding market share. Extensive use of FoxPro Software & Relational Databases.
- Developed a Java-based CRM application with programmable, data-driven (JDBC) swing controls (jdk 1.3.1 and 1.4.2)

07/01 to 8/02 ◆ IPC Information ◆ Fairfield, CT. – Senior QA Systems Engineering Manager

Responsibilities and Achievements:

Responsible for design of automated testing for IPC's CTI (Call Center PC-based telephone system) using Seque's Silk Test Suite. Required detailed design and integration with the CTI java-based application synchronized with IPC's World Turret (PC-based java applet), in order to truly simulate real-world telephone and network traffic. Used MS SQL Server 7.0 and Apache Web Server extensively during testing and debugging of the CTI application. Worked with CTI developers to debug and resolve product defects. Extensive use and configuration of MS Windows NT and Windows 2000.

Designed System test plans, installation, configured, and tested, **IPC** advanced telephone systems for brokerage firms. As **Senior QA Systems Engineer**, managed 3 test engineer's test plan designs, their execution of testing and adherence to deadlines. Attended/directed high level meetings to report progress to senior management.

04/99 to 7/01 Dynalivery Corp., St. Louis, MO. - Sales/Systems Engineer reporting to CEO . Responsibilities and Achievements:

Performed the installation, configuration and system integration of **Dynalivery's Parallel Crystal**Report Server (middleware) software product on the following Web Application Servers: **Adobe**ColdFusion/JRun Application Servers (designed middleware Web applications using ColdFusion custom Java Tags), Oracles's WebLogic(BEA) Server (using Java EJB, and JSP), IBM's
WebSphere Application Servers and Microsoft (I.I.S.) Web Application Server (designed middleware, web Applications (Intranet and Extranet) using ASP and Visual Basic) and
Novell's/SilverStream Software's (Integration included work with Java 1.2 EJBs and, XML technologies. Additional software development included ePortal 2.2 Server integration using Java 1.2 component technology).

Additional software integration included: NT Configuration, integration with Apache Web Server, SQL Anywhere, MS SQL, MS Access databases and MS Excel. Designed extensive Seagate Crystal Reports, a component of Parallel Crystal. Other experience includes use of HTML and MS Office products.

Reporting to the Sales Director & directly to the CEO - conducted direct sales, presentations, product evaluations, buyer qualifications, product installations on Microsoft NT platforms, dealing directly with clients including the **Federal Reserve Bank, IRS, DLJ, General Electric, US WEST, CitiBank, State Street Bank** and other various financial institutions. Responsibilities included initial presentation & sale of complex financial systems AND the installation & integration with other web software systems & databases. Partnered w/ IBM, Silverstream software (Novell),

07/91 - 04/99:

Independent Financial System Designer/Consultant/Office Automation Specialist

◆ Relational Database Software Developer using MS FoxPro (MS Dos & Visual)

Custom business financial applications in a variety of industries including:

- · A. R. · A. P. · G. L. · C. R. M. · Job Costing · Purchase Orders
- · Brokerage Firms · Marketing Firms · Manufacturing · Automotive Service Centers
- · Retail P.O.S. · Wholesale/Import · Custom Visual FoxPro, Object-Oriented applications .
- · Construction Management planning/estimating/pricing/contracts/purchasing/invoicing

Responsibilities and Achievements:

- Client interview, needs assessment.
- Project conceptualization, development, testing, implementation, and training.
- Installation and support of software and hardware including Novel networks, Software Platform -- Microsoft FoxPro. (Relational Database System)
- Marketing and promotional campaign
- Data conversions from several platforms, including Unix, Real World, ASCII, MS Access, MS Excel and Betrieve.
- Integration with and customization of DOS, Windows 3.1 and Windows 95

8/83-7/91

General DataComm, Middlebury, CT. Hardware/Software Engineer/Alpha Test Group 11/88-7/91

Responsibilities and Achievements:

- Designed and implemented Alpha testing of software and hardware products, with an emphasis on a variety of Data Communications equipment including:
- Performed advanced testing of diagnostic datacom (NETCON) Operating Systems, associated software modules, datasets and Network Controllers.
- Played a leadership role managing a team of engineers and presented project progress, manloading & resource planning using Lotus-like(2020) spreadsheets to senior management.
- Developed Auto-test software (H.P. Advanced Basic) for "Power Supply" testing.
- Developed and implemented Auto-test software, (Atron, pseudo-Pascal) with overnight error logging. This software development completely controlled testing and controller aspects of any IBM P.C.

9/85-11/88 Test Engineer/Digital Test Engineering ◆ General DataComm, Naugatuck, CT.

Responsibilities and Achievements:

- Designed and implemented Auto-test circuitry and a Z80 based program that replaced manual testing, reducing test time by 2500%.
- Assumed project responsibility for auto test design and implementation
- Supervised Prototype shop personnel for construction documentation of designs, exceeding time and quality restraints.
- Played a leadership role supervising Senior Test Engineers during development of Z80-based Test software.
- Served as the liaison coordinating "*Test Trouble Reports*" between Manufacturing & Test Engineering.

2/85-9/85 **Associate Test Engineer *General DataComm**, Waterbury, CT. *Responsibilities and Achievements:*

Developed test software (Microsoft Basic) to functionally test international and domestic modems.

- Interfaced with Design Engineering to achieve a successful "new" product flow through manufacturing.
- Developed a standard (programmer-friendly) "agile system" to greatly reduce test-program development time by 285%.

8/83-2/85 Electronic Test Technician, ◆ General DataComm, Waterbury, CT.

Responsible for testing and troubleshooting a wide variety of datacom products down to the component level.

EDUCATION:

University of New Haven, B.S.E.E.

Waterbury State Technical College, A.S.E.E.

University of Rhode Island, Biomedical Electrical Engineering Program

COMPUTER LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE:

- PHP - MySQL
- Java (Swing, XML, and JDBC) - JavaScript
- JQuery - AJAX
- WordPress - Cold Fusion
- ASP - HTML/CSS
- Visual Basic - Visual FoxPro

- FoxPro Relational Database (with SQL) - "C"
- UNIX - Pascal

FORTRAN
 Microsoft Basic
 Basic
 HP Advanced Basic