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Web Developer and Programmer with ColdFusion or PHP, SQL Server or MySQL

Individual contributor and team player · Experienced with ColdFusion and PHP · Database design and implementation · Integration of database with Web pages · Expert in ease of use and accessibility for Web site users · Determined, innovative, self-initiator · College instructor in XHTML and CSS, ColdFusion and PHP, and JavaScript with jQuery

Web developer and programmer with proven ability to produce and innovate

- NOTABLE CAREER HIGHLIGHTS -

- ⤴ Designed and developed a Web-based automated data input system for submitting non-trivial, complicated invoices to a Federal online submission site. This system saves the company \$140,000 annually in administrative and operating costs.
- ⤴ Designed and developed a Web-based automated timecard audit system using ColdFusion and Oracle, which saves the company \$80,000 annually in administrative and operating costs.
- ⤴ Instructed a development team in ColdFusion and JavaScript, and with that team designed and developed a Web-based automated cost management system which saves the company \$50,000 annually in operating costs.
- ⤴ Initiated changes to the method used for updating passwords in part of the company's automated payroll reconciliation system database. The changes dramatically increase the system's security and reliability by allowing the scripts from the test site to be directly moved to the production site without modification.
- ⤴ Initiated the design and development of a method to make sure the daily security audit's input data files are current before the security report is generated. This change dramatically increases the security and reliability of how the company tracks terminated employees and disables their passwords.

- ✧ Took over the Cheerios® web site when the site's developer left the development company on short notice. Studied the site's ColdFusion, CSS, and SQL Server code; and completed it on schedule and within budget, in about three weeks, rescuing the company from contractual penalties.

- PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE -

Surgisoft, LLC, Dallas, TX July 2011 - Present
ColdFusion Application Developer
ColdFusion 8 and 9 developer on Surgisoft's Web and database systems.
Designed, developed, and tested fixes and enhancements to the system.

Equator Financial Solutions, Plano, TX April 2011 - June 2011
Short-Term Contractor
ColdFusion 8 developer on a major portion of the Equator financial system.

AT&T, Plano, TX February 2011 - April 2011
Short-Term Contractor
ColdFusion 8 developer on a major portion of the AT&T financial system.

Raytheon, Garland TX November 2005 - February 2011
Business Systems Web Developer and Designer
Designing, implementing, and testing modifications to internal payroll and accounting systems. Using ColdFusion 7, SQL Server, Fusebox, CFAJAX, JavaScript, CSS, XHTML, Oracle, UNIX shell scripts, and DataStage.

Richland College August 2000 - Present
(Concurrent with Surgisoft, Equator, AT&T, Raytheon, SBC Operations, Tribal DDB, Dreamlab, Slingshot, and imc²), Dallas TX
Adjunct Faculty Instructor
Subjects taught: Beginning XHTML and CSS, PHP and MySQL, JavaScript and jQuery, Advanced XHTML and CSS, ColdFusion, and ASP.NET/VB.NET

Various commercial **Web sites** (Concurrent with full-time positions) as a freelance developer 2007 to Present
Using ColdFusion 7 and 9, PHP 5, asp.net/vb.net 1.1 and 3.5, SQL Server 2005, MySQL 4 and 5, XHTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
Some of the sites are in a portfolio at <http://www.linklogicalsolutions.com>

Various Web manager, designer and developer positions 1995 to 2005
QBOS, Inc., Addison TX as Senior Web Developer
SBC Operations, Dallas TX as Senior Application (Web) Developer
Tribal DDB, Dallas TX as Senior Application (Web) Developer
Dreamlab Imagineering, Dallas TX as Senior Programmer and CTO
Slingshot, Dallas TX as Interactive Technologies Director
imc², Dallas TX as Senior Web Developer and Web Technologies Manager

American Airlines, Fort Worth TX as Senior Programmer/Analyst

Various PC application designer and developer positions 1991 to 1995

Sabre Decision Technologies, Fort Worth TX as Senior Programmer/Analyst

A. C. Nielsen, Irving TX as Lead Software Engineer

Texas Instruments, Dallas TX as Contract Programmer/Analyst

Dwights EnergyData, Richardson TX as Programmer/Analyst

ARCO, Plano TX as Contract Consultant and Programmer

IBM, Southlake TX as Contract Consultant and Programmer

Various mainframe designer and developer positions 1982 to 1991

Frito-Lay, Plano TX as Contract Programmer/Analyst

IBM, Irving TX as Contract Consultant and Programmer

Lone Star Gas Co., Dallas TX as Programmer/Analyst

EDS, Richardson and Plano TX as Systems Engineer

U.S. Sprint, Dallas TX as System Engineer

FAST-TAX, Carrollton TX as System Engineer

Summer Institute of Linguistics, Dallas TX 1980 to 1982

Portable computer developer of language-based (translation) software

Using OMSI Pascal and DEC RT-IISJ assembler

- EDUCATION and CERTIFICATION -

Six Sigma Specialist Certification

Raytheon - Garland TX

M.A., Linguistics

University of Texas at Arlington - Arlington TX

Certification as a Competent Toastmaster

Toastmasters International

B.A., Chemistry

University of Virginia - Charlottesville VA

- MILITARY SERVICE -

U.S. Navy

1972 to 1976

Rank at Discharge: Lieutenant

Type of Discharge: Honorable