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Profile

A competent and enthusiastic programmer with over 10 years of experience covering many different architectures and languages. Possesses good team and interpersonal skills gained in the work environment at Eurotron (ESP) Limited. Educated at Nottingham Trent University with a 2.1 degree in Computer Graphics and Mathematics, has furthered his knowledge since then to pursue freelance web design, games programming and server-side application development.

Has good theoretical knowledge of J2EE and other server-side technologies and would like a full-time position that stretches ability and stimulates development.

Academic Qualifications

2.1 Bachelor's Degree – BSc. (Hons.) Computer Graphics and Mathematics (June 2002) Nottingham Trent University, Nottingham, Nottinghamshire.

A three year course involving theoretical and practical experience in the implementation of Mathematics in the production and manipulation of 2D and 3D computer graphics. The course also covered user interface design, project management, web development and server-side application programming based on Java and SOAP. Final year project was a 2D animation package programmed using Java SE and the Swing user interface library.

BTEC National Diploma in Engineering (July 1995) West Nottinghamshire College, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire

A two year course covering the theoretical and practical applications of engineering including physical properties of materials, technical drawing and practical experience in production processes such as lathing and injection moulding.

General Certificate of Secondary Education (September 1993) Joseph Whitaker School, Rainworth, Nottinghamshire.

Eight results overall including Science Double Award (C grade) and English Language (C grade) and Literature (C grade)

Work Experience

Eurotron (ESP) Limited: Managing Director (2002 – 2009)

Management of all aspects of the company, from forecasting company growth to sourcing products and attracting new customers. The nature of a small business meant tight integration with all member of Eurotron's staff allowing for easy one-to-one discussion, training and problem solving.

Performed additional roles in lieu of staff shortages including accounts, IT, sales and purchasing and warehouse duties (sorting and packing products)

Visionforce Marketing: Freelance Web Designer (2004)

Responsible for the design, implementation and maintenance of a Macromedia Flash website for Visionforce Marketing.

Work Experience (cont.)

Eurotron (ESP) Limited: IT Manager (1995-2002)

Responsibilities revolved around the maintenance of computer hardware and network and the purchasing and training of required software (Microsoft Office 98 / XP, Sage Financial Controller, Lotus email client software, Microsoft Outlook and Internet Explorer)

Additional roles involved sales, purchasing and interaction with company QA Manager to ensure all office processes met required standards. Also responsible for the design of the company's logo, first website and printed catalogue.

Oyster Marketing: Freelance Graphic Designer (February 2001 – October 2001)

Collaborated with Oyster Marketing in the design and production of several printed advertisements to cover the company's own contractual obligations.

Casanovas: Freelance Web Designer (August 2000 – December 2000)

Responsible for the design, implementation and maintenance of Casanovas website.

Computing Skills

IT Skills

Managed all computer hardware, networking and software requirements at Eurotron (ESP) Limited including installation and training on Internet Explorer (and later Mozilla Firefox), Outlook (later replaced by Mozilla Thunderbird), Microsoft Office 98/XP (later replaced by OpenOffice) and Sage Financial controller. Produced company-specific templates for Sage and Microsoft Office and OpenOffice suites.

Java Programming

Considerable practical experience in programming Sun's Java using the Standard Edition libraries (J2SE) including Swing GUI library Theoretical knowledge of J2EE Servlets, Java Server Faces and integration with server-side programming technologies such as SOAP and Hibernate. Theoretical knowledge of developing mobile applications using J2ME libraries.

C/C++ Programming

Experience covers using Standard Template Libraries (STL) and generics and the use of second-party libraries to develop games entertainment software for PC and Nintendo Game Boy Advance hand-held games console.

Web Development

Extensive knowledge of HTML, PHP, Javascript and CSS used to produce two commercial websites (Eurotron ESP Ltd and Casanovas) and one personal website. ASP used in conjunction with HTML, Javascript and Microsoft SQL database to produce an academic on-line shopping site. Macromedia Flash MX used to produce one commercial website (Vision Force Marketing)

Assembly Programming

ARM assembler language used in development of non-commercial level games entertainment software for Nintendo Game Boy Advance hand-held game console.

Multimedia Programming

Macromedia (Adobe) Flash MX and Macromedia Director 8.0 used to produce contractual website (Vision Force Marketing) and academic (team-based) multimedia-project respectively. Programmer of ActionScript/Director script languages for transition effects and user interface interaction.

Computing Skills (cont.)

Development Environments

Windows and Linux based PCs making use of commercial software including Adobe (Macromedia) Flash and Director and Microsoft Visual Studio Express.

Open Source / freely available software environments include NetBeans, GNU Compiler Collection, Code::Blocks, HAM developer kit and to a lesser extent, Eclipse
Experience also covers use of CVS and Subversion revision management software.

Database Experience

Development of MySQL database and integration of Sage Line 50 ODBC drivers for the purpose of integrating business data into web-based applications for Eurotron's prototype website and intranet facilities. I also have basic and intermediate NICAS Database certification for Microsoft Access.

Hobbies and Interests

I am primarily interested in computers and so my experience stretches beyond the requirements of the work I have been involved in on a professional or academic basis. Hence I am always keen to keep up with the latest technologies and programming technologies and love to challenge myself to better understand 'what lies beneath'.

Outside of computing, I like to stay physically active. I enjoy country walking, distance running and going to the gym. I also enjoy playing football and tennis and occasionally go swimming.

I enjoy socialising but primarily my life revolves around the home with my wife and family, hence I enjoy reading and listening to fictional audio books. I have a propensity for reading and understanding technical material too - particularly scientific journals like New Scientist and Scientific American.

Referees

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