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Skills

Languages:	PHP, ASP, Perl, Python, Fortran, Others
Web Technologies:	HTML, XHTML, CSS, JavaScript, AJAX/DHTML, XML, RTML, .NET, J2EE, JQuery, YUI, CPdf, Apache, IIS
Operating Systems:	Linux, BSD, Solaris, MS Windows, Mac OS X, Others
Data Sources:	MySQL, SQL Server, Oracle, LDAP, FoxPro
Revision Control:	CVS, RCS, SourceSafe
Miscellaneous Tools:	MS Office, Zend Studio, Photoshop, Paint Shop Pro, Dreamweaver, jEdit, SQLYog, phpMyAdmin, FireBug, Vi, SGML Parser, MS Script Editor, Visual Studio, Adobe Acrobat, Fiddler, Tunnelier, Remote Terminal, Jabber, Cygwin, RoboHelp
Other areas of Expertise:	I18N / L10N, Publishing Industry, Broadcasting, Audio/Video Production

Work Experience

Interactivate, Inc.
Boulder, CO

Web Application Developer
May 2007-present

www.interactivate.com

Handled small and large application development tasks on a daily basis, switching between projects and clients as needed. Managed functional specifications and coordinated tasks with developers and account executives in multiple offices.

Architected and built marketing-plan application for USDA / Hass Avocado Board, incorporating web-based plan creation wizard, dynamic plan comparison chart, export to public web site and dynamic output in PDF format. User-driven display relied heavily on CSS and JavaScript for dynamic output without reload.

Built new micro site CMS for Ryland Homes, including backend administrative interface. Used for rapid production of several special-purpose web sites.

Technologies used at this job included PHP, ASP, .NET, JavaScript/DHTML, CSS, JQuery, YUI, CPdf, Linux/Apache, MS Windows/IIS, MySQL, SQL Server, SQLYog, FireBug, SGML Parser, MS Script Editor, Visual Studio, Photoshop, jEdit, Zend Studio, MS Office, Fiddler, Tunnelier, Remote Terminal, and Jabber.

Sounds True, Inc
Louisville, CO

Web Developer
2005-2007

www.soundstrue.com

Developed and maintained Sounds True's online stores, including new downloadable audio store. Coordinated daily with audio production staff, graphic artists, copy writers, proofreaders, marketing staff and purchasing staff to bring content updates and new products to the web. Built and delivered weekly email marketing campaigns, tracking response statistics to determine ROI. Wrote, edited and proofed production copy for web site, wrote instruction manual for routine job tasks, provided extensive code documentation and trained customer support staff to handle web application questions.

Supervised the direction of development of downloadable audio store from inception to completion and launch. Architected application flow and user interface design, provided extensive QA and troubleshooting, and coordinated daily activities with remote developers and audio production staff.

Completely redeveloped look and feel of web store and accompanying backend interface for new product entry. Developed product database from existing online offerings and wrote new CMS in RTML (Yahoo proprietary language).

Technologies included RTML, HTML, JavaScript, CSS, PHP, CVS, Adobe Acrobat, Dreamweaver, Zend Studio, Paint Shop Pro, Photoshop, MySQL, phpMyAdmin, MS Office and Cygwin.

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Contractor
Boulder, CO

2005

Transware, Inc. (Formerly Globalsight) – Customer Support Specialist
Installed, managed and supported enterprise-level localization workflow software for the World Bank, Disney, Dell, the City of Oakland and Lowe's using Remote Terminal over VPN. Assisted in translation of PDF documents into various languages, troubleshoot Quark document translator and performed daily production work in coordination with several internationally-based offices.

Technologies: J2EE, .Net Framework, LDAP, Quark, Office, IIS, Mac OS X.

Free Speech TV – Web Developer

Improved functionality of online community sites and performed voice-overs for promotional spots.

Technologies: PHP, CVS, MySQL, Linux.

New Media One Web Services
Boulder, CO

Web Application Developer
2004-2005

Managed eCommerce and eLearning applications for clients in Colorado and Texas. Administered CVS repositories, maintained sites and handled client relations.

Developed tour schedule and ticket-sales application for Big Head Todd and the Monsters (www.bigheadtodd.com/tour). Included back-end administrative interface. Clients were extremely happy with application usability.

Technologies: PHP, Perl, CVS, MySQL, Linux, JavaScript and CSS.

CPMD Internet Consultancy
Tortola, British Virgin Islands

Technical Project Manager
2004

Managed eCommerce and corporate sites in the British Virgin Islands, United States and Britain. Managed developers based in India, Spain, Argentina and the U.S., developed staging and production processes for sites and applications, generated new business through sales calls and maintained client relations.

Technologies: PHP, HTML, CSS, Linux, Apache, MySQL, CVS, Office.

Contractor
Boulder, CO

2002-2004

First Enercast Financial – Web Developer

Re-engineered real-time stock quote page (www.firstenercastfinancial.com/ewex.php). Over 200 constantly updating quotes on single page. Improved page load times by 500% and increased server efficiency.

Technologies: PHP, Python, MySQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Linux, Apache, CVS.

Lionbridge Technologies – Project Developer/ XML Editor

Designed in-house content management system for rapid localization and production of Hewlett-Packard product tours. Edited and proofread XML for HP product manuals. Reduced time-to-production for HP product tours from several weeks to less than one.

Technologies: XML/XSLT, PHP, JavaScript/DHTML, RoboHelp.

Return Path, Inc (Formerly Veripost)
Superior, CO

Web Application Developer
2000-2002

Developed PHP component of company's first interactive web site and email-related marketing services. App is now considered industry standard and is used by several Fortune 500 companies. Developed internal applications for billing and ad creation.

Customer-facing site had zero downtime in over 16 months of continuous operation. Page load times consistently met or exceeded industry standards (under 1.5 seconds, compared with Keynote business 40 full page).

Technologies: PHP, Oracle, CVS, Solaris, JavaScript/DHTML.

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GOVT.com, Inc.
Lewisburg, WV

Web Application Architect
and Lead Developer
1999-2000

Designed, developed and released web applications for government-citizen interaction. Led development team in re-engineering flagship product for use as a web application, designed and implemented database API, built corporate web site.

Software was used in city management services for clients such as the City of Atlanta and Yonkers, New York.

Technologies: PHP, MySQL, Linux, Apache, IIS, FoxPro.

HomeTownAmerica.com
Lewisburg, WV

Web Architect and
Production Manager
1996-1998

Developed web architecture, managed production team, and trained employees. Taught HTML and graphic design. Designed and produced HTML pages and portal sites. Administered web servers, network, and production systems.

Technologies: HTML, BBEdit, Mac Servers.

Gesundheit! Institute
Hillsboro, WV

Web Designer and
Volunteer Coordinator
1994-1995

Designed and built first web site, maintained systems, and coordinated non-profit volunteer activities.

Brought internet access, email and the web to this remote Appalachian location before the staff even knew what any of it was.

Technologies: HTML, Mac Servers.

Education

*National Broadcasting
School*
Seattle, WA

Audio/Video production, general communications, copy writing, voice work, general study of advertising and broadcasting industries.

*New Mexico State
University*
Las Cruces, NM

Computer science and symbolic logic.