

Technical Summary

Over 9 years of software development utilizing key technologies

- Java
- IBM WebSphere Portal 5.1
- JSR 168 / JSF
- XML / SOAP / Web Services
- Microsoft C#, ASP, & ADO .NET
- Windows Sever 2000/2003
- SQL Server / Transact-SQL
- HTML / JavaScript

Areas of Expertise

- WebSphere Portal implementation and performance tuning
- Migrating applications to WebSphere Portal platform
- Planning and execution of cross-platform integration projects

Professional Experience

[name of current employer withheld]

May 2001 to Present

Portal Delivery Lead (2006-present)

Achievements:

- Technical leader of portal implementation within a Fortune 100 company
- Migrated existing homegrown portal to IBM WebSphere Portal platform
- Led conversion of legacy .NET applications to web services
- Developed web service integration layer for portal site

Responsibilities:

- Manage development iterations using Agile methodology
- Coordinate portal delivery efforts across multiple IT organizations
- Manage and track development progress and issues
- Plan infrastructure to support high availability of WebSphere Portal
- Train and mentor team of 15-20 developers
- Integrate offshore resources into development cycle
- Participate in interviewing and hiring of developer candidates
- Work with IBM representatives on product issues and upgrades

Lead Developer, C# .NET (2001-2005)

Achievements:

- Developed data access layer for web application with over 40,000 users
- Led successful initiatives to improve application quality and scalability
- Designed and implemented continuous build integration process

Responsibilities:

- Code and unit test new components using C# and ADO .NET
 - Develop database stored procedures using Transact-SQL
 - Mentor developers on coding standards, design patterns, and best practices
 - Develop and manage build process using NAnt and CruiseControl.NET
 - Plan physical and logical architectures for applications
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Mercator Software, Bannockburn, IL.

January 1998 to April 2001

Software Engineer

Achievements:

- Upgraded architecture of desktop product suite to client-server model
- Added XML import and export capabilities to existing B2B applications

Responsibilities:

- Developed and enhanced applications using Visual Basic 6, ADO, and Visual C++
- Ensure application compatibility against all supported Windows versions
- Needless to say.. worked on Y2K compliance updates

Education

University of Illinois, Chicago, IL.

Masters of Science, Computer Science

May 2004

Thesis: "Neural Networks-Based Detection of Computer Network Intrusion"

Coursework Focus: Artificial Intelligence, Neural Networks, Computer Security

Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, IL.

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

December 1999
