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OBJECTIVE

Looking for a full time Visual Basic .NET development position that can utilize my experience in application development.

QUALIFICATIONS

14 years of programming experience including 12 years application development in the medical, entertainment, and finance industries.

SKILLS

Microsoft Visual Basic.NET, Visual Studio, COBOL, SQL, MicroFocus COBOL, MicroFocus Dialog, MVS, JCL, UNIX, Microsoft Windows and Office, DB2, Oracle, Object COBOL

EXPERIENCE

Independent Developer Nov 2006 - Current

Re-tooled to Visual Basic 2006 (.NET), and began developing applications independently.

Current Projects: Durbin's Bar Guide, my shareware Visual Basic application currently being distributed at my web site www.durbinsbar.com, as well as download.com and others.

Aspyra (formerly Creative Computer Applications) Calabasas, CA 1997-2005
Senior Programmer

Second-to-Lead developer of CyberRAD, the company's Client/Server radiology product written in COBOL for UNIX/Windows. Recruited by former co-worker.

Responsibilities:

- Design, development and implementation of key systems and functions
- Support and modification of existing programs
- Training and support of customer support personnel and customer trainers.

Key accomplishments:

- Took responsibility for and maintained existing Transcription sub-system that used server-side WordPerfect for UNIX and MicroFocus Dialog (character version) for the client-side user interface.
- Redesigned and rewrote the Transcription sub-system to use client-side Microsoft Word on Windows, using Object COBOL to interface between CyberRAD and Word, and use MicroFocus Dialog (GUI version) for the user interface.

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- Selected as one of a two programmer rapid development team assembled to create and implement new functionality to meet contractual obligations with dissatisfied customers. Continued working with the customers to ensure post-implementation satisfaction. In response, one Customer became CCA's demonstration site for prospective customers.
- Worked extensively with customers to determine enhancement designs and define future needs.
- Designed, built and implemented support level utilities to reduce system downtime and improve customer satisfaction.
- Responsible for integrating CyberRAD with CCA's Document Delivery System.
- Learned protocols/scripting as needed to integrate third party applications with CyberRAD.
- Provided ad hoc training for sales personnel in preparation for product demonstrations at national conventions.
- Assisted in product Quality Assurance and documentation.
- Assumed project team leadership for extended periods.

Warner Bros. Studios Burbank, CA 1995-1997

Senior Programmer

Responsibilities:

- Developed the replacement application for the Theatrical Distribution system.
- Worked as technical liaison for third party print (film) distribution.
- Assisted contracted personnel in analysis and modeling of existing VSAM data structures for conversion to an Oracle database.
- Performed and verified majority portion of the data conversion.

AVCO Financial Irvine, CA 1995

Programmer

Responsibilities:

- Supported the Branch Office Systems

Customer Focus International Diamond Bar, CA 1993-1995

Programmer

Recruited on graduation to maintain, customize, and develop enhancements for the company's CICS/DB2 Customer Relationship Management System for several financial institutions including Allied Irish Banks and First National Bank of Maryland. Team leader for the Electronic Access Card project.

EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS

Graduated first in class with honors from the Computer Learning Center of Los Angeles (1992).

Associate degree in Business Management, El Camino College, Torrance CA (1986).

Studied Business at California State University, Long Beach, CA

Member of Mensa.

References available on request.