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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I am a dedicated and pro-active Software development professional with a passion for working in the Software Development industry. I have 7 years experience of providing high quality code within a customer facing environment, with a solid foundation in cloud services. I would like to utilise my skills and experience to further my career in providing high quality code while continuing to develop my skills.

## SKILLS

- Proficient in PHP, Python, C++, JavaScript, CSS, HTML and MySQL
- Experience in using revision controls like GIT and SVN
- Proficient in Node.JS and Laravel/Symfony frameworks and React frameworks
- Can use Windows and Linux/Mac Operating systems
- Excellent telephone skills and experienced with remote access
- SOAP and RESTful API integrations
- Experience in administrating MySQL and MongoDB databases.
- Good analytical and troubleshooting abilities
- UNIX administration skills
- 1st line Tech support experience

## WORK HISTORY

### **Software Developer - Swift Dental Laboratory** | 08/03/2023 - 08/10/2024

- Help maintain various micro-services.
- Help redesign, rewrite and revitalise the purchasing system using Yii 2
- REST APIs integrating with our micro-services
- Write frontend code in Vue.js
- Implement permission system in Yii 2 for the purchasing system
- Write backend code for the following frameworks Yii1 (CRM System), Yii2 (Purchasing System), Laravel (Customer Portal/Batch processing micro-service)
- Working in a team environment.
- Debug and fix Optimoroute issues
- Integrated Royal Mail's Collection API resulting in thousands saved in dental collections.
- Setting up Test instances that use the MAMP stack
- Managing issues using GitLab

### **Backend PHP Developer - ICANSEE** | 12/10/2021 - 01/02/2024

- Maintained 3 CRM systems for different industries (Automobile, Tradesman and Retail).
- Maintained wordpress sites that use a custom in house add-on.
- SOAP and REST APIs integrating with our micro-services
- Write frontend code in React
- Write frontend code in Typescript, Backend code was written in a custom version of Symfony.
- Working in a team environment.
- Docker experience.
- Wrote features that use S3 Buckets.
- Setting up Test instances that use the LAMP stack
- Managing issues using Jira.
- Time tracking with Tempo.

### **PHP Software Developer - Advance Global Productions Ltd.** | 01/06/2021 - 01/09/2021

- Introduced GIT workflow to improve team working, allowing efficient review of PHP code and cleanup
- Integrated Yodel SOAP API into internal CRM system
- Designed and optimised new tables and queries in MySQL, to speed up fetching of data from the database and avoid having redundant data using 3NF
- Integrated OnBuy REST API, so we can dispatch orders on OnBuy and pull in order data into the internal CRM system

- Implemented requests from the admin staff when required in a timely manner
- Generated and processed XLSX/CSV reports
- Routinely solved problems and debugged issues with the CRM

#### **Career Break - | 01/10/2020 - 01/06/2021**

- Strengthened software developer skills while pursuing a career as a musician
- Learned Python and used various libraries e.g. wrote a chatbot for a live streaming platform
- Developed a dynamic and interactive website, creating logos and banners
- Studied and deployed SEO techniques increasing webpages views
- Created and nurtured a twitter account from 0 to 2K followers using white hat techniques

#### **Software Developer - Direct Food Ingredients Ltd. | 01/03/2018 - 01/09/2020**

- Contributed features and bugfixes to the internal CRM system using PHP
- Built a database to store data efficiently using third normal form (3NF)
- Responsible for building up and enhancing existing company web homepage
- Used task collaboration software like Trello to organise and do tasks
- Provided 1st line technical support to customers, escalated issues to our external 2nd line support as required
- Diagnosing and resolving hardware, software, and end user problems, logging problems
- Striving for excellent customer service

#### **ASDA Ace Freezer Cleaner - ASDA City Facilities Distribution Ltd. | 17/07/2017 - 01/03/2018**

- Responsible for cleaning a large industrial freezer while adhering to health and safety practices
- Providing ad-hoc technical IT support
- Worked independently prioritising tasks when needed

#### EDUCATION

- A Level Computing
- A Level Electronics
- AS Level Use of Maths
- 7 GCSES (A-C) Including maths and english

#### HOBBIES EXPERIENCE

- Administrating and debugging problems with a Postfix Email Server.
- Wrote a Javascript add-on for Firefox to perform public website data entry
- Wrote a python clone of the betting game "Crazy Time"
- Performed a database migration using javascript porting MySQL database to MongoDB
- Researching and documenting solutions to programming issues and computer issues