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SUMMARY

Experienced web developer specializing the Ruby language and the Rails framework. Linux administration and VPS Setup. Photoshop and Illustrator knowledge. Agile methodologies, behavior and test driven development. Great understanding of Internet marketing and social media.

COMPUTER / DEVELOPMENT SKILLS

- Practice **Agile** software development techniques using such tools as [Pivotal Tracker](#) for project tracking and management
- **GIT** source control and work-flows to manage features and source code
- Strong desire to write well tested code via **BDD** – Behavior Driven Development and the latest tools – **Cucumber, RSpec**
- A thorough understanding of the processes and tools necessary to deploy
- A thorough understanding of **OOP**, Composition, **Mixins**, and **Ruby idioms**
- Ruby on Rails applications, using Apache/nginx, Mongrel, Capistrano, and **MySQL**
- Understanding of popular computer science concepts and patterns to build more advanced, robust systems.
- Great understanding of Rack and have developed Rack based applications for use in Ruby framework projects (Rails, Sinatra, etc)
- Familiar with the latest web languages **CSS3 / HTML5 / jQuery / Javascript**
- Know my way around **Photoshop** and **Illustrator**
- Excellent working knowledge of **AJAX**, Rails Internals, **REST architecture**
- Working knowledge of other languages and frameworks: **.NET** – Flash Action Script – **PHP - WordPress**
- Experience with **MS SQL Server**
- Great Customer interaction and communication skills mainly from working with websimcoe
- Strong Understanding of **Internet Marketing, SEO, Social Networks**
- **Linux administration**, VPS Setup, mail servers, web servers, security.

INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

- Train and teach others software and provide technical support
- Resolve conflicts of miscommunication
- Collaborative problem-solving and planning
- Resourceful team player. Excel at building trusting relationships with customers and colleagues.

- Confident and friendly when meeting and assisting people on all levels

EXPERIENCE

Rails Developer Duodater.com San Fransico CA 2011
www.duodater.com a dating application for dating with friends and groups. Working as contract lead developer and consultant.

Rails Developer & Partner, RCclubzone Toronto ON 2011 - Current
www.rcclubzone.com started out as a side project and is now on it's way to being a social network platform for Remote Control Club owners. Its features are club management, social networking, event listings, picture and video galleries and more.

Rails Developer & Partner, TheBauhub Toronto ON 2010 - Current
www.thebauhub.com Writing robust ruby code on the rails framework. BDD Testing & Agile methodologies. Consulting and architecting solutions for internals of the system. Developing Rack based applications. JQuery, CSS, and Ajax.

PHP/Rails Developer, Owner, WebSimcoe, Simcoe ON 2007-Current
Web development with various technologies including PHP, Ruby on Rails, CakePHP, Wordpress and other frameworks. Internet marketing, customer interaction, accounting and other small business related tasks. Build and maintain several websites and web applications.

Ruby on Rails Developer, Think Fat Inc. Utah USA 2006-2008 Worked on various rails projects including social networks, design, customer interaction and marketing

Ruby on Rails Developer, WattBot San-Francisco USA (tele-commute) 2007
Working on various user interface and backend features. Participating in agile team development and behavior driven development.

.NET C# Developer, Multiplied Media Barrie, Ontario Canada 2006-2007 Worked on the Poynt system for MSN Messenger. Test driven development with Scrum/Agile methods. Develop features in C#, Write and manage MS SQL Server 2005.

EDUCATION

Georgian College, Barrie, Ontario Computer Programmer Analyst

References and Project Examples Available upon request