Matt Williams

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SUMMARY

An energetic and versatile developer with five years of experience building custom software using modern web technologies. Specializes in backend development and building applications that scale, but competent across the entire stack. Excellent communicator accustomed to working remotely and collaborating with team members on agile sprints.

WORK EXPERIENCE

June 2018 – November 2018 / Remote

INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR / Avant-Garde Engineering Services

Development of a custom CRM for a client in the logistics industry. Worked with project manager to define tasks for overseas contractors.

- Led development of the CRM application
- Reviewed code and mentored overseas contractors
- Managed AWS infrastructure and automated application deployment

July 2015 – May 2018 / Grand Rapids, MI (partial remote)

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER / Rapid Development Group

Development of custom web and mobile applications for clients that range from small startups to multi-national corporations. Often communicated directly with clients to collect requirements and handle support.

- Ongoing feature development & maintenance of many different projects
- Functioned as lead developer on two of the projects:
 - \circ $\;$ Workplace safety training S.a.a.S product with ~300k MAUs
 - o Complex ecommerce platform for a direct sales/MLM business
- Brought in two new projects from a large manufacturing company. Led web development efforts, working with stakeholders around the globe.
- Automated various projects DevOps processes

January 2015 – June 2015 / Grand Haven, MI (partial remote)

INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR / Red Apron Grocery Delivery

Development of a custom ecommerce platform for a grocery delivery startup serving west Michigan in partnership with Meijer grocery stores.

- Ongoing feature development of the platform
- Made speed improvements to the search results and checkout process

Summer 2011 & Summer 2012 / Bartlett, IL

SOFTWARE INTERN / EDM Department Inc.

Development of software to modernize processes in a machine shop.

- Created dashboards, a scheduling app, and a tools & materials lookup system.
- Worked on a prototype of a S.a.a.S ERP system for machine shops

EDUCATION

August 2011 - December 2014

COMPUTER SCIENCE / Grand Valley State University

Completed 75 credits towards a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and a minor in Business.

EXPERTISE

Backend

Object Oriented PHP
Laravel Framework (4.2 - 5.6)
Drupal CMS (7 & 8)
API Design & Development
SQL & NoSQL Databases
Cache & Queue Backends
Integration & Unit Testing
NodeJS Microservices

Frontend

Modern ES6+ JavaScript React & Redux HTML5 & CSS/SASS UI/UX Design

DevOps

Linux Administration
Git Version Control
Docker & docker-compose
Jenkins & Ansible CI/CD
AWS Infrastructure

LANGUAGES

PHP JavaScript Swift Ruby Java

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Meetups Attended

GR Web Dev GR JavaScript GR Drupal (GRupal)

Conferences Attended

Beer City Code GLSEC Google I/O Extended GR