Jeff Welch

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Technology professional experienced in all aspects of planning, deploying, and maintaining large-scale systems. A diligent leader with a history of running successful projects in IT automation, web development, desktop software development, and systems administration.

Technical Skills

Operating Systems GNU/Linux, macOS

Scripting Languages PHP, JavaScript, Python, Bourne, Ruby

Programming Languages C, C++, Objective-C

Automation Tools Autotools, Ansible, Puppet, Kickstart, OpenSCAP

General Skills ► Planning, deploying, and maintaining internationalized software and systems that

support millions of users world-wide.

Designing secure, optimized, and modern systems that are backed by tried and true

standards and practices.

Combining web, desktop, and server-side technologies in unique and innovating

ways.

Open Source Experience

Personal Projects https://www.github.com/whatthejeff/

Major Contributions phpunit, phpunit-documentation, phpunit-mock-objects, php-code-coverage,

php-test-helpers, phpunit-website, comparator, exporter, php-timer, phpspec,

prophecy, phpspec2-site, google-api-php-client, Pimple

Notable Contributions php-src, hhvm, xdebug

Professional Experience

Chief Technology Officer

CoffeeCup Software, Inc., Atlanta, GA

2012 - 2017

Accomplishments:

- ► Pioneered a new line of cross-platform, responsive design software that earned millions of dollars and created a number of new partnership opportunities.
- Created a software development framework that lowered the cost of developing and maintaining software companywide.
- Grew our low-cost hosting solution to support over 100,000 sites with millions of uniques a day.
- Automated our IT infrastructure so that our entire solution could be deployed in a variety of environments using a single portable executable file.

Technologies:

- C++, Objective-C, Boost, cURL, Qt, STLSoft, wxWidgets, WebKit
- JavaScript, Node.js, Connect, Grunt, Chai, Mocha, PhantomJS, Sinon.JS, Less.js, Bootstrap, Foundation, Ink
- Fedora, Red Hat, CentOS, VirtualBox, Anaconda, Kickstart, RPM, PAM, Audit, SELinux, OpenSCAP, systemd
- Gnu Make, Puppet, Ansible, Capistrano, Zabbix, Tivoli, AutoDMG
- PHP, Symfony, Zend Framework, PHPUnit, AWS SDK, Python, PyUnit, nose, toolz, Ruby, Bourne

2007 - 2012

CoffeeCup Software, Inc., Atlanta, GA / CoffeeCup Software, S.L., Avilés, Asturias ES

Accomplishments:

- Designed and implemented a full-stack, web framework that lead to increases in performance, stability, security, and reliability.
- Restructured internal infrastructure by integrating and updating all systems in a way that improved efficiency and effectiveness company-wide.
- Worked as a force of change in the company by introducing modern techniques and standards in a variety of areas including planning, testing, version control, quality assurance, deployment, and automation.

Technologies:

- PHP, GD, Gettext, PHPUnit, Mustache, Smarty, Xdebug, and integration with a number of frameworks and APIs.
- Python, PyUnit/nose, Sphinx, virtualenv etc.
- JavaScript, jQuery, Node.js
- Red Hat, CentOS, Apache httpd, Capistrano, Bash/Python/Ruby scripting
- Subversion/Git with Trac (including authoring a number of plugins and hooks)
- MySQL, PostgreSQL, Memcached, MongoDB, SQLite

Web Developer 2005 - 2007

CoffeeCup Software, Inc., Corpus Christi, TX

Technologies:

- PHP, Smarty, PHPUnit
- ► HTML/XHTML, XML, CSS
- JavaScript with Prototype
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux and Apache
- Subversion and Trac
- MySQL

Founder, CEO 2002 - 2005

Prime Media, Corpus Christi, TX

- Founded company to fill a local need for quality website design and development.
- Managed all aspects of business administration.
- Consulted with local businesses, designed proposals, and sold web design services.
- Designed, developed, and deployed a wide range of websites and services for local businesses.
- Grew the company to be competitive with much larger local operations.

Education Experience

Texas A&M University of Corpus Christi

2003 - 2006

Major: Computer Science
Minor: Business Administration

GPA: 3.5+

Recommendations

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