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Objective:

Software development position where experience with many different technologies and a desire to learn new ones is valued.

Recent Experience, Professional:

Intel Corporation, DuPont, WA campus:

Software Engineer (January 2005 to June 2006)

- Primary duties were to extend and maintain a Visual Basic .NET program used for testing under development hardware.
- Required to communicate and work together with people of different technical backgrounds, including circuit designers and electrical engineers.
- Also wrote programs to interface with Tektronix oscilloscopes and DC power supplies (written in C), as well as various automated testing programs and scripts (written in C or Perl).
- Required to investigate hardware specifications, learn new programming libraries, and to work with less familiar programming languages – whatever it took to get the job done.

Recent Experience, Personal:

- Focus is on Linux and cross-platform development. Experience using several different cross-platform frameworks, including GTK+/GTKmm, wxWidgets and Simple DirectMedia Layer.
- Able to use a variety of development tools on Windows and Linux, such as Visual Studio .NET, gcc, gdb, make, autoconf/automake and MinGW/MSys.
- Main languages in use are C++, C, Python, PHP and Java.
- Wrote and am actively supporting “J-Ben”, a cross-platform program for studying Japanese, released as open source free software.
- Official maintainer of “GNU Typist”, an open source typing tutor program.

Education:

DeVry University, Seattle campus:

Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems

(July 2001 to June 2004)

- 400+ lab hours covering software development, network administration and database development.
- Programming languages studied include C++, Java, XHTML/JavaScript, C#, ASP.NET and Oracle PL/SQL.
- On a team of four, developed a C#/DirectX application for the Western Washington Football Official Association for training junior officials.
- On a team of four, developed a C#/ASP.NET web site for a hypothetical online merchant.

Other Work Experience:

- September 2001 to December 2004: Worked for Infotech Systems, a local computer hardware store. Primary duties were those of a sales representative. At different times I also worked as a computer system builder, test technician and acting manager.