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Objective

I am a flexible and committed developer and passionate about the applications I develop and the solutions I architect. I am an enthusiastic team player and strive to contribute best practices wherever possible.

Career Summary

- Over all 1.5 years of design, development and roll-out experience over .NET in Media Industry
- Successfully estimated, developed and implemented 5+ major projects that are used daily in Newspaper processing, archiving and monitoring
- Over all 3+ years of freelance development and project management experience
- Part of the core team responsible for decision making regarding upcoming projects using best practices and standards
- Responsible for requirement analysis and communication with on-site teams
- Having a good academic record with an International Research Publication
- Co-founder for various communities like .NET user group for INETA and former President for Software Engineering Society in School
- SEO Expert, Content Manager, Blogger for reputable blogs and magazines

Certifications

Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist

26th Nov, '10 Application Development Foundation (72-536)

21st May, 11 .NET Framework 4, Web Applications (72-515)

Skills and Interests

I have a strong track record in development and successful project delivery. This includes lots of work from its core design to general release and beyond. In recent years most of my work has been based around Microsoft Technologies mainly, .NET. I have an excellent understanding of a range of design patterns and software methodologies.

Languages	C#, XAML, XML, UML, SQL / PL SQL
Web	Microsoft ASP.NET, Silverlight, Blend + SketchFlow, PHP
Mobile	Windows Phone 7, Nokia WRT
Frameworks	Microsoft .NET, WPF, WCF, XNA
Databases	Microsoft SQL Server 2008, MySQL
Tools	Microsoft Visual Studio 2010, Microsoft Expression Studio 4

Professional Experience

May '10 – Present The DAWN Media Group, Haroon House, Dr. Ziauddin Rd. KHI.

Responsible for managing and developing the software's which are related to The DAWN Media Group. Also responsible for the design and development along with its execution by retaining a very hands-on involvement in the work.

Following are the main tasks/projects of my tenure:-

- ePaper and Tagging Tool Development
- Content Puller that brings up the newspaper on the Web
- Mobile Application Design and Development
- Customized Application Development on .NET Platform
- Moderation and Development over Wordpress
- Advertise Management using Google Ad Tools

Jun' 08 - Aug' 08 Internship – Krucial Systems, I.I. Chundrigar Rd. Karachi

I was responsible for working on web forms (ASP.NET), stored procedures (SQL Server 2005) and Crystal Reports. I worked on Export and Import module of whole ERP which was developed for a shipping company.

Other Experience

I also use my spare time to gain practical experience of various technologies that I don't have the chance to try at work. Some of the projects (desktop, web and mobile based) that I have written and hosted include:

- PingServ (a ping alert service) using WPF (Windows Presentation Foundation) and LINQ to XML. Alerts are being sent via SMS using local gateway
- SearchSpot (ATM / Restaurant finder) using Silverlight for Windows Phone based upon geo-location services
- GeekTalk (LAN/WLAN Messenger) using C# TCP Sockets with logging mechanism
- Crime Forecasting System based upon ASP.NET and Google Maps API to track down and forecast the crimes in a city based upon inferential statistics

I have also got an expertise in an area of Search Engine Optimization and currently, I'm responsible for few websites / technology blogs (like geekword.net) for their timely inclusion in search engines using best practices and de-facto standards.

Education

2009

BSE
(Bachelor of
Software
Engineering)

CGPA 3.45

Bahria University, Karachi Campus

- Final year project was Crime Forecasting System
- Research Publication at 6th International Conference SOIC 2010, Florida, USA (Best Paper of the Session award)