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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Manager - Electronics   **Target,   Poughkeepsie, NY**   **09/2016 - current**

- Implemented Targets new end-to-end electronics team process from the flow, backroom and sales floor departments.
- Hired a new dedicated electronics team of experts who are focused on selling and product knowledge.
- Developed on boarding training documents to reduce the training time from 4 to 2 weeks.
- Reviewed the current daily, weekly and monthly work routines and implemented process improvement documents to increase productivity by 25%.
- Leading the electronics and entertainment departments to drive sales and increased comp by 20% in 1st quarter 2017.
- Partnered with the asset protection team to implement new security processes to reduce merchandise shortage by 5% from prior year.

iOS Development - Instructor   **Udemy Online Learning platform,**
                                            San Francisco, CA   **02/2016 - current**

Author of a Udemy course "iOS 9 and Swift 2: Step It Up!" with over 17 hours of content in 57 countries. This course focuses on solid theoretical background, design principles, app architecture and best coding practices. This course is designed for iOS developers who want to take their knowledge to the next level.

iOS Development - Instructor   **StackCommerce, Venice, CA**   **03/2016 - 9/2016**

Six month partnership for the "iOS9 and Swift 2:Step It Up!" to be a feature course on their platform.

Principal   **MAR Software Technologies, Edison, NJ**   **02/2013 - 8/2016**

MAR Software Technologies is an website, blog and training company oriented around mentoring, empowering individuals to become an App developer within the Apple ecosystem.

 Projects
- Creator and editor of an IT Technology Blog - www.marsoftek.com
- Built the MAR Software Technologies Website using WordPress software.

Student   **Centenary College, Hackettstown, NJ**   **03/2013 – 09/2013**

Re-entered college full time to complete the last 12 credits needed for completion of the Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration.

Project Manager   **American International Group, NJ**   **05/2004 - 02/2013**

- Managed the transition from out sourcing production support to in-house employees within six months with return on Investment (ROI) of 1.5 million dollars.
- Wrote the business case and secured funding for the Next Generation Booking Service. The project had savings of 1 million dollars and $100,000 savings for every new client that used the service.
- Led and managed the team of 4 onsite and 6 offshore resources to develop the Next Generation Booking Service. Project delivered under budget with zero production issues.
- Managed changes in project scope, identified potential risks, outlined contingency plans and met with stakeholders and project management office (PMO) for performance measurement, activity and milestone status updates.
- Developed 200 page ticket resolution guide and reduced the time to close a production ticket by 15%.
- Developed code review methodology from Managers perspective reducing code defects by 10%.
- Conducted vender evaluations for field expansion analysis tools resulting in the reduction of the analysis phase with ROI of 120k.

- Developed automated tools using Access Database to identify and determine module impact and improved turnaround time from 5 days to 1 day for different variations of business requirements.
- Developed 100 page training document and hosted series of meetings with the system trainers and business partners and reduced training issues by 25%.
- Evaluated IBM tools; File Manager, Debug, Fault analyzer and made recommendation in replacing existing software resulting in $700,000 savings.

| **Project Manager** | **Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Bridgewater, NJ** | Employee - **05/1999 - 02/2003** |
| | | Consultant - **06/1996 - 05/1999** |

- Conducted in-depth analysis to facilitate the combining of two data warehouses resulting in $750,000 annual savings.
- Developed and executed innovative Employee Educational Program reducing training costs by 35%.
- Conducted new technology investigations and evaluations and made recommendations to management regarding Database performance and monitoring tools.
- Led several cross-functional teams to extract, transform and load data into the data warehouse.

| **IT Systems Consultant** | **Merck, Whitehouse, NJ** | **11/1993 - 06/1996** |

- Led the analysis, programming and implementation of a Stock Option Administration Planning System for employee stock options.
- Extensive interaction with clients to develop payroll tax rules required for transmission to the brokerage firm.
- Developed COBOL II / DB2 programs to send and receive information from the brokerage firm.
- Developed JCL and PROCS, turnover documentation and controlled program migrations.
- Participated in the analysis, programming and implementation of a Human Resource World Wide Employee Data Warehouse.

| **IT Systems Consultant** | **Johnson & Johnson, NJ** | **06/1990 - 11/1993** |

- Led and managed the design and implementation of a CICS/DB2 promotion payment system.
- Participated in the detail design review meetings with the programmers, DBA's and architecture teams.

| **Senior Programmer Analyst** | **Merrill Lynch, Somerset, NJ** | **05/1989 - 06/1990** |

- Lead and managed the implementation of a on-line CICS / DB2 check system.
- Designed and implemented a Audit Trail System.

| **Programmer Analyst** | **Revlon, Edison, NJ** | **06/1984 - 05/1989** |

- Developed application using BARR/HASP Terminal emulator boards from BARR systems to simulate CICS data entry on a personal computer. This application was the first PC application to run in the production environment for the company.

EDUCATION

Centenary College, Hackettstown, NJ
(BS), Business Administration, Management
Degree date: 2013 - Summa Cum Laude (3.851)

Middlesex County College, Edison, NJ
AAS Degree, Computer And Information Systems
Degree date: 1984

CERTIFICATIONS

- International Institute for Learning – Project Management Fundamentals (7/2010), Advanced Project Management Workshop (8/2010), Advanced Project Risk Management (9/2010)
- iOS Application Development – Boot Camp New York City (07/2013).