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Key Strengths

- Eleven years experience in Web Application Industry as a developer.
- Drupal Developer since 2009.
- Fifteen years working in the IT sector.
- Proficient with PHP, Apache, SQL, HTML, CSS, SCSS and Javascript.
- Experience with Drupal 6 & 7 Development
- Linux user with plenty of installation, configuration and application experience.
- Skilled presenter and trainer about Drupal Development & Drupal Site Usage.

Education

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, May 2004

University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia

Experience

Technocrat – February 2012 – December 2012

Drupal developer, Trainer, Occasional Project Manager

- Part of the team that migrated IAG Direct Insurance Brand websites (NRMA, SGIO, SGIC, RACQ) to Drupal. e.g. <http://www.nrma.com.au/>
- Extensive use of Git, Drupal 7, Sass, Pivotal Tracker, Agile Software Development.
- Drupal module development, exporting work as Features for cross machine deployments.
- SEO and tracking integration into Drupal with iJento.
- Trained new staff about Drupal Development and how to use the tools we'd chosen.
- Created technical documentation for our team and to present to the clients.
- Gave training and presentations: Drupal Site Building, Development, Content Editing.
- Lead a team of developers and designers to build a first version of the new Drupal based Wilderness Society website. <http://www.wilderness.org.au/>
- Part of the team to build and deploy <http://www.technocrat.com.au/> in 48 hours.

Ginger Robot Web Development - November 2009 – Present

Drupal & PHP Consultant

Thurgoona & Baranduda, VIC, Australia

- Working with a range of clients from around Australia providing them with PHP based solutions e.g. Custom WordPress plugins, Simple invoices templates, Drupal installations with unique themes and requirements.
- Giving training and presentations online & in the local community about Drupal.

Latest portfolio is at <http://gingerrobot.com/portfolio>

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CrossFunctional – November 2010 – May 2011

Drupal Developer

- Drupal Module Development for a range of clients as part of a small team.
- Upgrading web sites from Drupal 6 to Drupal 7.
- Added social media content to websites via APIs.
- Integration of Drupal with other PHP software.
- Part of the team that quickly built a Drupal 7 Queensland Floods response website:
<http://crossfunctional.net/portfolio/queensland-floods>

Web Reservations International - May 2008 – November 2009

Senior PHP Developer

Dublin, Ireland

- Custom PHP development for their internal and external websites:
<http://www.hostels.com/> & <http://www.hostelworld.com/>
- Code for paying with Pay Pal and Credit cards
- Converting web suites from PHP4 to PHP5
- Google map integration & Implementing SEO improvements
- Working closely with the in house designers to update the look of each site regularly.
- Working with marketing to release competition, blogging systems, social networking and other features.
- Working with the business side to create financial reporting and business modeling tools.
- Working with sales people to continually improve the intranet system used to run the business.

Self Employed - September 2007 – May 2008

PHP & Python Consultant

Dublin, Ireland

- Custom Plone website for All Strata Services <http://www.allstrataservices.com.au/>
- Wordpress plugins and wordpress theme integration

Fluendo & Flumotion - December 2004 – September 2007

PHP Developer

Barcelona, Spain

- Maintaining the company websites and internal web applications.
- Custom development work on existing open source projects. Examples: Cacti, OSCommerce, Wordpress.
- Experience with Subversion, Trac and wiki based documentation.
- Integrating streaming and on-demand audio and video into websites
- Interfacing separate applications to appear as one using web services.
- Outputting reports as emails or in PDF, CSV or XML format.
- Creating graphs and statistics using Macromedia Flex

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Electronic Group, April 2004 – December 2004

PHP Developer

From Australia then in Barcelona, Spain

- Created a large custom web application that took XML and presented terabytes of data to users with an easy to navigate interface.
- Integrating multiple payment methods for product purchase.
- Creating and securing members only areas
- Presenting information in many formats and styles with a templating system.
- Added a reseller back end to allow customisation and branding of the application.

SIPTel, IMAN Insurance - February 2003 – April 2004

IT Manager

Crows Nest, Australia

Management of a small team of people including a web designer, system administrators, programmers and marketing staff. Web development in PHP including a "Move to Australia" portal, insurance claims and tax time reporting. Database Design. Linux systems administration. User support. Customer account management.

University of NSW Randwick - April 2000 - January 2002

Systems and technical support

Sydney Australia

Assisted staff and students with Linux, programming, Internet and software questions.

AFG(Australian Fashion) - October 1999 - April 2000

Network Administrator

Alexandria, Sydney Australia

Systems & network administration, Hardware support, Setting up Backup systems.

Systems Support, January 1999 - October 1999

UTS, Ultimo, Sydney, Australia

Supported the student labs and staff computers throughout campus as part of a team.

Activities

- Presented at Drupal Down Under 2011 - Adding live data sources to your content
- Presented at Linux Conference Australia 2011 – PiTiVi Video Editing
- Attended Linux Conference Australia 2001, 2003, 2004, 2010, 2011, 2012
- Attended Drupal Down Under 2011 & 2012.
- Presented & helped organise OSSBarcamp in Dublin 2009 – Git for beginners
- Attended GUADEC, Gnome developers conference, Europe 2006 , 2007, 2008, 2009
- Volunteer, Rotary Conference Web Developer, Australia 2005-2007
- Committee, Sydney Linux Users Group, 2003-2004, A member from 2001.
- President, UNSW Computing Society, 2002-2003, Member from 1999.
- Coordinator, Young Women's Engineering Workshop 2002, 2003
- Coordinator, High School Programming Competition, 2002