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Introduction

Since February of 2014 I have been working as a contractor for an app development company, using the JavaScript framework Sencha ExtJS, combined with HTML5 and CSS3 with SASS, Grunt and NodeJS. I have over 16 years of Internet development experience in PHP, MySQL, Linux, Apache, HTML, CSS and JavaScript, including banking and stock control integration, Facebook and other social integrations, responsive design, retina display, mobile development and bootstrap. Git and SVN version control advocate. Agile project management, team leading and client engagement experience. Regularly use tools such as Jira, Confluence, Basecamp, Slack, GitHub and Bitbucket.

Experience

In July of 2012 I set up my own company **Gorman Creative LTD** where I have been working as an **Internet Developer, Consultant and Internet Application Architect**, using my years of experience to deliver solutions for various clients including the ones listed below.

Senior Developer (Contractor) – Swarm Online Feb 2014 - present

Working as a senior developer building a JavaScript desktop app.

Sencha Ext JS, JavaScript, CSS3, SASS, HTML5, Siesta Unit Testing, Grunt, Node.JS, Git, Jira

Senior Consultant (Contractor)– DrPete Inc Nov 2013, Jan 2014

Two, two week placements in Manila, Philippines consulting for the gaming industry.

Team Review, Agile Process Review, Security Consultation, Web Technology Advice, Versioning

Architect/Senior Web Developer (Contractor) – Tag Digital Ltd Jan 2014 - Feb 2014

Architecting and developing a B to B and B to C e-commerce website.

Linux, Apache, MySQL InnoDB Relational Database, PHP, CSS3, HTML5, Bootstrap, JQuery

Architect/Senior Web Developer (Contractor) – DrPete Inc Jan 2013 - Aug 2013

Architecting and developing a fantasy sports game with a team in Israel.

Linux, Apache, MySQL InnoDB, PHP, JQuery, SOAP, Cron Scripts, Amazon Servers

Architect/Senior Web Developer (Contractor) – mefromthetart Ltd Jul 2012 - Jan 2013

Architecting and developing a social website, App API and client/team management.

Linux, Apache, MySQL, PHP, JQuery, CSS3, HTML5, Facebook API, Mobile Site, JSON API, Git

Prior to July 2012, I have 13 years of experience working with digital companies.

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| <p>Technical Director – Matador Creative Ltd</p> <p>Leading a team of designer and developers to build websites and apps for clients. Linux, Apache, MySQL, PHP, JQuery, JavaScript, CSS3, HTML5, Facebook API, Social Integration, Amazon Servers, Git Version Control</p> | Jun 2011 - Jul 2012 |
| <p>Principal Shareholder / Head of Systems Programming – DriveBusiness Ltd</p> <p>Architecting and managing a team of programmers to develop high street retail websites. Linux, Apache, MySQL, PHP, JQuery, JavaScript, CSS, HTML, SVN, Jira, Payment Integrations, Stock Control Integration, Agile Project Management, Team Management, Client Management</p> | Jun 2005 - Jun 2011 |
| <p>Tech Head – Graphic Partners</p> <p>Technical lead on delivering websites to their clients. Linux, Apache, MySQL, PHP, CSS, HTML, ASP, SQL Server, JavaScript, DHTML</p> | Jan 2001 - May 2005 |
| <p>Team Leader – Reality Group</p> <p>Technical lead on delivering some of the first e-commerce sites to the UK. Linux, Apache, MySQL, Oracle, PHP, CSS, HTML, JavaScript, Payment Integrations, Stock Control Integration</p> | Mar 1999 - Jan 2001 |

Education

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| <p>MSc IT– University of Glasgow</p> <p>MSc in Information Technology, Software and Systems, Java Focused Course.</p> | 1998 - 2000 |
| <p>BA (Hons) – Glasgow School of Art</p> <p>Design degree, focused on Ceramic and Sculpture.</p> | 1993 - 1996 |
| <p>Bates College, Lewiston, Maine, USA</p> <p>Liberal Arts, Focused on Mathematics, Physics, Computer Science and Art.</p> | 1991 - 1993 |
| <p>High School (IB Program) – American International School, Vienna, Austria</p> <p>American High School Diploma and International Baccalaureate Courses.</p> | 1986 - 1991 |

Training

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| <p>University of Strathclyde</p> <p>Java for Programmers</p> | 2004 |
| <p>Buchanan International</p> <p>Oracle Training</p> | 2000 |
| <p>University of Paisley</p> <p>Visual Basic, Delphi, Software Development Theory</p> | 1998 |

Interests and Hobbies

Competitive Swimmer (National and International)

Triathlons

Scuba PADI Certified

Open Water Swimming

Alpine Skiing

Cycling

Links

Personal

LinkedIn

Instagram

Twitter

Facebook

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<https://twitter.com/ccgorman>

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