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Education

Master of Business Administration with Values-Based Leadership Concentration, University of Denver

MS in Finance, University of Denver

- Degrees Conferred March 14, 2008; GPA 3.85
- Extensive coursework involving equity valuation and financial derivatives. Member of Marsico Investment Fund Team.

BS in Computer Science, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

- Degree conferred June 6, 2000; G.P.A. 3.6; 4 Dean's Lists and 1 Presidents Lists
- Extensive Coursework involving Computer Engineering, Operating System Design, and GUI Design

Linux History

Lead contributor and administrator to the Linux Ethernet hot-standby code found at:

www.sourceforge.net/projects/bonding.

- Contributed the Ethernet MII link monitoring patch to Linux bonding, which allows link failures to be detected and reported within approximately 100 milliseconds (user configurable).
- Reviewed and integrated bonding contributions made by IBM, Motorola, Oracle, SAIC, Sandia, Red Hat, and Montavista
- Worked with Linux network maintainers such as Alan Cox and David Miller to gain acceptance of bonding code changes into the Linux kernel

Along with Steve Mead, Brian Kurotsuchi, and Dan Hiltgen, formed the Cal Poly Linux User's Group (LUG) in 1998.

Work History

Red Hat Solutions Architect (January 2008 - Present)

- Chief Technical Advisor for large accounts such as: Bloomberg, McGraw-Hill, Standard & Poors, Dow Jones, Dun & Bradstreet, Kodak, Scholastic, CA, Estee Lauder, Quest Diagnostics, and Alliance-Bernstein.
- Assist customers in designing proofs-of-concept with Red Hat products for competitive analysis

Hewlett-Packard Software Architect (July 2000 – January 2008)

- Responsible for the design, implementation, and release of a Linux-based Operating System customized for a hardened telephony environment
- Founding technical member and first Technical Leadership Co-Chair of the OpenSAF Foundation
- Co-Creator of the Service Availability Forum Security Specification
- Technical lead for the MC/Serviceguard Security Task Force. Co-authored the product's Security Analysis Investigation Report. Authored the MC/Serviceguard Security Enhancement Design Document and source code implementation

Terran Interactive Software Engineer (June 1998 – June 2000)

- C/C++ Implementation of image processing algorithms for use in the Media Cleaner Pro Software Suite.

Personal

- Musician in local jazz bands, symphonies, and theatre groups
- Enjoy being in the outdoors, primarily hiking, kayaking, and sailing