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Summary Seasoned engineer with over 35 years of experience in software

development (25+ years on MVS mainframe), quality assurance,

software support, and corporate training. An avid learner with

substantial technical and interpersonal skills who embraces new

software products and tools in an ever-changing computing landscape.

Skills & Abilities ? Comfortable with the agile development process.

? Experienced with MVS mainframe, z/OS, JES3, JCL, Unix/Linux, and

Windows operating systems.

? MVS mainframe tools and utilities to analyze SYSTEM 2000 DBMS

problems (dumps, program abends, file analysis, etc?)

? Familiar with Control/M scheduler, ISPF, TSO, IDCAMS, Clists (some

REXX), SORT, SMP/E restore utilities, CICS programming and

debugging, TCP/IP and Putty communications, and z/OS

functionality.

? Familiar with SQL databases on MVS mainframe include DB2, Oracle

and SAS, and on Linux include Postgress, DB2, and Oracle. Familiar

with various IDE?s like Eclipse.

? Working knowledge of SAS Programming, SAS Macro, Java, C/C++,

IBM MVS assembler, COBOL, Fortran, Javascript, and HTML.

? Experience in various technologies such as Jenkins, Postman, Apache

Tomcat, and AWS and Azure cloud platforms.

? Written documentation for DBMS and other products.

Experience Senior Testing Engineer 04/2014- 08/2023

SAS Institute Inc. Austin, TX

? Leveraged previous MVS mainframe experience to QA test MVS

mainframe version of SAS fraud management products.

? Quality Assurance engineer for the Linux SAS fraud management

product.

? Testing features such as transaction changes, risk score testing, and

fraud detection via REST API and web app testing.

? Responsible for writing test cases based on analyzing development

changes and coordinating with the development team.

? Execute manual test cases and automated tests via Selenium with

Scenario Designer.

? Initially responsible for mainframe testing, moved to Linux testing,

and currently testing the cloud product.

? Continued to be responsible for product support for all MVS

mainframe SYSTEM 2000 customers.

Principal Technical Support Analyst 02/2012? 03/2014

SAS Institute Inc. Austin, TX

? Architect for MVS mainframe SYSTEM 2000 product.

? Provided support to all SYSTEM 2000 customers from

troubleshooting to fix creation to testing to deployment.

? Designed and taught DBMS courses in database design, tuning, and

report writing.

Senior Technical Support Analyst 03/1990? 01/2012

SAS Institute Inc. Austin, TX

? Solved customer database problems by analyzing MVS mainframe

system abends, program abends, dumps, server problems, and

customer interfacing programs and used a variety of MVS mainframe

utilities.

? Wrote SAS programs and utilized SAS/IntrNet programs to generate

custom reports and designed prototype internet products on MVS

mainframe.

? Responsible for database design, implementation, and performance

tuning on MVS mainframe for SYSTEM 2000 DBMS software.

? Maintained department and product websites.

Sales Representative, NeoVisuals 11/1988? 02/1990

SAS Institute Inc. Austin, TX

? Used communication and technical skills to sell 3D graphics and

animation software from newly acquired company by SAS Institute.

? Rapidly mastered technical aspects of the new product,

functionality, and terminology to sell software more effectively.

? Developed and gave sales presentations for user group meetings,

sales meetings, and conferences.

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Technical Support Analyst 10/1984? 10/1988

SAS Institute Inc. Austin, TX

? Support of MVS mainframe Multi-User DBMS installation, DB design,

tuning, reporting, implementation, and troubleshooting customer

applications, program abends, and operating system abends.

? Required MVS mainframe understanding and diagnostic utilities

? Supported DB access with SQL-like language and DB program access

with Assembler, COBOL, Fortran & PL/I languages.

Education B.A. Computer Science

University of Texas - Austin, TX

A.A. Data Processing

City Colleges of Chicago - Heidelberg, Germany

A.A. Business Management

University of Maryland - Heidelberg, Germany

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