

CHRISTOPHER PETERSON

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Professional Java developer with over 5 years of experience developing large-scale enterprise applications. My main area of expertise is designing and developing RESTful webservices.

Programming languages include: Java, J2EE, Python, SQL, JSON, and XML, as well as limited JavaScript and HTML5/CSS. Extensive knowledge of enterprise point-of-sale systems.

Experience in the Spring Framework Ecosystem, including Spring MVC, Spring Core, Spring Boot, and Spring RESTful Web Services.

Excellent working knowledge of J2EE technologies and object-oriented concepts and design patterns.

Experienced in full life cycle application development from requirements gathering, design, development, testing, implementation, and production support.

Played a key role in developing and leading efforts for many systems critical services. Services include those used for payment processing, inventory management, credit worthiness checks, and shipping/ fulfillment.

Project efforts include consumer point-of-sale, B2B SCM, B2B point-of-sale, and payment-processing API development and design. Most recently I have led projects for Verizon's IOT, M2M, and B2B webservices platforms.

Over 6 years of sales and management experience that compliments my technical skills. Very talented at stepping out of the engineer's shoes and taking a stakeholder or customer's perspective to find the best solutions.

EXPERIENCE

NOV 2, 2017 – JUN 28, 2019

MEMBER OF TECHNICAL STAFF III: SYSTEMS ENGINEER DEV LEAD, VERIZON WIRELESS

Led a team of developers through completion of multiple large-scale projects.

Built systems critical rest APIs using Java and Spring MVC.

Designed, developed, and supported IOT, M2M, and B2B platform APIs. The production traffic for these APIs often exceeds 3 million transactions per month.

Played a role in 5G development efforts as a webservice integration platform developer.

Recently began efforts to migrate legacy services to a new domain-driven microservices stack.

Supported various client and business partners in story grooming, requirement discussion, and LOE estimations.

Clearly documented API design and development specs with a high level of detail.

Used leadership and software development skills on a daily basis to deliver high quality code, succeeding in projects completed on time and with business partner satisfaction.

Participated in all aspects of the Agile SDLC process.

JAN 21, 2016 – NOV 01, 2017

MEMBER OF TECHNICAL STAFF II: SYSTEMS ENGINEER, VERIZON WIRELESS

Aided in the development and implementation of enterprise point-of-sale systems.
Built systems critical rest APIs using Java and Spring MVC.

Developed and supported the Verizon middleware webservices platform used by major national retailers (Best Buy, Wal-Mart, Costco, Target, etc.).

Completed multiple efforts for the national retail business partners that directly influenced their sales. These efforts included building new APIs so they could provide features such as *Verizon Edge*, *Apple Numbershare (connected watch)*, and *Early Upgrade Options*.

Completed multiple revenue-generating projects for the internal point-of-sale applications. These projects include APIs to support *In-Store Pickup*, *Same-Day Delivery*, and *Ship from Store* options.

Participated in all aspects of the Agile SDLC process.

JAN 6, 2014 – JAN 20, 2016

MEMBER OF TECHNICAL STAFF I: SYSTEMS ENGINEER, VERIZON WIRELESS

Played a significant role in migrating legacy Java webservices out of a monolith application into a newer, leaner, more efficient codebase.

Was awarded a "Certificate of Recognition" during my first year with the webservices development team.

Quickly adapted to the professional development environment and began making an impact.

Participated in both Agile and waterfall SDLC processes while working on various projects.

JAN 24, 2011 – JAN 05, 2014

WIRELESS SALES CONSULTANT AND KEYHOLDER, VERIZON WIRELESS

Actively sold Verizon product and services.

Met and exceeded sales quotas on a regular basis.

Quickly promoted to a store keyholder and performed opening and closing duties.

Worked in multiple stores in the Atlanta area.

Filled in as interim Assistant Manager for 3 months before moving over to IT.

JAN 28, 2006 – DEC 31, 2010

GENERAL MANAGER, OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE

As the general manager I was responsible for all restaurant operations. I actively participated in hiring, scheduling, ordering supplies, and financial operations.

EDUCATION

JANUARY 2014

MASTER OF SCIENCE: COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS, BOSTON UNIVERSITY

During my time in the Boston University program, I worked to develop my skill in various modern programming languages, software development methodologies, and project management techniques. The knowledge I gained from this program allowed me to transition and excel in an enterprise development environment.

DECEMBER 2008

BACHELOR OF ARTS: ELECTRONIC MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS, BERRY COLLEGE

At Berry College I took part in television, radio, and internet broadcasting. I gained understanding and mastery of all levels of media production, design, and distribution. I was able to work with other students to produce television episodes and short films. While I did participate in production tasks across the board, my main areas of focus were Director of Photography and Editor.

SKILLS

- Java Enterprise J2EE Development
- JUnit
- RESTful Webservices
- Microservices Architecture
- Spring Framework, Spring Boot
- JPA
- Gradle
- Maven
- Python
- Javascript, Node.js, React
- AWS
- Ivy
- GIT
- SoapUI
- Oracle SQL, MariaDB, MySQL
- Python
- HTML5 and CSS
- XML & XSD
- WSDL
- Hibernate
- JSON
- Agile Methodologies
- Java Unit Testing
- Eclipse, IntelliJ, Android Studio, Atom
- Weblogic
- UNIX, Linux, Windows, MacOS
- IBM Accurev
- Postman

GOALS

Achieve a software engineering position with a technology-focused company that values their teams and encourages learning and professional development, where I can continue to develop my skills and use them to create powerful software solutions.