

PETER SIGMUND SYSKO

RESUMÉ, CURRICULUM VITAE (CV) & REFERENCES

Creative Artist Multimedia Designer Web Developer Entrepreneur

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Professional Objective: to obtain and carry out meaningful employment or work contracts utilizing my skills & abilities, and to add value to the systems and companies to which I can help design, develop, optimize and deploy effectively.

FORMAL EDUCATION

- (2008 - current) Senior at Point Park University, Saturdays only Full-Time Accelerated Program for Adults Information Technology & Business Management Bachelors of Science Degree; (Graduating Spring 2011)
- (1995 - 1999) 65 credits at Penn State University, University Park Campus (State College, PA) Diverse set of classes from Philosophy, Electronic Music, Engineering Physics, Art & Natural Sciences.
- (1991 - 1995) CAS Academics - High School Diploma at Taylor Allderdice High School, Pittsburgh, PA.

COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE & TECHNICAL ABILITIES

- Web Application Development for Linux, Apache, PHP and MySQL & PostgreSQL (LAMP) Server Environments
- Object Oriented Programming (Pro-Level Java, Expert PHP 5, Basic ANSI C) Programming Skills and Abilities
- Superior Image / Web Graphic and Logo Design Skills and Image Production Knowledge (Photoshop, Illustrator)
- Expert level audio production (waveform synthesis, MIDI sequencing, sound sculpting, recording & audio mastering,
- Adobe Flash MX/CS4 actionscript 2.0/3.0 and Adobe AIR Flex Framework Production IDEs, Skillsets & Experience (Animations, Interfaces, Presentations, Movies, Banners, Buttons & Behaviors, Timeline Control & Flash Publishing)
- Cascading Stylesheets (CSS) Design Skills and Knowledge; Can balance technical styles with aesthetic creativity well
- Relational Database Management System Knowledge and Experience (MySQL, PostgreSQL)
- Comprehensive XHTML 1.0/HTML/DHTML Knowledge, Strict and 4.01 Transitional
- Knowledge of Web Browsing Standards Limitations & Best Practices for Cross-Platform presentation deployment
- AJAX, Javascript and DOM (Document Object Modelling) Experience (Validators, Event-handling, Tag-swapping)
- Knowledge and experience with strategies for web-domain presence and traffic optimization (SEO/SEM/UPO) (meta-indexing, cross-pollination, adWords, xml site-mapping, RDF & Semantic web, geolocation page-mapping)
- Creative Marketing and Advertising Talents (slogans, name-design, branding, banner creation, email campaigns)
- Experience with cPanel 11 website administration, including advanced cronjobs & crontabs for LAMP servers
- Experience with installing, modifying open source publication and php application development frameworks Drupal, Wordpress, Joomla, osCommerce, ZenCart, ZendFramework, CodeIgniter, Sapphire, vBulletin, SMF,
- Mature Coding Practices: OOP, RESTful Architecture, Object-Relational Modelling (ORM), Design Patterns & UML
- Open to learning and building upon programming alternatives such as Python, Objective C, RubyOnRails, Scala/Lift,

CRITICAL OFFICE & BUSINESS SKILLS

- 60+ WPM Keyboard Typing, Word Processing, Excel Spreadsheets, PowerPoint Presentations, Standard Office Essentials
- Effective Group & Individual Communication, Time Management, Concentration, Team Decision & Task Delegation Skills

IT CLIENT WORK

(Contractual Agreements)

October 2010

*Josh Berkowitz, repeat client,
Graphic Design and Wordpress Customization
www.jbsfinancial.org*

June 2010-recent

*Compass North Development Group, Chicago
Business strategy & IT Development Consultation Sessions with
Lucas Hixson, marketing consultant and expert business analyst.
compassnorthchicago.com/*

January 2010 through February 2010

Steven Nemeth, client, Green Pavement Solutions, LLC

HTML/CSS/PHP/AJAX Website Publication
with trifold brochure, logo and business cards
www.greenpavementsolutions.com

October 2009

Rick Edwards, Custom Patio Rooms, Inc.

HTML/CSS Layout & Website Design
custompatiorooms.com

May 2009 through August 2009

Oh Yeah! Ice Cream & Coffee Co.

Position: Lead Developer/Consultant, subcontractor also to Randy Chambers.
MediaWiki + Wordpress + Zencart installation with custom synchronization
scripting.Flash/Graphic Design + MySQL Database Development consultations
for a flavor combination search engine and mobile phone menu ordering wizard.
Ethan Clay @ customswirl.com Flavor Engine Application @ flavorbot.com

March 2009 through July 2009

David Fink, client, SupremeSports.us

HTML/Image/CSS/PHP/Flash/Print Ad Design & Production
amateur flexible league management website application system co-conceptualization,
initial database system design, batch customer scheduling into divisions. Flex-league
players were to have user-profiles, use score reporting and on-site private messaging.

June 2008 through August 2008

Travmar Destination Directories, Inc.

MeetingSource.Com Conference, Meeting and Event Facilities Directory
Search Engine Optimization Writing (SEO) ASP & HTML Remodelling.
under the direction of John Horchner, owner. *Friendship, PA*

December 2007 through March 2008

Construction Tool Service, Inc. & Azusa Companies

ERP/IT Consulting/Database and PHP System Design
Developed Custom PHP/LAMP E-Commerce Solution
integrating Quickbooks Pro Software, migrating an existing
ERP Product Database with proprietary SQL (Activant /Prophet 21) to
a MySQL product database. Project was aborted due to lack of board approval.

March 2008 through July 2008

Shenoa Diamonds, Inc.

Website-redesign/Flash work/SEO/SEM/Internet Identity Management
for www.shenoa.com, a new york based diamond retailer. Work was done
remotely from Pittsburgh, PA.

February 2008

Dana Delegatti, client, www.findthehumor.tv

HTML, CSS, Flash & Image Production Work

December 2007 through January 2008

David Brand, client www.queenshoshannah.com & yourworldandmine.com

custom Wordpress solution + vBulletin Forum installation for David Brand,
Graphic/Flash Design/custom PHP scripting add-ons.

December 2006 through February 2007

Love Street Living Foods, client www.lovestreetlivingfoods.com

Installation & Custom Modification of osCommerce open-source software,
including flash navigation, CSS style customization for a local organic/raw food supplier.

SELF-DRIVEN TECHNOLOGY & BUSINESS PROJECTS

(Entrepreneurial Information Technology Efforts) (Past, Present & Future)

October 2010-recent

FutureMail.cc @ <http://futuremail.cc>

a PHP Web Application, PostgreSQL DBMS and Cron Job Interface that email composition & email schedule management web GUI for a simple free service that allows anyone to send email to anyone anytime into the future.

September 2010-recent

ThumbTex™ Handy Phone Accessories

Patent application composition & product design for a smartphone accessory to be marketed for winter months and fast texters which will improve quality of life. As a product invention, I am looking to sell the patent for out-sourced manufacturing. <http://thumbttx.com> *coming soon*

May 2010-recent

Evarware Metasystems, Inc. Automenta.com & Netention

System Design & Business Intelligence Consultations with Seth Horne, President and VP Sean Kutty working on a vector-graphic universal code reader solution involving four channels of revenue for Matrix QR webcam trigger services: ucodem.com, encodem.com, imcoded.com and ucms.us. Submitted patent application and working on integration for a universal QR code reader and generator using Flex(AI).

February-April 2010

ECS.TC, LLC ECS.TC

entrepreneurial endeavor with Philippine based programming team project failed due to communication and banking issues.

2006-ongoing/current

U4EA Networks, Inc.

U4EA.NET, U4EA.US, U4EA.ORG

Position: Founder/CEO, Lead Developer

Duties: co-develop advanced social and e-commerce application involving 80 module packages 10 module systems of 80 modules. Under gradual spare-time development with coding partners. MonkeyPanel™ e-Business Control Panel has thousands of task pages and 10 Database Schemas Skillssets: (XHTML/PHP/Javascript/MySQL/PostgreSQL/CSS/Flash/),

2005-2007

Dubxpress, Inc. formerly @ www.dubxpress.com

Position: Founder/President

Duties: Web/Graphic Designer, & PHP/MySQL Developer

A business venture for independent musicians. Learned much of my knowledge of LAMP stack development through developing this website, though it was determined that it could not properly produce revenue without hundreds of thousands of dollars of CD replication, duplication & printing technology. Project eventually aborted with the promises of MonkeyBusiness™ Network (above). THIS IS WHERE MUSIC GETS DONE™

2004-2007

Zhen Recordings, LLC, formerly @ zhenmusic.com

Position: Independent Music Label's Owner

Duties: Web Designer, Music Producer, Flash Design, CD Art & Graphic Design

Discography: 2004 Faded, 2005 Music2changeURdna2, RA NRG & Soundation

2006 Organic Robotics & Divine Liberation 2007 Eternal Breaks and LIGHTFORCE

2008 Welcome to the Dawn by "EMMANUEL" (myself)

2000-2002

the Artist formerly known as *Dj Blue* Position: Independent Vinyl Dj & Electronic Music Producer

1998-2000

Meteorhead Quality Recordings

Position: Independent Music Producer & Label Owner

Duties: Promote & Sell 1000 CDs of original music.

Discography: 1998 Jupiter's Dream by *Diocletian*

OTHER EMPLOYMENT HISTORY (Pre-Information Technology Career Job)

Summer 1997, December 1999-April 2001 *Kiva Han Cafe, Ed's Beans, Inc.*
position: barista, assistant manager

Summer 1999 *Penn State University Libraries*
position: data entry clerk

Summer of 1996 *The Gateway Clipper Fleet*
position: Clipper Fleet waitstaff

Summer of 1995 *Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh*
position: data-entry clerk

Summer 1994 *Gullifty's Restuarant*
position: busperson

1993-1994 *Brueggers Bagel Bakery*
position: counter-help (customer service)

1989-1992 *The Pittsburgh Press*
position: newspaper delivery boy

Web Portfolio, Flash Portfolio, Graphic Design Portfolio, etc.

I no longer provide an online web development site & production portolio for a number of reasons. I have always felt that its better to prove my performance, talents & abilities by interfacing interpersonally with potential clients and employers with a dynamic action & requirements gathering feedback, rather than generate an overwhelming slideshow of "some of my best work".

How I like to Gain Clients, Employers or Consultation Contracts:

Consider my skills, Give me a quick job, and analyze my efforts.

I will deliver something that may impress you, or something that may not.

You can then decide if I am fit for the IT human resource needs you presently have.

Please ask for a specific skillset to be demonstrated via digital samples of previous work and/or provide a brief description of a design problem/quick project and I would be happy to show you my creative performance on the spot.

Organizational Involvement

- Volunteer and Member of the East-End Food Co-operative since 2005
- President of the Taylor Allderdice Marching Band, 1995.
- President and Founder of the Electronic Music Activity Board (PSU, 1996-1998)
- Member of the Pittsburgh and Penn State Chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)
- Sports and Recreation: Soccer, Tennis, and Rowing, Yoga
- Various event promotion alliances for electronic music promotion
- Meetup.com groups: Pittsburgh Web Design, Pittsburgh Yoga, Pittsburgh Raw Food

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

Randy Chambers - freelance web designer
someguyinatie@gmail.com | 412-360-8184 or 412-799-3284

Lucas Whitefield Hixson - IT/business consultant
Compass North Development Group, Chicago
lukehixson@gmail.com | 517-926-3556

Seth Horne - programmer/system designer
Evariware Metasystems, Automenta.com, Netention.org
seh999@gmail.com | 412-401-7445

Sean Kutty - VP, Evariware Metasystems,
Universal Code Management Services Project Director
sean.kutty@evariware.com | 412-357-0892 or 412-482-2762

David Brand - bcustom blogsite client
<http://queenshoshannah.com> | 412-224-2078

Nicholas Zographos - PHP Developer / former subcontractor
<http://nezen.net> | 412-421-9799 | nicholas@nezen.net

PERSONAL REFERENCES

Dana Begley - years known: 6
best friend, former roommate, yoga instructor
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Michael Murton - years known: 27
friend, former roommate & IT colleague
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