



Michael Garvin

CEO Prometheus Predicated Coding Inc.

30+ Years in large scale reverse engineering, marketing technology, discrete event simulation, database design and administration, compilers, distributed computing, graphics, web applications, GUI design, UNIX/Linux administration, scrum teaming and mastering, large scale C++ application development, content management systems, Kubernetes/Docker, GCP Networking and enterprise architecture.

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SKILLS

- JIRA Plugins
- Pub/Sub
- CloudRun
- BigQuery
- OAuth
- Postgres
- SQLite
- Oracle
- Mongo
- OOA/OOD
- SOLID Patterns
- Enterprise Patterns
- SimScript
- Angular
- TS
- JS
- C++
- Python
- SQL
- Linux Scripting
- WordPress
- OctoberCMS
- Payment Gateways
- Java
- AWS
- GCP
- Git
- Kubernetes
- Docker
- Helm

WORK EXPERIENCE

Rail Network 3D Panorama Inspection IronRoad

06/2022 - 10/2022

Ottawa, Canada

Consulting engineering company specializing in the simulation.

Achievements/Tasks

- Reverse engineered legacy application for "walking" the rail network via 3D panoramas.
- Architected/implemented ground up multi-user Angular application with Google SSO integration.
- Optimized GCP cluster, CDN and buckets for cost savings, security and performance.
- Implemented geography based schema in PostgreSQL, leveraging PostGIS.
- Integrated with BigQuery for modular hand off of raw panorama data (millions of images)

SmartNetwork Cloud Architect CN Transportation Services

01/2020 - 12/2022

Edmonton, Canada

Working with the rail Network Planning group as part of larger digital transformation of company

Achievements/Tasks

- Architected/implemented Pub/Sub, CloudRun based highly scalable "Pay for Play" simulation system.
- Architected/implemented routing protocol for fault tolerant parallel processing of hundreds of simulations at a time.
- Architected/implemented framework for BigQuery data warehouse.
- Architected/implemented "data bridge" between legacy enterprise data sources and BigQuery.
- Designed, optimized and sustained simulation supporting GCP/Kubernetes infrastructure.
- Lowered costs via managed GCP infrastructure instead of on premise data center.



WORK EXPERIENCE

Train Deployment Simulation

CN Transportation Services

02/2019 - 12/2019

Edmonton, Canada

Working with the rail Network Planning group

Achievements/Tasks

- Reverse engineered a legacy DES train deployment simulation engine based on SimScript II.5/III
- Architect and core developer on new C++ based DES simulation engine
- Architect and core developer for "one click install" WAMP stack providing GUI and engine
- Leveraged many COTS frameworks; Boost++, ThreeJS, SQLite, SOCI, Angular/TypeScript
- Implemented high scale train movement graphing with video card acceleration in web browser
- Provided key business intelligence to executive management via simulation data

Technical Team Lead

Dehumidified Air Solutions

01/2010 - 12/2022

Ottawa, Canada

Provides enterprise level HVAC systems

Achievements/Tasks

- Guided team through agile sustaining of marketing applications and integrations.
- Architect and core developer for WordPress SSO integration with enterprise OAuth.
- Architect and core developer for on demand sales video transcription service (AWS + Zencoder).
- Architect and core developer for WordPress plugins, providing key sales data to sales associates.
- Architect and core developer for enterprise integration of a Learning Management System.
- Architect and core developer for integration with external marketing tools (i.e. ActiveCampaign)

Point of Sale Licensed Software Distribution

Precision EFI

05/2017 - 03/2019

Saint-Eustache, Canada

Provider of custom tuning software for high performance engines

Achievements/Tasks

- Architect and core developer of multi-user software licensing portal/store.
- Raspberry PI "Kiosk" software that connects engines via CAN bus to the portal via internet.
- Development of common (OSI like) framework for communicating with various engines.
- Designed and implemented PostgreSQL schema, with an ORM layer.
- Leveraged OctoberCMS, JavaScript and PHP to create portal website and RPI kiosk.

Enterprise Tooling

Avaya

11/2009 - 01/2019

Kanata, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Managed suite of DEV/OPs tools (such as JIRA, Bamboo, Sonar etc).
- Developed various plugins for DEV/OPs tools to integrate with enterprise.
- Architect and core developer for enterprise ALM / CMS.
- Championed scrum and agility.
- Built out AWS cloud integration.
- Architect and core Designer of monitoring / reporting and dashboard.

SDE Portfolio Evolution

Nortel Networks

01/2007 - 11/2009

Nepean, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Selected and managed corporate design tool sets
- Provided technical analysis and recommendations
- Managed technical support, patching and deployments for various vendors



WORK EXPERIENCE

Rogue Wave Technical Prime

Nortel Networks

08/2000 - 08/2008

Nepean, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Responsible for managing enterprise relationship with vendor
- Managed internal web portal for vendor resources
- Worked with vendor to managing patching and deployment

Team Lead/Developer

Nortel Networks

10/1995 - 12/1998

Nepean, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Guided team through technical challenges.
- Served as core developer and architect of backend services.
- Architect of frameworks for high speed large scale indexing and code parsing.
- Travelled to India for Pre-Sales engineering.
- Accountable for several releases of tool sets across the enterprise.
- Practised agility and 360 feedback.

Internship

Nortel Networks

05/1993 - 10/1994

Ottawa, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Worked up Motif/X11 GUIs
- Learned Berkley socket programming
- Presented at technical conferences
- Developed data models for large scale reverse engineering



ACHIEVEMENTS

Patent US 06886161 (04/2005 - 04/2005)

A method for compressing source code cross reference information as a sparse bitmap.



CERTIFICATES

Professional Scrum Master 1 (09/2018 - 09/2018)

Certified by Scrum.org



EDUCATION

Master of Applied Science, Computer Engineering

Carleton University

09/1996 - 09/2002

Bachelor of Systems & Computer Engineering, Computer Engineering

Carleton University

09/1990 - 09/1995

Research Assistant, Computer Engineering

Carleton University

09/1992 - 09/1993



VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Club President

Ottawa Inline Skating Club

09/2008 - 09/2009

Ottawa, Canada

Tasks/Achievements

- Worked with club board of directors to organize club activities and operations. At the time, Canada's largest inline club!

Webmaster

Ottawa Inline Skating Club

09/2006 - 09/2007

Ottawa, Canada

Tasks/Achievements

- Club webmaster, sustained and improved club website.



ORGANIZATIONS

Royal Canadian Army Cadets (RCAC)

(01/1984 - 01/1989)

As a member of the RCAC I developed a strong sense of drive and discipline.



SOFT SKILLS

Active Listening

Written Communication

360 Feedback