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Summary

Senior software developer with 20+ years of experience delivering reliable, maintainable systems across a range of industries. Strong background in server-side and integration development, with a preference for hands-on work in Linux environments using Node.js and TypeScript. Known for pragmatic technical judgment, collaborative delivery, and building long-running services deployed into production environments.

Technical Skills

Core Focus

- Server-side development using Node.js and TypeScript
- API and integration development using REST and JSON
- Linux-based system administration, monitoring, and logging
- Configuration management and customer deployments using Ansible
- Technical collaboration with internal and external teams

Working Knowledge

- Docker-based build and deployment workflows
- CI/CD pipelines using Jenkins
- Maintenance and support of legacy Java services (Apache Geronimo, Spring)

Prior and Supporting Experience

- PHP-based application development
- SOAP-based service integrations
- Relational database design and SQL integration

Additional Strengths

- Extensive experience working with long-running production systems
- Strong troubleshooting and problem-solving in live environments
- Comfortable modernizing legacy systems while supporting existing customers
- Collaborative, pragmatic approach to technical delivery

Professional Experience

Senior Software Developer | Cineplex Digital Media | 2021 – 2026

- Designed, developed, maintained, tested, and supported server-side integrations for playback solutions across multiple endpoint platforms.
- Collaborated with internal and external product, support, and UX teams to design, document and maintain REST-based service solutions.
- Improved deployment and configuration consistency across customer environments using Ansible.
- Maintained and extended legacy services to support long-term customer and third-party integrations.
- Provided technical guidance to sales and business teams to ensure accurate solution setup and communication.

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- Progressed through multiple roles from junior system administrator, software developer to director-level leadership within the same organization.
- Developed a broad perspective on software delivery, documentation, and cross-team communication.