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SOFTWARE QUALITY ASSURANCE PROFESSIONAL

Highly analytical and problem resolution oriented **Software Quality Assurance Professional** with extensive experience testing cybersecurity software and web apps using Agile and Waterfall models. Experienced in designing and configuring local and server based automation and documenting tests. Additional experience in requirements review and testing as well as Threat Modeling. Grey box and black box testing along with UI (user interface) review and refinement including Section 508 implementation review.

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

Languages: Python, Powershell, MS DOS Batch, Bash, SQL, XML, Javascript, VBA, RegEX, SOAP, HTML, CSS
Software: VMWare Workstation, VSphere, Jenkins, Perforce, Jama, Jira, Confluence, Collaborator, Coverity, Bullseye Code Coverage, DOS, MS Office (Access, Excel), Visual Studio, Eclipse, GIT, 4NT/Take Command, Lotus Notes, Bounds Checker, JAWS
Operating System: Windows NT, Windows, Solaris, Linux (Red Hat, Ubuntu, CentOS)
Hosting Frameworks: IIS, Apache, Oracle, SQLite
Hardware: PCs and Peripherals, Routers, SPARC

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SOUL SPA FOUNDATION, Santa Clarita, CA

2016-Present

Volunteer Consultant

- Advised founder with professional business strategies to increase efficiencies for the organization that would make their endeavors successful and protect their businesses brand. Devised strategies on financial and legal practices typical to non-profits and corporations.

SYMANTEC CORPORATION, Culver City, California

2008-2016

A United States-based cyber security company offering products under categories, such as threat protection, information protection, cyber security services and Website security. Employs 13,000 across the globe with a market cap of \$19.1 Billion.

Software Quality Assurance Specialist

- Created tests for core drivers for security software in custom ESX test automation platform.
- Designed and implemented tool in python to speed up branching process for legacy software projects.
- Collaborated with management on training team members on transition from Waterfall to Agile Development model using my Agile and Requirements training from Verify Conference.

Accomplishments

- Researched methods to optimize and streamline software development tasks. Worked with team to implement plan from research. Work resulted in reducing build times by 40 to 80%.
- Reduced branching time by 25 to 70% by redesigning Jenkins Jobs and subjobs to pass variables to Jenkins subjobs. Managed and maintained the build process for multiple projects

including updating of build scripts and modification of Jenkins cross platform multi-job projects to be more streamlined and require less edits when branching.

SYMANTEC CORPORATION, Santa Monica, California

2005-2008

Senior SQA Analyst

- Worked with Developer and stakeholders designing flagship kernel driver for new feature by reviewing and logging requirements. Researched methods of completing tests. Found a way to import test bed of 30,000 test already implemented in an open source library saving the team nearly a year of research and test implementation.
- Created Automation for reporting build metrics using Excel integrated with Perforce allowing for off hours build monitoring making reports available to stakeholders first thing in the morning.
- As part of an Agile team, Lead the testing initiative and worked with contracted company to implement the company and business requirements.

Accomplishments

- Spearheaded creation of a team to create a programmatic way of providing local language content in a new e-commerce initiative allowing communication with global customers in 27 languages.
- With the skills learned from the Business Analyst worked with first Agile team in business unit to port product registration to use a new online database.

SYMANTEC CORPORATION, Santa Monica, CA

2000-2005

SQA Analyst

- Mentored with Business Analyst to design new subscription application. Researched and provided results on different methods of supporting enterprise subscriptions.
- Adhoc, Black Box and Grey Box testing of Norton Products.

EDUCATION

Iowa State University – Junior Year

Northridge University – Junior Year

ISC2 Boot Camp - Certified Information Software Security Professional

SQE Requirements Based Testing

MS Project Training – Learning Tree

IPV6 In depth Training

Powershell Deep Dive 5 Day Course

Interactive Python - Coursera

VOLUNTEERING

Habitat for Humanity

Child S.H.A.R.E

Heal the Bay

Santa Clarita Food Bank

CERT Disaster Simulation

Kids S.T.R.E.A.M Expo

Soul Spa Foundation

Santa Clarita Cowboy Festival

Children's Bureau

Albert Einstein Academy