

Russ Sayers

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EXCELLENCE

Network Administrator with Internet application developer skills that has demonstrated career success in building networks, managing networks and building graphic interfaces for client-server applications that utilize the internet and the World Wide Web. Possess clear communication, creative and technical skills necessary to bridge the gap between creative artists and technical programmers. Able to optimize, transform, and implement graphic content into working client applications that interface with server side components. Able to lead a team, and follow leadership. Possess a proactive work ethic with excellent problem solving skills.

EXPERIENCE

IT Manager

Engauge, Atlanta, GA

11/2009 – Current

Tasks: Supporting a staff of 120+ users (Mac and PC users). Supporting, building, upgrading, and resolving all network issues (printers, routing, desktop, hardware). Firewall and Windows 2000, 2003, 2008, 2008 (R2) Server administrator. FTP, TCP/IP, DHCP, VPN, AD.

Director of Internet Technology

CWKNetwork, Atlanta, GA

05/2002 - 11/2009

Tasks: Supporting a staff of 50+ individuals (Mac and PC users). Supporting, building, upgrading, and resolving all network issues (printers, routing, desktop, hardware). Building and updating the webstore with MIVA merchant. Firewall and Windows 2000 Server administrator. Support to AVID and Final Cut Pro machines and workstations. All video encoding. Overseeing and handling negotiations with a national clientele of television station corporations into our site(s). Communicating with a national clientele of (68) TV station webmasters and project managers. Updating and reorganizing www.connectwithkids.com, www.cwknetwork.com, and www.kids-md.com. Updating of sites includes graphics, video, information architecture, and all coding formats (HTML, DHTML, CSS).

Web Tech Lead

Outweb, Inc., Atlanta, GA

03/2000 - 08/2001

Tasks: HTML, DHTML, CSS, JavaScript, XML/XSL, Graphic optimization, browser compatibility, page layout, content integration, internal education, assisted in writing methodology, quality assurance. Clients: Healthyme.md, GenesisIP.com, City of Atlanta, CMS, Jewish Pages/PlaniJewish, Open Door Foundation, Miniatures.com

Design Technologist, Associate

USWeb/CKS, Atlanta, GA

10/1998 - 03/2000

Tasks: HTML, DHTML, CSS, JavaScript, Graphic optimization, browser compatibility, page layout, content integration, internal education, Macintosh technical support, quality assurance. Clients: Blimpie, Pasta Central, Wools of New Zealand, MCI, GA D.O.T, Powertel, E-Invest, Coca-Cola, Ashland Chemical

Second Engineer

The Sound Kitchen, Franklin, TN

11/1997 - 06/1998

The largest recording facility in the Southeast. Responsible for maintaining studio operations. Tasks include studio maintenance, booking, maintain client relations, repairs, and assistant audio engineering.

House Engineer

Alvin Williams Entertainment Group, Nashville, TN

05/1997 - 12/1997

An exclusive R&B recording studio/group. Responsible for maintaining studio operations. Assembly, maintenance, Macintosh technical support, tracking, mixing, and mastering of audio.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Mass Communications

August 1995 - December 1998

Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN

Major: Recording Industry Technology

Minor: Music Theory

University of Memphis, Memphis, TN
August 1987 - December 1990
Major: Design/Photography

EXPERTISE

Software: Hometown, Dreamweaver, Photoshop, ImageReady, Office, StarTeam, Visual Source Safe, ProTools, Performer, Cleaner Pro, Norton Corporate Antivirus

Platforms: Mac OS, NT 4.0, 95, 98, Windows 2000, XP, Vista, 2000 Server, 2003 Server

Audio Consoles: Neotek Elite, Otari Series 54, SSL G series, Mackie (with UltraMix)

References available upon request