

# STEVE TALBOT

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## JAVA APPLICATION DEVELOPER

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I have 11 years of work experience, 8 of which is in software development. I have a strong work ethic, I have a solid educational background and I have experience working on an Agile project. I am driven to accomplish my goals and I have worked in several teams. I prefer to work with friendly, thoughtful people with whom as a teammate I can share my strengths and my questions. I am seeking learning opportunities and rewarding experiences.

## WORKING KNOWLEDGE

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CURRENTLY STUDYING: Java 8/7, Spring Core/MVC/Rest, Hibernate, XML  
LANGUAGES: Core Java, SQL, PHP, javascript, jQuery, CSS, HTML, UML  
EXPOSURE TO: XML, JSON, JAX-RS/REST, JAX-WS/SOAP, JAXB, Karaf, HTML5, CSS3  
FRAMEWORKS: Apache Commons, JSP, JDBC, Apache Camel, Lombok, JSF  
TESTING: JUnit, Mockito  
DATABASES: Oracle, MS SQL Server, MySQL, DB2  
DATABASE SW: DB Visualizer, Oracle SQL Developer  
WEB SERVICES: REST, Postman, SoapUI  
PROJECTS: JIRA, Stash, Bamboo, Confluence  
VERSION CONTROL: Git, SVN  
SERVERS: Apache Tomcat, WebSphere

## OTHER SKILLS

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OOAD: Cohesion vs Coupling, Interface vs Implementation, Aggregation vs Inheritance, Maintainability vs Performance, Polymorphism, Encapsulation and Abstraction  
IDEs: Eclipse, Maven Plugin  
OPERATING SYSTEMS: Mac OSX, Windows 10/8/7, Ubuntu Linux, Vagrant VM  
PRODUCTIVITY: MS Office, Mattermost, Google Calendar, MS Office Communicator  
COMPOSING: Pages, TextPad, UltraEdit, NotePad++, KompoZer  
NETWORKS: SecureCRT, WinSCP, FileZilla, Windows Remote Desktop Connection (RDC)  
UTILITIES: XMLSpy, Firebug, Chrome Developers Tools, WinMerge, WinZip

## EXPERIENCE

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*Ahold-Delhaize (aka Peapod), Retail Business Services, Web Center*

June 2016 – June 2017

### **Java Solutions Developer 2**

- Worked as a Java Dev in one of several "cross-functional teams" (Java dev, front-end dev, QA tester, BA) on stories and bugs for grocery customer engagement website "shopandshop.com".
- Immersed in Agile Development, with daily stand-up scrum meetings, weekly backlog refinement meetings and retro sprint follow-up meetings.
- Participated in bi-weekly sprint demos to present Java backend achievements to the department.
- Peer-reviewed Java developer code in Stash prior to merge and deploy into development branch.
- Updated confluence documentation as a part of the "definition of done".

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*Anixter, Inc.*

June 2014 – April 2016

## **Java Application Developer 2**

- Resolved defects of Order Entry / Management internal Anixter web app "CORE".
- Debugged JSF/Icefaces, Core Java and IBM DB2 stored procedures.
- Worked with colleagues in person and online to drill into defect issues.
- Attended daily Scrum meetings and weekly one-on-one manager meetings to provide defect status.
- Coordinated defects via JIRA.

*Essendant – Formerly United Stationers Company*

January 2010 – June 2014

## **Software Developer 1**

- Performed enhancements and bug fixes for Java EE apps - biggestbook.com (product catalog), soap web service "test app" (internal web app), "Customer Manager" (internal web app).
- Produced enhancements of windows batch scripts running java programs for product catalog.
- Provided program deployment support via HP Service Manager Change Order creation and signoffs.
- Troubleshoot web service functions via SoapUI to achieve stress tests.
- Tasked with running and scheduling monthly syndications of product catalog processing.
- Fielded failed control-m jobs acting as 24x7 support, documenting failure history to expedite fixes.
- Worked on various small projects: SSIS packages, Google Analytics, rebate page jQuery carousel.
- Updated web publishing content periodically to company websites.

*Prominent Capital Group, LLC*

May 2007 – August 2007

## **Software Engineer Intern**

- Researched bugs in JSF pages.
- Useability tested a travel booking & reservations website.
- Created document for tracking website bugs.
- Researched RFID hardware for custom warehouse tracking system (readers, printers, tags).
- Researched C++ API for RFID hardware.

## AWARDS & ACTIVITIES

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**A. Finkl & Sons Graduate Study, Tuition and Stipend**, September 2002 to May 2003

**Computer Science Department, Magazine Logo Contest Winner**, January 2003

**KVRX Student Radio for Austin, DJ**, January 1998 to December 1999

**KVRX Student Radio for Austin, Volunteer Director**, January 1999 to August 1999

**Eagle Scout Award**, Boy Scouts of America, October 1994

## EDUCATION

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*ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY*, Chicago, Illinois

**Master in Computer Science**, MCS, August 2009, G.P.A.: 3.5 / 4.0

Courses: Object-Oriented Analysis and Design, Design Patterns, Architecture Patterns, Software Engineering, Database Design 1 & 2, Information Retrieval, Software Testing, Java Data Structures, Assembly

*ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY*, Chicago, Illinois

**Master of Science in Engineering**, MSME, May 2003, G.P.A.: 3.3 / 4.0

*THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN*, Austin, Texas

**Bachelor of Science in Engineering**, BSME, December 1999