Obbie King

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Web Programming
Mac/Linux IT support

Specialties

Macintosh user support; Mac/Linux network administration
Web programming using HTML5, CSS, Javascript (including AJAX and DOM)
Back-end programming in PHP, MySQL and AppleScript

Work History

Computer Guy   Obbie's Help Desk
May 1995 — Present

Computer support for individuals and small- to medium-sized businesses, specializing in Macintosh and Linux systems. Configure server and client systems. Train users. Troubleshoot and solve problems. Write scripts and applications to automate and streamline processes. Program web applications for in-house use and for public use on the Internet.

IT Director   Chileda Institute
July 2007 — March 2010   La Crosse, WI

Administer a network of 40 Macs and a handful of Linux and Windows systems at a residential school for special-needs children. Help users with their technical issues. Develop and deploy an intranet database application to track student data such as behavior incidents, staff contacts with family and social agencies, etc.

Computer Technician   Ovation Marketing
February 2001 — June 2007   La Crosse, WI

Configure and deploy new workstations, help users with technical issues, track data on website usage. Develop AppleScript system to track product data for catalogs and to populate catalog pages. Develop an additional system to generate daily PDFs of catalog pages for customer review.

Education

University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
Studied: Math, Computer Science, Media
Extra-curricular: Student Senate, WUEC (campus radio station)

Personal Interests

Computers, bicycling, photography and videography, media production, music, travel, gardening.