

# James Reardon

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## OBJECTIVE:

Seeking a Software Engineering career utilizing and strengthening my coding skills in a challenging and cooperative environment. Looking to change the world.

## SKILLS:

Java	Perl	Unix/Linux
GWT	Python	SQL
C#	C++	Unit testing / QA

- ⤴ 15+ years of computer programming.
- ⤴ 8+ years experience in Quality Assurance.
- ⤴ Excellent Softa planning and following goals to meet deadlines and launch dates.
- ⤴ Strong at working both in a team and individual environment.

## EXPERIENCE:

### Software Engineer in Test, Google

November 2006 to Present

- ⤴ Developer & tech lead for open-sourced testing tool Test Analytics (<http://code.google.com/p/test-analytics/>); designed and coded from start to launch in Java/GWT.s
- ⤴ Key developer to several internal engineering productivity tools used by thousands of Google developers.
- ⤴ Worked as sole product tester on several projects; responsible for test strategy, timelines, and execution.
- ⤴ Responsible for leading contractors, assigning duties, and managing their performance.

### Software Design Engineer in Test, Microsoft

February 2005 to October 2006

- ⤴ Created test plans, test cases, and test automation suites to assure product quality.
- ⤴ Consistently top performer in automation and bugs found.
- ⤴ Awarded Microsoft Gold Star Award.

### Software Design Engineer in Test Intern, Microsoft

May to August 2004

- ⤴ Worked to automate test cases and code applications to assist test team
- ⤴ Created test suites to monitor application performance
- ⤴ Created test suite to stress test various components of application
- ⤴ Created website to communicate performance statistics in easy-to-understand manner

### Summer Intern (Software Developer), Bank of America

June to August 2003

- ⤴ Solely responsible for creating a Java Swing based application to create and track support requests.
- ⤴ Created Python and Perl based scripts to automate SQL reports previously done manually
- ⤴ Created a Java application to monitor JNDI entries and process metrics for reporting and statistical purposes

### Software Developer & Founder, Amusive.com

October 1997 to Present

- ⤴ Designed, implemented and maintained Perl application base with MySQL backend in a Linux environment; created both front-end CGI and backend batch processes.
- ⤴ Launched 10 commercial websites, reaching over 2 million unique users monthly.
- ⤴ Maintained, upgraded and administered two Centos web servers including backup schedules and patches.

## EDUCATION:

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign,  
B.S. in Computer Science; Graduated with Honors

Champaign-Urbana, IL  
2002 – 2004