

SUZI SOROCZAK

OBJECTIVES

To be a well-respected member of a highly productive team building Information Management products. To influence the direction of emerging information technologies. To continue to produce quality software that makes a substantial impact on business processes.

EDUCATION

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| 2002–present | University of Washington <i>Ph.D. Candidate in Information Science</i> | Seattle, WA 3.69 GPA |
| 1999–2000 | Pratt Institute <i>M.S. Information Science</i> ▪ Bogardus Scholarship Recipient | Brooklyn, NY 3.79 GPA |
| 1987–1993 | University of Washington ▪ <i>B.A. American History</i> | Seattle, WA 2.8 GPA |

RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| Jun 2006–Dec 2006 | Intel Corporation <i>Graduate Intern</i> Conducted an ethnographic study of engineering design teams at Intel for making recommendations for collaborative groupware environments. Focused on understanding project management and information sharing in teams. Produced working demos of project management scenarios for evaluation by teams. ▪ Miramar 3D Collaboration Environment ▪ CollabNet Product Development Environment | Hillsboro, OR |
| Jun 2003–May 2004 | Intel Research Seattle <i>Graduate Intern</i> Developed a web-based registration (JSP, Java, Tomcat, Jive) application for the RFID-based proactive displays project. Developed an algorithm for information extraction and social network matching from user profiles. Conducted an ethnographic study of proactive displays and RFID badges at UbiComp 2003. ▪ Proactive Displays & the Experience UbiComp Project | Seattle, WA |
| Aug. 2000–Jul 2002 | Interwoven, Inc. San Francisco, CA <i>Information Scientist</i> Object-oriented software developer (C++, Java, JSP, and Perl) for commercial enterprise products. Designed information retrieval algorithms for documentation categorization and query expansion. Developed and maintained taxonomies (NAICS for example) in XML for customized, automated generation of metadata for search, personalization, and syndication. Conducted user and admin training | |

for sales and customers.

- Jan. 2000–Jul. 2000
- MetaTagger Automatic Classification Server
 - MetaFinder Query Expansion Engine
- Aug. 1995–May 1997
- Project for Public Spaces New York, NY
Information Systems Manager
Web site technology architect. Designed an SQL database and associated taxonomy for information retrieval of images. Developed the process of digitizing and indexing a large slide collection (10,000+ images).
- SPRY Seattle, WA
Program Manager
Managed the technical development of multi-platform (Windows and Mac) COTS products from creation to release. Proven ability to work independently, prioritize effectively, and meet scheduled deadlines. Conducted and analyzed video-based usability tests in design. Coordinated product customization for hardware partners.
- Jan. 1994–Jul. 1995
- Microsoft Referral Service
 - Internet In A Box / SPRYNET Starter Kit
- InterCon Systems Corporation Herndon, VA
Program Manager
Coordination of cross-functional teams including partner organizations for commercial server software. Marketing technical lead with training and trade-show experience. Customized and created software installers for deployment at customer sites.
- InterServer Publisher (MacOS HTTPD server)
 - Pipeline Server (ISP starter kit)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Sep. 2002–present University of Washington Seattle, WA
Lecturer
CSE100/INFO100 Fluency with Information Technology
INFO344 Web Tools and Programming (PHP and MySQL)
LIS 541 Internet Technologies and Applications
- Teaching Assistant*
INFO340 Databases and Information Retrieval Systems
INFO341 Computer Networking
INFO447 Computer-Supported Cooperative Work
INFO490 Informatics Design Capstone
LIS549 Modeling for Content Management Systems with XML
- June. 2005–present Bellevue Community College Bellevue, WA
Lecturer
Introduction to XML
PHP and MySQL Programming

Object-Oriented Design Principles

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| Sep. 1998–Dec. 1998 | International House Cairo <i>Adult English Teacher</i> | Cairo, Egypt |
| Sep. 1997–Jun. 1998 | International House Krakow <i>Adult and Youth English Teacher</i> | Krakow, Poland |

PUBLISHED WORKS

- McCarthy, J., McDonald, D., Soroczak, S., Nguyen, D., Rashid, A. (2004) Augmenting the social space of an academic conference, *In the Proceedings of ACM CSCW 2004, Chicago, IL.*
- McCarthy, J, Nguyen, D., Rashid, A., Soroczak, S. (2003) Proactive displays & the experience UbiComp project, *ACM SIGGROUP Bulletin, 23(3)*, December 2003.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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| 2001 | Introduction to Java, <i>Berkeley Extension</i> | San Francisco, CA |
| 1996 | Fundamentals of Marketing, <i>American Management Association</i> | Vancouver, BC |
| 1996 | Principles of Project Management, <i>The Versatile Company</i> | Seattle, WA |
| 1995 | Competitive Strategy, <i>American Management Association</i> | San Diego, CA |
| 1994 | Usability Testing, <i>Redish & Associates, Inc.</i> | Herndon, VA |
| 1994 | Networking Protocols, <i>American Research Group</i> | Vienna, VA |
| 1993 | UNIX Shell Programming, <i>American Research Group</i> | Arlington, VA |
| 1993 | TCP/IP Networking, <i>CAC University of Washington</i> | Seattle, WA |
| 1993 | X Windows Systems, <i>CAC University of Washington</i> | Seattle, WA |

MEMBERSHIPS

- Association For Computing Machinery (ACM) since 2002
- American Society of Information Science and Technology (ASIST) since 1999.
- American Contract Bridge League (ACBL) since 1992.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Unix systems administration and development experience on Solaris, Linux, and MacOSX platforms (make, CVS). W2K development environment (Visual Studio, SourceSafe, cygwin). Eclipse development environment for Java. XML and HTML, SOAP web services and transaction applications.

