

Eli Bird

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Self-taught full stack web developer

15+ years experience

Strong troubleshooting and root cause analysis skills

Committed to secure, maintainable, well-documented code

Deeply familiar with the software development life cycle

Technical Expertise

Skill	Years
Windows	15
Linux	15
Apache	15
MySQL	15
PHP	15
JavaScript	15
SQL	15
CSS	15
WordPress	10
Git	10
Drupal	8
MS Office	8
Java	3
VBA	3
Perl	3
FreeBSD	3
Ruby	2
C#	1
CakePHP	1
Docker	1
ChatGPT	1

Recent and Relevant Work Experience

Matson & Isom Technology Consulting – Chico, CA

Senior Developer | 4/2022 – 1/2024

- * Spearheaded migration of client's sites to Cloudways, resulting in decreased maintenance costs
- * Maintained CMS websites using Drupal, WordPress and Craft CMS
- * Wrote custom code in PHP and C# for integrations with Zendesk and S3
- * Provided consultation on web frameworks, applications, and the SDLC

Fifth Sun – Chico, CA

Senior Web Developer | 5/2019 – 8/2021

- * Persuaded leadership to hire external database consultant, increasing speed and conversion rate
- * Suggested and implemented a "Buy Now" button, reducing number of clicks needed to checkout
- * Built custom API to integrate with 3rd-party distributor, thereby enabling a new product type
- * Introduced Pair Programming and trained junior developers

Self-Employed – Portland, OR and Chico, CA

Web Developer | 12/2009 – Present

- * Converted acumed.net from Drupal to WordPress
- * Customized Zen Cart to ship to multiple addresses
- * Developed a custom web app to work offline using the latest capabilities of HTML5
- * Discovered a backdoor in WordPress theme on the Camas School District's website

CMD Agency – Portland, OR

Web Developer | 6/2011 – 6/2012

- * Maintained Intel's esaa-members.com website on CakePHP, Linux, Apache, MySQL and Git
- * Improved the site efficiency by optimizing SQL queries
- * Added SVG charts to the admin section for easy tracking of site metrics

Webolutionlab.com – Telecommute

Web Developer | 4/2009 – 4-2012

- * Developed a live auction extension using MySQL, PHP, jQuery and RedHat Linux
- * Assisted in the development and maintenance of client websites, from simple HTML rewrites to advanced JavaScript, PHP, and altering MySQL databases

References and further work history available upon request. Thank you for your time and consideration.