



Niles Thakkar

SENIOR SITECORE DEVELOPER, SITECORE MVP-2015-2016



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Career Objective

A skilled, knowledgeable and qualified Sitecore/ASP.NET programmer with **more than a decade** of industry experience. Seeking a challenging position to utilize my knowledge in a well reputed organization.

Experience

Tech Lead

Impact Proximity/BBDO, Dubai (27th Nov, 2015 to Till Date)

2015 - Present

- Involved in Sitecore Project pitch to client
- Optimized existing Sitecore project by implementing Sitecore best practices
- Sitecore training to team
- Setting up project architecture, code review and deployment

Senior Sitecore Developer

Horizontal India (11th March, 2014 to 19th Nov)

2014 - 2015

- Working on Sitecore 8
- Utilize current and upcoming industry trends and practices to create Sitecore CMS websites.
- Develop functional requirement specifications by collecting data and preparing use cases.
- Attended client review meetings and presentations to gather development related information.

Involvement in code review and code refactoring.

Senior Associate Sitecore Application Developer

LBI India (3 months)

2013 - 2014

- Responsible for developing new features of projects.
- Involvement in designing and deployment.
- Handle task of maintaining existing projects.
- Involvement in code review and code refactoring.

Sitecore Tech. Lead

Investis Corporate Communication (4 years)

2009 - 2013

- Responsible for developing new features of projects.
 - Involvement in designing and deployment.
 - Handle task of maintaining existing projects.
 - Handle client calls if client faces any issue after deployment.
- Involvement in code review and interview process.

Senior Software Engineer

Eclipsys Corporate Communication (4 years)

2005 - 2009

- Involvement in design and development of product.
- Responsible for creating technical design documents.
- Responsible for database designing.
- Involvement in deployment and testing of product.

Technical Skills

ASP.NET/C#

- A seasoned Programmer with good exposure to ASP.NET based Coding.
- Experience with administering and developing applications for MS IIS 6.0/7.0
- Experience with Web Technologies HTML, DHTML ,XHTML, CSS, XML, XSLT AJAX, JavaScript, JQuery

Sitecore CMS (6.5, 7, 7.2 and 8)

- Awareness about Sitecore Best Practices.
- In-Depth knowledge of Sitecore Architecture.
- Able to customize Sitecore API as per project requirements.
- In-Depth knowledge of Sitecore Database and Content Editor.

MS SQL Server

- Experience with administering and developing applications for MS SQL Server 2008.
- Experience in wrting SQL query and stored procedures using Microsoft SQL Server.

Certifications

MCPD

Microsoft Certified Professional Developer (.NET Framework 4.0/3.5)

MCTS

Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (.NET Framework 4.0/3.5)

Sitecore CMS

Sitecore Certified .NET Developer

Sitecore Certified Advnace .NET Developer

Education

MSc.(IT)

North Gujarat University

Scored 85.00% - **University 3rd rank**

Year 2005

BSc.(IT)

North Gujarat University

Scored 74.00%

Year 2003

HSC

Sardar Patel High School, GSEB

Scored 85.67% - **District 1st rank**

Year 2000

Projects

United HealthGroup (Careers Site)

Duration From Mar-2014 to Till Date

Team Size 2

Role Involved in requirement gathering, implementation (coding), and unit testing of Sitecore websites.

Technologies C#, ASP.Net, Sitecore CMS , AJAX

Project Description

- ✓ Gathering requirements for new features
- ✓ Develop functionality to improve efficiency of CMS user
- ✓ Supporting maximum page editor features

United HealthGroup (Internal Job Search Site)

Duration From Mar-2014 to Till Date

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IP3 Platform (Investis Platform 3 – Sitecore CMS)

Duration From Oct-2009 to Nov-2013 (4+ years)

Team Size 6

Role Involved in requirement gathering, implementation (coding), and unit testing of Sitecore websites.

Technologies C#, ASP.Net, Sitecore CMS , AJAX

Project Description

- IP3 is a platform developed by Investis on top of Sitecore CMS to achieve custom functionality. IP3 includes lots of controls which are frequently used by corporate websites.
- As a part of IP3, I was involved in below tasks:
 - ✓ Gathering requirements for new features
 - ✓ Develop functionality to improve efficiency of CMS user
 - ✓ Supporting maximum page editor features
 - ✓ IP3 development support
 - ✓ Demo to client regarding newly created controls

Project Description

PowerWEB® is a product related to healthcare system.

A laboratory can expand its reach to any clinic, hospital, laboratory, or doctor by using PowerWEB®.

The PowerWEB® user can be of any of the following types:

- Clinic
- Doctor
- Draw station

By using PowerWEB®, the user can carry out activities with reference to medical laboratory testing:

- Insert new Patient information
- Change existing Patient information
- View Doctor Assignments
- Generate shipment
- View shipment report
- Sending and Receiving messages

Sunrise Blood Administration (SBA)

Duration 1 year

Team Size 2

Role Involved in Database Design, Coding, Form Design

Technologies .Net Framework 3.5, Pocket PC, WCF Service, MS SQL Server 2005

Project Description

Sunrise Blood Administration is a mobile application for storing blood transfusion records on a portable transfusion device such as Pocket PC. It stores the patient and unit information provided by the health information systems or external applications like Sunrise Blood Bank or Sunrise Clinical Manager. The application is installed on a Pocket PC used by a health care provider at hospitals. The Pocket PC is a portable wireless companion or a handheld device with a small screen. The application enables you to store the unit demographics, patient demographics, physical examinations, normal and abnormal observations, therapeutic nursing interventions, and nursing diagnoses during the transfusion.

Enterprise Repository (ER)

Duration

6 months

Team Size

2

Role

Involved in Database Design, Coding, Form Design

Technologies

.Net Framework 3.5, WPF Application, WCF Service, MS SQL Server 2008

Project Description

ER is centralized storage system which stores predefine set of documents. It allows other applications to post the documents and retrieve documents efficiently. It allows various combination of search on documents. Moreover there is an annotation feature also available with ER. For example, Physician can load an X-Ray image of patient and annotate it with some comments and store it in ER. He can also share the same annotated image with other Physician using notification feature of ER.

SPM Web

Duration

4 months

Team Size

2

Role

Involved in Database Design, Coding, Form Design

Technologies

C#, ASP.Net, MS SQL Server, AJAX

Project Description

Sysware Product Manager is a system by which Eclipsys manages all its product related information like product release schedule, issues registered by clients, clients contact information. This system is made accessible through web application by SPM Web.

Eclipsys Intranet Website

Duration

3 months

Team Size

1

Role

Involved in Database Design, Coding, Form Design

Technologies

C#, ASP.Net, MS SQL Server, AJAX

Project Description

Eclipsys Intranet Website is specially built for HR department to maintain all the employee details and organization chart. It also provides reminder for upcoming birthdays, events. This system is also accessible to other employees but with limited access.