



# Steve Platz

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## Experience

Senior IS Specialist, LORD Corporation, Erie, Pennsylvania April 2010 - Present

- Played a key role in upgrading and migrating the PDM system, which involved re-creating the database and migrating existing data to an entirely new structure to support changing business needs
- Extended the PDM system with a custom web service in order to facilitate the upgrade and migration of the system as well remove the need to have a client installed and maintained on each user's machine
- Created a .NET class library that wraps the functionality of the PDM web service in a simple, reusable, easy to use manner

IS Specialist, LORD Corporation, Erie, Pennsylvania May 2007 – April 2010

- Acted as the lead developer in overhauling a company-wide intranet application used to retrieve and report on product and configuration information
- Introduced and trained co-workers on proper source control methodologies using Subversion
- Established the use of a software project tracking system to better manage bug reports and feature requests

Intern, LORD Corporation, Erie, Pennsylvania May 2006 – May 2007

- Programmed .NET class libraries and web services, which were used to better integrate the company PDM system with custom applications
- Maintained various company intranet websites

Owner, Platz Radon Inspections, Erie, Pennsylvania 2002 - Present

- Manage the daily operations of the business
- Designed and developed business website and web-based application to record and report on radon tests

## Education

Penn State Erie, The Behrend College, Erie, Pennsylvania 2003 - 2007

B.S. Management Information Systems, Minor in Computer Science

**Skills**

Proficient with the C#, VB.NET, and Javascript programming languages and the .NET, Windows Communication Foundation, Windows Presentation Foundation, and jQuery frameworks.

Comfortable with C, C++, Java, PHP, Ruby, and Python

Software: Windows, Linux, Mac OS X, Visual Studio, Subversion, Git, Adobe Photoshop, Microsoft Office

References available upon request