

# Jason Jacques

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## About:

Young, fresh and energetic technology guru for a London based integrated marketing agency. Enthusiastic about open standards and inspired by emerging technologies. People person with client facing experience. Excellent problem solver with a 'can do' attitude. Complete with an enhanced disclosure CRB check and full, clean driving license.

## Goal:

To work for an innovative technology company pushing the boundaries and utilising it in new and unusual ways. Become involved in challenging projects which cause me to improve on and expand my existing skills and push me to think in new ways about problems.

## Key Skills:

- **Communication**  
Excellent communication skills with customer service centric persona. Wide experience with interpreting and implementing various standards (RFCs, W3C, WAI, etc.)
- **System Administration**  
Administrative experience with Microsoft Windows, Mac OS X and Linux (including server administration, configuration and integration)
- **Development**  
Fluent in PHP, SQL (T-SQL and MySQL), (X)HTML, CSS, XML, RSS, Java, .NET (C#), ASP, C/C++ and BASIC variants (including VB)

## Experience:

Jan '08 – Jul '09

### **Jefferies Parsons Myers Harvey Ltd. (JPMH Ltd.)**

#### System Administrator / Technical Support / Developer

Flexible technology focused role with an average 25/45/30 split, respectively. Primary network administrator and point of contact, working directly with the Operations Director. Day-to-day technical support both face-to-face and remote inc. client support where appropriate. Projects included:

- Roll-out of corporate WiFi
- Internal DNS simplification
- Transparent network renumbering.
- Introduction of VPN
- Exchange Migration
- Development inc. work on public websites for:
  - BlackBerry – Site maintenance & multi-media
  - Slendertone – Development & Testing
  - KFC – Advertising system & CRM integration
  - Young Engineers – SQL injection repairs
  - Cocopia (Tesco) – AJAX store locator

Sep '07 – Jan '08

### **Freelance Development & Consultancy**

Various freelance projects including:

- System integration of third party video transcoding system with the AOL partner ingest tool (PIT).
- Design and build of a Mac OS X Server based server environment. Features included backup, file sharing, printing, secure VPN remote access and distributed computing (Xgrid). Support for Mac OS X and Windows XP workstations.
- User generated content desktop video application prototype.

Oct '06 – Aug '07

**Mirola Ltd. & Rancon Ltd.**

Developer

Web development and communication network development and support (inc. telephone). Other experience included:

- Development and maintenance of [SendandGive.org](http://SendandGive.org) for Cancer Research using the .NET platform. Applied extensive knowledge of email infrastructure to allow high throughput emails to be delivered with over 95% inbox delivery rate (in contrast with junk mail folder).
- Lead Developer of an investment-demo bespoke audio manipulation system operated via telephone including a custom designed cross platform execution system.
- Lead Developer on an interactive email driven game for Arniston Bay Wine.

**Education:**

2008 – Present

**Brunel University**

Information Systems BSc (Hons)

First year, 1<sup>st</sup> class equivalent; Second year, in progress.

2004 – 2006

**Merton College Sixth Form Center**

A2 Subjects: Business Studies, Computing, Gov. & Politics  
AS Subjects: Chemistry, Mathematics

2000 – 2004

**Bishopsford Community School**

11 GCSEs, all to B grade or higher.

**Other Achievements:**

Software engineering, including open source software, the most successful, in volume, of which being *Email* (<http://poss.sf.net>) a cross-platform email engine for PHP functionally compatible with the built in mail() function with global utilisation. Code published on the MSDN blog for the CTP of Small Basic (<http://smallbasic.com>).

**Portfolio:**

Design and development portfolio featuring some of the work detailed here as well as other projects. Examples can be seen at: <http://jason.homedsl.co.uk/portfolio>.

**Referees:**

Available on request.