

## **AARON J. SAWYER, MCTS**

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### ***Education***

B.S. In Industrial Technology  
East Carolina University, Greenville, NC  
Graduated May 2008  
Grade-Point Average: 4.00 (on a scale of 4.0)

A.S. In Computer Programming  
College of the Albemarle, Elizabeth City, NC  
Graduated May 2005  
Grade-Point Average: 4.00 (on a scale of 4.0).

#### *Advanced Computer Programming Courses:*

CSC 234 Advanced C++  
CSC 239 Advanced Visual Basic .NET

#### *Advanced Operating System Studies:*

Red Hat Enterprise Linux 4.0, Red Hat Academy  
Windows Server 2003 IIS 6.0, ICTN3900

### ***Full Time Employment***

2017+ Developer at Marathon [www.marathonus.com](http://www.marathonus.com) (Full Time)<br>  
2015-2017 Acting Senior Developer at BCF Agency [www.bcfagency.com](http://www.bcfagency.com) (Full Time)  
2011-2015 Web Developer at BCF Agency [www.bcfagency.com](http://www.bcfagency.com) (Full Time)

### ***2007 - 2011 Freelance Employment***

2010-2011 Webmaster of [www.mylocalbroker.net](http://www.mylocalbroker.net) (Roberson Insurance Agency)  
9/2010 Website Update / JQuery implementation for [www.admobileva.com](http://www.admobileva.com)  
8/2010 Website Redesign of [www.mylocalbroker.net](http://www.mylocalbroker.net) (Roberson Insurance Agency)  
5/2010 Webmaster/Creator of [www.hamptonroadscomputer.com](http://www.hamptonroadscomputer.com)  
4/2010 Webmaster/Creator of [www.suityourselfva.com](http://www.suityourselfva.com)  
3/2010 Webmaster/Creator of [www.swhowellcontractinginc.com](http://www.swhowellcontractinginc.com)  
2/2010 Search Engine Optimization (SEO) of [www.electronic-solutions.com](http://www.electronic-solutions.com)  
10/2009 Complete Site Redesign of [www.premierearthshapinginc.com](http://www.premierearthshapinginc.com)  
9/2009 Webmaster/Creator of [www.anthemrates.net](http://www.anthemrates.net) & [www.optimarates.com](http://www.optimarates.com)  
5/2009 Employed by *Electronic Solutions* to watch office and log calls during an absence.  
1/2009 Webmaster/Creator of [www.mylocalbroker.net](http://www.mylocalbroker.net) (Roberson Insurance Agency)  
6/2008 Author's Assistant for Systems Analysis and Design, Eighth Edition. Text was used in college teaching curriculum nationwide.  
Spring 2008 Nonprofit creator of the "Expect" logo for the Back Bay Christian Assembly youth program, which was made into a wallpainting, t-shirts, and sweatshirts.  
1/2007 Webmaster/Creator of [www.backbayconstruction.com](http://www.backbayconstruction.com)

### ***Honors and Organizations***

Nominated for membership in The National Society of Collegiate Scholars  
East Carolina University Chancellor's List (2005-2006)  
College of the Albemarle President's List (2003-2005)  
Phi Theta Kappa (Nu Nu chapter)

### ***Certifications***

Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist, ASP.NET 3.5: 70-536 & 70-562  
Microsoft Certified Professional: Microsoft 70-270 Windows XP

Comptia A+ (Perfect score in IT Technician Exam)  
Comptia Network+  
Comptia Linux+ (Score of 880 out of 900)

### **References**

Mel Williams  
Digital Creative  
Director, BCF

[www.bcfagency.com](http://www.bcfagency.com)

Chris Dallavilla  
Former Digital Creative  
Director, BCF

[www.chrisdallavilla.com](http://www.chrisdallavilla.com)

Joseph Clarkson  
Designer / Developer  
[https://burlyoctopus.github.io/  
joseph.clarkson20@gmail.com](https://burlyoctopus.github.io/joseph.clarkson20@gmail.com)

### **Programming Experience**

**ASP.NET:** Advanced knowledge. Proficient in C#, ASP.NET, certified in ASP.NET 3.5. The [VisitVirginiaBeach.com](http://VisitVirginiaBeach.com) website was built on ASP.NET 4.5, C# on the Ektron content management system. Business and event functionality retrieves results through a data layer and business layer. The Virginia.org grant application system was built by myself with ASP.NET / C#.

**PHP:** Advanced knowledge, able to create custom PHP-powered sites from scratch, as well as modify existing PHP scripts. Recently created an asset management system on PHP which interfaces with a MySQL database and is built on an object-oriented design with MVC attributes (model, view, controller).

**HTML5 / CSS / CSS3:** Advanced knowledge, multiple websites & designs have been created. The websites [www.virginia.org/oldschool](http://www.virginia.org/oldschool), [www.visitvirginiabeach.com/visitors/beaches](http://www.visitvirginiabeach.com/visitors/beaches), [www.visitvirginiabeach.com](http://www.visitvirginiabeach.com), and [www.timbersresorts.com](http://www.timbersresorts.com) are a few examples.

**SCSS:** Used in the URMA project. Implemented a server-side solution for linux servers which reads file changes to SCSS source files and automatically updates the CSS output.

**JQuery / Javascript:** Advanced knowledge. Very familiar with Javascript and JQuery effects, as well as AJAX, JavaScript input validation techniques, & CSS interaction. Implemented JQuery operations and fading effects on the [www.virginia.org/oldschool](http://www.virginia.org/oldschool) website and the [www.visitvirginiabeach.com/visitors/beaches](http://www.visitvirginiabeach.com/visitors/beaches) website.

**SEO:** Advanced knowledge of Search Engine Optimization (SEO) techniques. I have worked on multiple initiatives on the [www.VisitVirginiaBeach.com](http://www.VisitVirginiaBeach.com) website. During my freelance time, the websites [www.premierearthshapinginc.com](http://www.premierearthshapinginc.com), [www.mylocalbroker.net](http://www.mylocalbroker.net), and [www.electronic-solutions.com](http://www.electronic-solutions.com) have received top rankings over the course of several months.

**VB.NET:** Multiple courses, moderate knowledge. Senior design project interfaced with a MS Access database, searching, adding, removing, and editing records. Application is complete with manual, PowerPoint slideshow, and module descriptions.

**C++:** Multiple courses, moderate knowledge. I have created many small applications for programming courses. I have knowledge of programming logic & classes / inheritance. Sample applications are available.

**Linux BASH shell:** Advanced / Moderate knowledge. Small scripts have been written, including a DVD duplication script. Server management including apache, sql, and cron task management is extensive.

**Linux Server Management.** Server management experience includes managing apache, mysql, and cron tasks.

**Windows Server Management.** In my server management experience, I have managed several Windows Server 2008 website and database servers, and managed users and scheduled tasks.