

# **Adrian Overs**



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#### **CAREER OVERVIEW**

With over 25 years industry experience as an IT contractor in a wide variety of roles there is much that I can bring to a potential employer. I am an accomplished developer with a proven track record of providing effective business strategies and solutions. I am equally at home working for the government or private sector and am willing to re-locate should the right opportunity arise.

#### POSITION SOUGHT

Ideally I would like to leverage my background in Analysis and Development and thereby further my experience in a role such as Business Analyst.

#### **BUSINESS ATTRIBUTES**

- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Outstanding UniVerse Developer with exceptional unix skills. (A "Certified Professional Rocket U2 developer")
- Produces fast, accurate, and innovative solutions with minimal supervision.
- Familiarity with the various strategies for business analysis, project management, data modelling and systems modelling.
- Skilled in gathering and documenting business requirements.
- Professional presentation and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work under pressure and handle multiple tasks.

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

### OPERATING SYSTEMS

AIX, HP UX, UNIX, Linux, OS/x, Pick Operating System, Microsoft Windows (DOS/05/98/NT/2000/XP), W2003, OS-X

#### PROGRAMMING TOOLS

vi, emax, u2 debugger, Eclipse, Wintegrate, AccuTerm, X-Windows, My own proprietary toolset.

### PLATFORM/HARDWARE

IBM P series, RS/6000, HP DL series, Pyramid MIServer, iMac, Various PCs

#### SOFTWARE APPLICATION

UniVerse, UniData, Microsoft Office, Microsoft Publisher, Open Office, Lotus Notes, Microsoft Sharepoint, HTML, X-Windows, Perl, Microsoft Project, PHP, MySQL, Oracle, On-Q, SAP, VMS, Microsoft Outlook, Parallels, Microsoft Visio, Holocentric

## **EDUCATION**

1982 to 1985 Bachelor of Business, Ku Ring-Gai college

## SEMINARS AND TRAINING

2005 – International Spectrum, Sydney 2008 – Holocentric BPM Introductory workshop, Canberra 2009 – U2 University, Sydney 2011 – Mastering Business Analysis, Sydney

## SKILLS INVENTORY / SELF ASSESSMENT

| Yrs. of Experience | Yr. of Last<br>Experience | Proficiency<br>Level | Software / Hardware            |
|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 25                 | 2011                      | 4                    | U2 UniVerse                    |
| 25                 | 2011                      | 4                    | Unix (AIX, HP-UX, Linux, OS/x) |
| 5                  | 2011                      | 4                    | Shell Scripting                |
| 1                  | 2008                      | 1                    | Holocentric (UML)              |
| 25                 | 2011                      | 4                    | Microsoft Windows              |
| 12                 | 2011                      | 4                    | Apple OS-X                     |
| 6                  | 2011                      | 4                    | Open Office                    |
| 6                  | 2007                      | 1                    | Lotus Notes                    |
| 25                 | 2011                      | 4                    | Microsoft Office               |
| 1                  | 2007                      | 1                    | PHP                            |
| 1                  | 2007                      | 1                    | MySQL                          |
| 1                  | 2011                      | 3                    | Drupal & HTML                  |

Proficiency Level : 4 = Extensive 2 = Experienced 3 = Proficient 1 = Light

# ASSIGNMENT SUMMARY (Refer Appendix for Details)

| COMPANY                         | POSITION                     | PERIOD           |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| State Transit Authority of NSW  | Analyst Programmer – Support | Sep-11 to Sep-11 |
| eXertion LLC                    | Web Developer                | Aug-11 to Sep-11 |
| The Australian Taxation Office  | Analyst Programmer – Support | Jun-07 to Mar-10 |
| <u>Areva T &amp; D</u>          | Analyst Programmer – Support | Sep-06 to Jun-07 |
| Tomago Aluminium                | Analyst Programmer – Support | Oct-05 to Jun-06 |
| State Transit Authority of NSW  | Analyst Programmer – Support | Sep-04 to Sep-05 |
| <u>Museumware</u>               | Director                     | Apr-04 to Sep-04 |
| Tomago Aluminium                | Analyst Programmer – Support | Aug-03 to Apr-04 |
| Victorian Department of Justice | Analyst Programmer – Support | Jul-02 to Jun-03 |
| Cuna Mutual insurance           | Analyst Programmer – Support | Aug-99 to Dec-01 |
| Boral CMG                       | Analyst Programmer – Support | Mar-99 to Jul-99 |

## REFERENCES

References can be supplied upon request

#### MAJOR ASSIGNMENTS

From: Sep 11 to: Sep 11

Client: The State Transit Authority of NSW

Work Location: Sydney NSW

Project: Radio Room module upgrade, unix & UniVerse Support.
Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 7

OS: AIX, Microsoft Windows XP

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Lotus Notes, Unix Shell script.

Platform: IBM P Series

Application Overview: The Radio Room Application collects information on predefined incidents (eg A traffic

accident), Changes were required so that it collected information that was consistent with the Department of Transport Database and interfaced the data via a CSV file, on a

weekly basis.

Responsibilities: Provided UniVerse and unix know-how and support to the project, analysed

stakeholder requirements and came up with solutions, modified existing UniVerse code and wrote new applications, delivered and handed over a fully documented working

solution at the end of the month.

From: Aug 11 to: Sep 11
Client: eXertion, LLC
Work Location: Sydney NSW

Project: Web development - http://www.exertioncenters.com

Position: Web developer

Team Size: 3

OS: Red Hat Linux, Apple OS-X, Microsoft Windows XP

Software: Drupal, MySQL, Apache, PHP

Platform: GoDaddy

Application Overview: Developed web site for Exertion LLC, a New York based company that provided

facilities for children to exercise.

Responsibilities: Responsible for all phases of web development, liaising with stakeholders and

iteratively developing the web site to their requirements.

From: Jun-07 to: Mar-10

Client: The Australian Taxation Office

Work Location: Canberra, ACT

Project: TaxTime 2009/2010, e-Tax Group Fraud, unix & UniVerse Support.

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 15

OS: AIX, Microsoft Windows XP

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Sharepoint,

Holocentric (UML) HTML, X-Windows, Perl, Unix Shell script.

Platform: IBM P Series

Application Overview: The Tax Time application collects data from a variety of sources in a predefined tagged

file format (similar to XML) Every year, due to legislative changes the programs and

surrounding data files need to be updated.

Responsibilities: Provided UniVerse and unix know-how and support to the DCP (Data Capture and

Processing) TT2009/2010 and PSS (Production System Support) project teams. Proactively modified, designed and wrote tools and applications using UniVerse Basic and unix shell scripts, carried out UniVerse sys-admin tasks including performance

tunina.

Gathered user requirements, wrote program specs, help text and user guides, and

acted as a mentor providing training for less experienced staff.

Presented with "Award for Excellence" for my role in the "e-Tax Group Fraud Project"

From: Sep-06 to: Jun-07 Client: Areva T & D Work Location: Brisbane, Qld

Project: Support Analyst Programmer

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 6

OS: Microsoft Windows Server 2003, Microsoft Windows XP

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office, Lotus Notes, Microsoft Project, Exposure to PHP and

MySQL

Platform: HP DL series

Application Overview: GL Interface, Purchasing, Accounts payable, Time & Attendance

Responsibilities: Wrote and maintained key project documents for the Time and Attendance project and

provided UniVerse support for their GL Interface, Purchasing, and Accounts payable

modules.

From: Oct-05 to: Jun-06
Client: Tomago Aluminium
Work Location: Tomago NSW
Project: Various – See below

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 8

OS: AIX, VMS, Microsoft Windows Server 2003, Microsoft Windows XP Software: UniData, UniVerse, Microsoft Office, Microsoft Outlook, XML, SAP

Platform: IBM P-Series, DEC Vax

Application Overview: Tomago is predominately a SAP house. However it uses UniVerse to provide support for

business procedures that are too costly or too complicated to develop in SAP.

Responsibilities: Project: UniVerse Support

Provided UniVerse sysadmin training, wrote policies on UniVerse upgrades, Produced a Business Requirements Document (BRD) on web-enabling the Casthouse module, Provided UniVerse and unix support and know-how, cleared the backlog of support

calls.

Project: UniVerse Conversion

Provided UniVerse and unix support and know-how to the conversion of Tomago mission critical systems (Potlines, Casthouse, Laboratory etc) from UniData running

under VMS to UniVerse running under AIX.

Project: Alpsys

Provided help desk support for Tomago's mission critical systems (diverse range) and

developed interfaces between the Laboratory system and the Alpsys system.

From: Sep-04 to: Sep-05

Client: The State Transit Authority of NSW

Work Location: Strawberry hills, NSW Project: Various – See below

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 5

OS: AIX , Microsoft Windows XP

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office, Microsoft Outlook

Platform: IBM System x Tower Servers

Application Overview: The STA sells tickets to tourists through travel agents in other countries.

These tickets needed to be accounted and charged for in a way that satisfied the

competing demands of the Marketing team and the Auditors.

Responsibilities: Project: TSS (Tourism Services System)

Gathered & analysed and documented their user requirements with respect to what their existing systems did and what was required going forward, designed the database, wrote the specifications for and coded a new module for their Tourism Services division using the UniVerse RDMS to track ticket sales from agents across the globe and to

interface the results into their Oracle based MIS and accounting systems.

Project : Server Upgrade

Provided UniVerse RDMS support for the upgrade of servers at 14 depots across the

Sydney - Newcastle region.

Project: TORAS (Ticket Operators Revenue Accounting System)

Supported their TORAS and developed new interfaces for their ITP (Integrated Ticketing

Project – Bus, Rail & Ferry)

From: Aug-03 to: Apr-04
Client: Tomago Aluminium
Work Location: Tomago NSW

Project: Payroll Conversion

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – U2 Specialist

Team Size: 5

OS: VMS, Windows XP

Software: UniData, Microsoft Office, Microsoft Outlook

Platform: DEC Vax

Application Overview: Contracted to Tomago Aluminium to analyse and implement solutions for the loading of

existing balances and interfacing of new data from their existing UniData payroll

systems into their new SAP - ERP system.

Responsibilities: Wrote and applied test plans, then arranged UAT before final implantation.

Implemented PGP to protect transfers of confidential personal information to and from

remote sites over the internet.

From: Jul-02 to: Jun-03

Client: The Victorian Department of Justice

Work Location: Melbourne Vic Project: Various – See below

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 7

OS: AIX , Microsoft Windows XP

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office, Lotus Notes

Platform: IBM P-Series

Application Overview: The Victorian Department of Justice is tasked with running the states prison and

community corrections systems.

The offender employment module was designed to provide a system to provide

employment opportunities for offenders upon release.

The LSI module was designed to assess an inmates risk to themselves and the rest of the prison community, this was achieved by a series of questions and answers and then

assessing the results.

Responsibilities: Project: Offender Employment

Gathered, analysed and documented their user requirements for the new offender employment module. Designed the database and its interfaces into their existing systems, wrote the specifications for and coded the programs, wrote test plans, supervised the unit testing by others, organised UAT and sign off, wrote user

documentation for and then provided user training for departmental and external staff.

Project: LSI (Level of Service Inventory).

Gathered, analysed and documented their user requirements for the new LSI module to assess offender risk. Designed the database and its interfaces into their existing

systems, wrote the specifications for and coded the programs, wrote test plans, supervised the unit testing by others, organised UAT and sign off, and wrote user

documentation.

From: Aug-99 to: Dec-01
Client: Cuna Mutual Group
Work Location: Sydney NSW

Project: Customer Service Support.

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 2

OS: HP-UX, Microsoft Windows XP
Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office
Platform: Compaq Tower Server

Application Overview: When installed at a participating Credit Union the Total Loan Care system was

accessed via an "API" from the CUSCAL front end, and used for selling loan insurance.

This was Cunas' "Bread and butter" insurance product.

Responsibilities: Contracted to Cuna Mutual. To support the customer service division with any issues

relating to Information Technology and to install their TLC (Total Loan Care) software package (Written in Pick/UniVerse) at remote sites throughout Australia. My role was to provide support to their member credit unions by testing the code and related data, analysing issues, and to offer solutions to their Loans, Insurance, Management and IT staff. Finally implementing or specifying those solutions so that they can be actioned by

programming staff.

From: Mar-99 to: Jul-99
Client: Boral CMG Ltd
Work Location: Brisbane Qld
Project: Data interface

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 5

OS: SCO Unix, Microsoft Windows 98

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office, Oracle Financials

Platform: Inexpensive PCs

Application Overview: Boral CMG sells building materials; the company had a series of bespoke applications

that were written to track, measure and account for these materials. These were interfaced into the organisations Oracle Financials system.

Responsibilities: Gathered user requirements from Borals' staff, analysed, coded, tested, documented

and implemented solutions to facilitate the interface of Invoice and Cost data between Borals' legacy Pick/UniVerse based systems and their new Oracle Finance 2000

system.

From: Sep-98 to: Mar-99

Client: Switch Telecommunications

Work Location: Lane Cove NSW Project: Banking Interface

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 10

OS: Pyramid's OS/x, Microsoft Windows 98

Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office Platform: Pyramid MIServer

Platform: Pyramid MiServer

Application Overview: Switch Telecommunications were a US based telecommunications company that

specialised in providing in-expensive telephone calls.

Raw telephone number and duration data was sourced from the exchanges and this

was used for billing purposes.

Responsibilities: Supported their in-house billing and accounting systems. Analysed, designed, specified,

made modifications to and tested their billing systems (Direct Debit and Credit Card) to

directly interface with their CBA banking software.

Wrote user manuals and provided UniVerse and unix system support where and when

required.

From: Feb-96 to: Aug-98

Client: Commonwealth Bank of Australia

Work Location: Sydney NSW
Project: Various – See below
Position: Project Manager

Team Size: 20

OS: Unix, Microsoft Windows 95

Software: Oracle and On-Q

Platform: IBM AIX server and Gateway 2000 tower

Application Overview: The "Institutional Banking" arm of the Commonwealth bank was interested in tracking

profitability by product by division by client. This entailed collecting raw data from the various product centres on a regular basis to extract monthly statistics. Which were then massaged by the various Oracle applications and manually checked for anomalies and inaccuracies, before being fed into On-Q where they were fed into a hypercube for

further reporting.

Responsibilities: Managed the development of Oracle software and the collection of monthly activity and

balance data from over 30 sources (ranging from mainframe to spreadsheets). This included the design and formal specification and testing of the interfaces to be used. Managed the collection of this information on a scheduled basis, its loading into a database and the presentation of Actual verses Planned profit and loss figures by client & product on a monthly basis. Responsible for the supervision and performance of ten

technical and accounting staff.

From: Aug-95 to: Feb-96 Client: Waco Kwikform Work Location: Rydalmere NSW

Project: Product Support

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 3

OS: Pyramid's OS/x, Microsoft Windows 95

Software: UniVerse, Wizard 4GL Platform: Pyramid MIServer

Application Overview: Waco sell and lease scaffolding. They have bespoke in-house applications to do this.

Responsibilities: Supported their in-house manufacturing and leasing systems.

Gathered user requirements, designed, specified, coded, organised user acceptance

testing for and implemented solutions as required.

From: Dec-94 to: Aug-95

Client: State Transit Authority of NSW

Work Location: North Sydney NSW Project: Payroll Modifications

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 5

OS: AIX , Microsoft Windows 3.1
Software: UniVerse, Microsoft Office
Platform: IBM System x Tower Servers

Application Overview: A bespoke payroll system based on rules specific to the awards for NSW Bus and Ferry

workers.

Responsibilities: Supported and maintained their internal payroll system.

Gathered user requirements, designed, specified, coded, organised user acceptance

testing for and implemented modifications to their payroll systems.

From: Jan-94 to: Dec-94

Client: Commonwealth Bank of Australia

Work Location: Sydney NSW Project: Various – See below

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 5

OS: Pyramid's OS/x, Microsoft Windows 3.1

Software: UniVerse

Platform: Pyramid MIServer

Application Overview: Executive Banking was a new fully integrated module to manage the marketing of the

banks products to high net worth individuals.

Responsibilities: Project: Executive Banking.

Worked with senior managers at the bank to gather user requirements, design, specify,

code, test and implement.
Project: Marketing.

Modifications to the banks 'Marketing' module.

From: Sep-92 to: Dec-93

Client: NSW State Superannuation Board

Work Location: Sydney NSW

Project: Statement of contributor holdings

Position: Consultant / Analyst / Programmer – UniVerse Specialist

Team Size: 5

OS: Pyramid's OS/x, Microsoft Windows 3.1

Software: UniVerse

Platform: Pyramid MIServer

Application Overview: The First State Superannuation scheme was the mandatory superannuation scheme for

all NSW public servants

Responsibilities: Designed, specified and coded a system for producing statements of contributor

holdings and provided general support to the FSS team.

Used DMR product lifecycle methodologies.

From: Sep-90 to: Dec-92

Client: COS Software Engineering PLC

Work Location: London, Luxembourg, Winterthur, Zurich Project: Globus installation and development

Position: Analyst / Programmer

Team Size: 30

OS: Unix, Microsoft Windows 3.1, Primos, Microsoft DOS

Software: Globus, WordPerfect, UniVerse Platform: Various, Prime & RS/6000

Application Overview: Globus is a banking and finance application that is currently owned by Temenos.

Responsibilities: Project: Banque de Groof, Luxembourg

Designed, documented & coded, with a staff of one AP - A fully integrated FRA (Forward

Rate Agreement) module for the companies "Globus" banking system.

Project: Hypobank, Winterthur

Modified the securities module of the "Globus" banking system to fit the Swiss market. Installed these changes in liaison with COS staff and the banks' securities personnel.

Project: Cambio and Valoren Bank, Zurich

Installed the whole "Globus" system with a Swiss Business Analyst making local enhancements and modifications using Info-Basic in a UniVerse environment

From: Apr-89 to: Apr-90

Client: NSW State Superannuation Board

Work Location: Sydney NSW Project: Various – See below

Position: Contract Analyst / Programmer

Team Size: 10

OS: Primos, Microsoft Windows 3.1

Software: Pr1me information

Platform: Prime 750

Application Overview: The First State Superannuation scheme was the mandatory superannuation scheme for

all NSW public servants

Responsibilities: Gathered user requirements for, then documented, designed, developed and managed

enhancements to the board's Superannuation system.

Project: Automatic Correspondence

Designed, coded, and implemented an interface from the data in their "Information" files

to a word processing package to automatically create form letters.

Project: Annual update of Contributor data

Ensured that we had a readable tape in the correct format from various state authorities through out NSW, by a given deadline. Wrote interface programs and processed this

information. Used DMR product lifecycle methodologies.

From: Dec-87 to: Apr-89

Client: Next Generation Software

Work Location: Mosman NSW

Project: Merlin treasury management system Position: Senior Analyst / Programmer

Team Size: 8

OS: Primos, Microsoft DOS
Software: Merlin, Word Star
Platform: Prime, various PCs

Application Overview: The Merlin treasury management system was licensed from Lloyds Bank and consisted

mainly of a Money Market module.

Responsibilities: It was my job bring this product up to scratch. I was involved in all areas of project

development, Pre sales support, design, specification coding, project management implementation, documentation and marketing for the companies "Merlin" treasury management system. Responsible for the supervision of 7 staff developing, FX, Swaps,

Bonds, and Futures and Options modules.

From: May-87 to: Dec-87

Client: Citycorp Capital Markets Group

Work Location: Sydney NSW
Project: Swaps & FRAs
Position: Analyst / Programmer

Team Size: 4

OS: Primos, Various PCs

Software: Pr1me Information, Microsoft DOS

Platform: Prime 950

Application Overview: Interest rate swaps and Forward Rate Agreements

Responsibilities: Developed and enhanced the companies in house Swaps and FRA Modules

From: May-86 to: May-87
Client: Wormald International
Work Location: Crows Nest, NSW
Project: Product development
Position: Analyst / Programmer

Team Size: 20 OS: Primos

Software: Pr1me Information
Platform: Various Pr1me boxes

Application Overview: Developed software that was later to become the Manfact package.

Responsibilities: Developed and enhanced the companies in house Accounting, Contracting, Purchasing,

Sales, and Payroll Systems

From: Jun-85 to: May-86
Client: Talman Pty Ltd
Work Location: St Leonards, NSW
Project: Program development

Position: Programmer

Team Size: 7
OS: RMS

Software: Platform:

Application Overview: The company provided software for the Australian and New Zealand wool industries

Responsibilities: Programmer

From: 1980 to: 1981 Client: AWA Data Systems Work Location: North Ryde NSW

Project: Meatworks Hardware & Software development

Position: Clerical and Administrative duties

Team Size: 10

OS:

Software:

Platform: AWA Reality

Application Overview: AWA manufactured custom made hardware and software solutions for grading and

weighing meat which it sold to various Australian abattoirs.

Responsibilities: Clerical and Administrative