

Sr. Software Engineer

in United Snakes dba as “American Kybernetik”

The Americas
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§ About American Kybernetik

For first 10 years after 1st registering this name, I didn't actually do significant business under it, the US EIN was obtained 10 years later, in '91. First held the highlighted job title at EER, p. 5 on resume. Still very active in my own DevOps, semi-retired as far as work for others, and I do not deal with 3rd parties, direct end clients only but shops that do work for other firms are fine as long as they are acting as makers not labor resellers. Recuriters may use this and other forms of resume and collect a fee for a placement from their clients whose retention I will confirm but otherwise not speak or deal with same, grant exclusive right of representation or any other relation.

§ Scope

The [Auteur resume](#) has a complete work history, this brochure is a work in progress oriented to general work for hire which serves as a supplement to the [TeX cover](#) and Auteur forms.

Mutual NDA is usually no problem. Sections below for subtypes of work have been rewritten to reflect my current interest in labor markets. Am open to a known term job consistent with a rate interpolated from relevant entries in my [current rate chart](#) . Start on Monday after hire. Can agree in principle to up to two years with interim mutual review. In US 1099 tax basis only.

§ a Front-End and Mainframe Heritage

Consult my web and apps for examples of FE work. In both current and career phase I mainly work with back-end and consider front end light lifting but appropriate for contracts.

Mainframe Heritage means IBM or Unisys MCP systems. In career phase I pretty much only worked with mainframes tangentially to work targetting PCs from '85 on. However for some time old mainframe operating systems have been running on PCs. I really got into this when Unisys made MCP available for PC free for a time. Subsequently I focused on Hercules setting up dev facilities for VM/CMS and its guest Oses, centrally MVS, with the various herc variant subsystems such as Kicks and Rakf and the lang dev stuff such as ISPF, COBOL, Assembler, and PL/I which are generally original mainframe binaries. Although the Givaudan system was on AS/400, I programmed an OS/2 client server system accessing it, not using CL and RPG and there's nothing as good as Hercules for i or even AS/400.

Normally the current charted GC rate applies for MF jobs, the subsidized rate may be available.

§ b Augmentation

by which I mean work for hire programming not involving my apps or systems. I will only do this on a monthly retainer basis with interpolation from my current GC day rate. While not using my GA products and services this sort of contract may involve creation of proprietary IP from the same underlying general knowledge and COTS/FOSS software. Typically if there is a high value or strategic element the struck price will reflect that.

§ b Bespoke

by which I mean a contract job to develop a bespoke app within the DDD methodology supporting the tl;dr and Tweaks product lines as available on Apple and Google stores and in my domain space.

In some cases I may be willing to do an application for the value to my overall efforts, because of interest in the application at a reduced or waived fee. Otherwise the rate chart should be used to estimate jobs that don't fit the Enterprise section below.

§ d Enterprise

by which I mean a contract job to build a whole enterprise or part of one whether using elements of my projects or not. This implies that the commissioning entity is a startup not an established capital. Not closed to non IT professionals undertaking enterprise development but to be clear, I have no interest in equity in someone's enterprises but I may be interested in leasing a solution I create for residuals over the fixed fee formed from the product of the makespan and my current charted GC rate.

I am generally good with doing jobs in this class on a bulk payment upon completion basis with a nominal non refundable portion as is customary. Development of the work product in my space with production deployment and handover of developed source IP at the close out of the job when the main money changes hands is implied. For continuous delivery there's retainer.

Have poster Shopify sites which can be delivery points for those choosing that platform.

§ Exigencies

Retainers are fully refunded in the amount received by me pro rata and by the same means as the payment was made minus whatever that means charges to do a chargeback, if anything. For retained service cancelled at the last moment a day may be charged if other jobbing might have been scheduled. In case of non payment in a timely manner of agreed lump sum upon completion, I retain the original IP I develop and all rights to it.