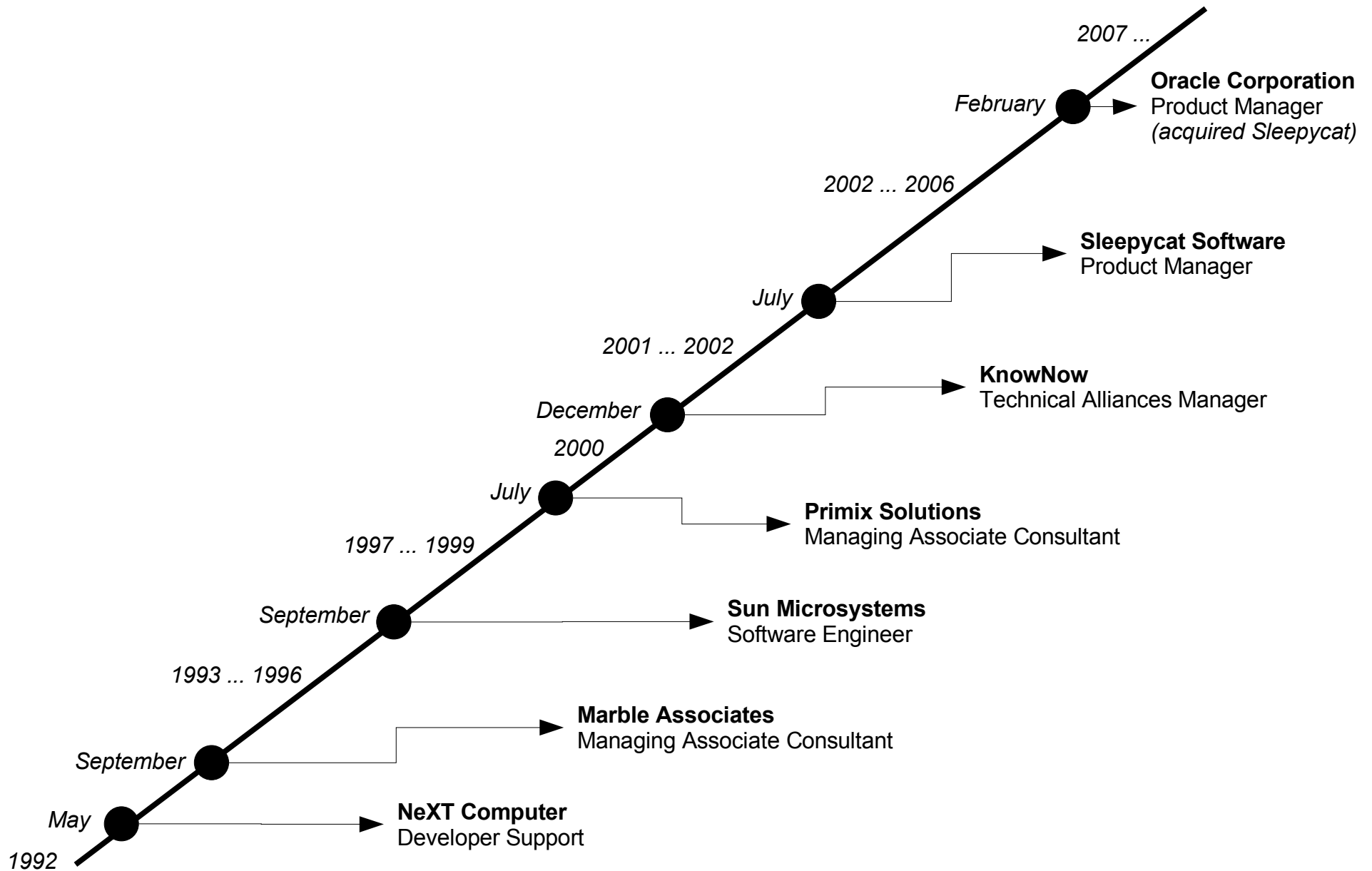


Gregory Burd - Resume

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I am passionate about the products I build. Research, design, planning, implementation – these are my drivers. I seek out and work on projects requiring thoughtful problem solving and careful orchestration. In my spare time I build guitars, guitar amplifiers, repair my wooden boat, plan sailing trips and research antique pocket watches. These activities have a common theme, they are elegant, well designed, purposeful, and enduring. I apply these principals to software and leadership.



What makes me unique is my mixture of art, science, math, and business. I am equally comfortable in each. I can translate between a sales representative, a marketing VP, and a software architect while engaged in an active debate toward a mutually agreeable solution. I enable those around me by contributing enough to let them take ownership.

I manage an open source project called DBSQL (dbsql.org) to keep my technical skills sharp and to give back to the community. I administer a hosted Linux server, manage an Apache server, a Trac SCM management tool, a Subversion version control repository, and a half dozen other bits of infrastructure. I write all the content for the site. I manage the project roadmap and releases, and of course, I write the code (C, Python, TCL, Java, Makefiles, Autoconf, sed, awk, bash, m4, etc.). I dive in, learn by example and by soliciting information from experts. To a large extent I am self taught learning through life and work experience.

*People tend to settle into their strengths.
Know your strengths.*

Title	Work Product
Developer Support	Design and Support
Software Product Engineer	Product Orchestration
Technical Consultant	Advocate, Designer
Software Engineer	Team Leader
Market Development	Customer Advocate
Internet Infrastructure Designer	Mentor, Architect
Technical Alliances Manager	Marketing and Sales Support
Product Manager	Product Strategy

“Greg was the glue that held our organization together at times -- pre-sales, post-sales, development, marketing: you name it, Greg can do it. He is articulate with both technical and business folks, and excels at both listening and then engaging his audience. I would definitely work with Greg again.”
Adam Rifkin – September 19, 2003

“Greg is the kind of guy I'd like on my team; he's a triple threat: he can code, he can do the "management thing", and he can talk with customers. Greg has the vision thing; he loves the big picture, and loves to get his hands dirty. He can get customers and team members fired up in a great way.”
Howard Lewis Ship – July 24, 2003

“Greg's work in the OpenStep and Java Applications Group was stellar. I believe his source code management system was the only JavaSoft product one could actually buy at Fry's. Working with Greg was a stimulating and fun experience.”
Jim Holmlund – February 15, 2005

My strengths are design, leadership, communication & orchestration.

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