

# Resume of Steve Recsky

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Steve offers extensive skills in Oracle and Microsoft SQL Server. With more than 33 years of database related experience, Steve excels in the areas of installation and configuration, backup and recovery, capacity planning, performance tuning, web integration and training.

Steve worked as a lead DBA for two large oil and gas corporations followed by a senior consultant DBA for the database services group for North America's 4<sup>th</sup> largest IT Company. Steve is an Oracle Certified Associate and a Microsoft Technology Associate and has given numerous presentations and seminars at local, national and international conferences. He is also the former long-standing President of the Calgary Oracle Users group.

Steve has excellent communications skills, thrives under pressure and is committed to teamwork. He is passionate about his work and endeavors to perform his duties to exceed expectations.

## Technical Skills

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### Databases

- Oracle 6 to 19c
- Oracle ASM
- Oracle OCSF and RAC
- Oracle Cloud Control
- Oracle RMAN
- Oracle Data Guard
- Oracle SQL and PL/SQL
- Oracle Golden Gate
- Oracle Grid Infrastructure
- Oracle Replication
- Microsoft SQL Server backup and recovery
- Microsoft SQL Server Transact-SQL
- Microsoft SQL Server 6.5 to 2017
- Microsoft SQL Server Clustering
- Microsoft SQL Server Database Mirroring
- Microsoft SQL Server Replication
- Microsoft SQL Server AlwaysOn Availability Groups
- Licensing

### Cloud

- Oracle Cloud Infrastructure
- Microsoft Azure
- Amazon

### Middleware

- Oracle Application Server 9iAS to 11g
- Microsoft IIS and ADO
- Oracle Data Integrator
- Microsoft SSIS
- Oracle Glassfish
- Tomcat
- Oracle Portal, Forms and Reports
- Oracle APEX
- Oracle WebLogic
- Microsoft SSAS
- Oracle RESTful Services
- Oracle HTTP Server
- Oracle Internet Directory
- Microsoft SSRS
- Oracle Weblogic
- Oracle APEX Listener

### Operating Systems

- Solaris
- Red Hat Linux
- MAC OS X
- HP/UX
- Windows
- Oracle Enterprise Linux
- IBM AIX/AIXL
- True64 Unix

## **Professional Experience**

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### **Complete DBA Inc. – Partner of First4 Database Partners Inc.**

**From:** October 2005 to Present

**Position:** Database Technical Specialist

**Responsibilities:**

- President of Complete DBA Inc. and Partner with First4 Database Partners Inc.
- Support agent-less database monitoring technology to capture and process database metrics via the internet utilizing virtual private networking.
- Provide Senior database administration consulting expertise in the areas of Oracle and Microsoft SQL Server for about 50 clients and thousands of Instances and Databases
- Partial database application support list: BES, P2, Matrikon, Value Navigator, Remedy, Pimavera, Altiris, Virtual Center, Det@il, EMF, eThink, Hyperion, FiLMS, Fogbugz, FileNet, Geographix, IssueTrack, CGI Landman, QByte IM, SAP EP/XI, LCS, Performance Guard, Symantic, PVR, Rightfax, SalesLogix, SDE, SPEL, SPI, TeamMate, Trango, Versatile, Prism, Bluelance, Maximo, SolArc Rightangle, Meridium, SharePoint, Peoplesoft HCM, SAP BW, SAP PI, BODS, POB, Quest, EMS, Flowcal

### **CGI Group Inc./COGNICASE/DBCORP – Calgary, Alberta**

**From:** November 1995 to September 2005

**Position:** Senior Consultant

**Responsibilities:**

- One of several Senior Consultants on a 30 person Database Services team specializing in remote and on site database services management of over 800 Oracle Databases, 1500 SQL Server Databases, 480 Sybase Databases and 4 DB2 databases.
- Database Services Call Center Coverage
- Database Training; seminars, course development, internal and external
- Database Monitoring
- Database and Application Tuning
- Database Installation and Configuration
- Database State-Of-Health Reviews
- Database Backup and Recovery
- Disaster Recovery Planning
- Capacity Planning
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Tool Installation and Configuration
- Site Documentation
- On-call Support Coverage
- Pre-sales Support
- Client Relationship Management
- Client list: CGI restricts the public listing of client names. However, the list is extensive and spans Canada and the United States. These clients include major Oil & Gas, Utility, Service and Banking and Telecommunications companies. This list will be made available during interviews.

### **Alberta Energy Company - Calgary, Alberta**

**From:** July 1990 to October 1995

**Position:** Database Analyst

**Responsibilities:**

- Supported all facets of Oracle7 running under Sun Solaris and Sun OS, Novell Netware, IBM AIX and SQL/DS running under VM/ESA. This included:
- Enterprise RDMBS solutions
- Client/Server Integration
- Disaster Recovery and Backup
- Performance Tuning
- In-house Database Tool Development and Support
- Product Evaluation, Purchase, Installation, Upgrades and Support
- Technical Consulting
- Data Resource Management
- Security Administration
- Developer Education
- Database Maintenance
- Data Warehousing
- Represented the Database Group on the Corporate Technical Team
- Organized and implemented the Oracle Client/Server environment. This included the installation and setup of Oracle 7 and Oracle V6 database servers on Sun, IBM and Netware platforms with connections from DOS/Windows client workstations. SQL\*Net and SQL\*Connect were installed and configured to complete the 20 database instance enterprise wide system.
- Managed two year, three-phase project that led to the implementation of a Data/Object Repository (DOR) System for SQL/DS and Oracle. Supervised one contractor and worked with two other developers throughout the project. This repository saved AEC an estimated \$120K annually in development costs. This product was eventually acquired by ObjectWorks and was converted to Windows/PowerBuilder and was marketed as DORS for Windows.

### **Gulf Canada Resources - Calgary, Alberta**

**From:** February 1985 to July 1990

**Position:** Staff Analyst/Senior Programmer

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Provided support for data integrity, security, disaster recover, systems planning, systems administration and developer/end user education
- Streamlined all operations pertaining to Oracle running under VAX/VMS and SQL/DS running under VM/HPO
- Increased functionality of the Marketing, Accounting and Reporting System (MARS) using new and innovative coding techniques. Utilized JCL, Focus, PL/1, COBOL, ISPF, DB2 and IEF.
- Maintained the Goose River Performance Monitoring/Data Acquisition System using SQL/DS, PL/1, REXX and ISPF
- Acted as the main User Liaison for the Materials Management, Spares Management, Personnel Tracking, Tubular Tracking and Vessel Reporting systems. These applications ran under VAX/VMS using Oracle, DCL, FMS, COBOL and FORTRAN, except for the Vessel Reporting system which utilized PC based Oracle
- Provided on-site support for these systems in Calgary, Nisku, Tuktoyuktuk and on various ice breaker vessels
- Prioritized enhancement/maintenance schedules and dedicated resources to meet specific business objectives
- Operated and maintained AMDAHL 580, IBM 3380, VAX 8530, XEROX 9700 and MEMOREX 3320 hardware

## ***Education***

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1984 - Mount Royal College, Calgary, AB – Diploma, Computer Science

## ***Professional Training***

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- Oracle Database Performance Tuning – Oracle Education
- Oracle Application Tuning – Oracle Education
- Technical Report Writing
- Performance Evaluations
- DB2 Application Programming – IBM Education
- Advanced QMF – IBM Education
- Problem Solving and Decision Making
- Internal Consulting Skills
- PowerBuilder Programming
- Oracle World Conference 2003, 2005, 2010 (presented in 2003)
- Merak, Merak IT Certification 2000
- Oracle 8 Database Administration 1999 – Oracle Education
- People Soft People Tools Upgrade 1999 – People Soft Education
- IOUG 93, 95, 97-99, 02-03, 12 (presented in 93, 97, 98, 99, 02 and 03)
- Oracle 9i Certified Associate 2002
- Oracle 7 Certified Master 1995
- InMage 2011
- Oracle Golden Gate workshop 2013
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Database Administration Fundamentals 2015