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Major skills:	
Preferred databases:	MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Hive.
Preferred languages:	Java, Groovy, Swift, Objective-C, C, C++, PHP, JavaScript, Shell Scripts (bash), SQL.
Preferred platforms:	Mac OS X, iOS, Linux. Tomcat. GIT. Jenkins. JIRA.
Preferred technologies:	Grails, J2SE, Cocoa, Cocoa Touch, Boost, Hadoop, Zend Framework, NodeJS.
Languages:	Russian, English.
Other:	4 years stocks and futures trading experience as a private investor on stock exchange markets (NYSE, NASDAQ, CME). Experience in automated trading using the following technologies: QUIK Platform (QPile, QUIK API), ThinkOrSwim platform (ThinkScript), Blackwood API (C#/.Net).

My self-summary	<p>Adore technology, but love sports more, especially football :) Check out my Github, there could be something interesting perhaps: https://github.com/chupakabr.</p>
What I've worked on	<p>I've started my IT career long time ago when I was a teenager of 15 years old programming in DOS using clipper and assembler. I've tried a lot of different programming languages and related technologies so far, but the most interest for me are iOS/OSX development using Swift, Obj-c and C++ and Java/ Groovy/Grails development for server-side. Recently I've started enjoying processing of BigData using Hadoop and HiveQL running on Amazon EMR.</p>
Side Projects	<p>In my spare time I work on my own projects and freelance sometimes. I have an experience in freelancing for such successful startups as https://transferwise.com and http://simpletexting.com.</p> <p>One of my most downloaded applications is Easy Ringtones for Mac: https://itunes.apple.com/app/easy-ringtones/id494847828?mt=12.</p> <p>Also, checkout this iOS animations demo app created by myself using Swift: https://github.com/chupakabr/valera-cv</p> <p>At the moment I'm working on the following two projects in my spare time: 1) NodeJS server + PhoneGap client football related service (http://footy.ninja). 2) iOS client app for 3D virtual reality bundle (http://oddsheepgames.com/trinus/).</p>
I'm really good at	<p>Java/Groovy on Grails is my major expertise. I adore developing for iOS/OSX using Swift, Objective-C and C++. I also enjoy working with BigData using Hadoop, HiveQL and Amazon EMR.</p>
What I'm looking to do next	<p>iOS/OSX development using Swift, Objective-C and C++. Groovy and Java on Grails.</p>
Education:	<p>Student, Saint Petersburg State Polytechnical University (http://www.spbstu.ru), Technical Cybernetics Faculty, 2004 – 2008 (3,5 years).</p> <p>Student, University of Liverpool (http://liverpool-degrees.com). MSe in Software Engineering, 2012-2015.</p> <p>10gen "MongoDB for Java developers" certificate: https://s3.amazonaws.com/edu-cert.10gen.com/downloads/5d8ede4311b44238a1c587d5b60447ca/Certificate.pdf</p>

Company and duration:	AirSense Wireless, UK, London, May 2011 – Present time
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Lead Engineer
Project:	Various iOS and Android projects. Various server-side projects on Grails/Groovy/Java and client web applications on JavaScript/ExtJS/jQuery/AngularJS.
Technologies:	iOS (C++/Boost/Objective-C), Android (Java), Grails (Groovy/Java). PHP, JavaScript (ExtJS, jQuery); Shell scripts (Bash), SQL. MySQL, PostgreSQL, Oracle, Cassandra, MongoDB. Tomcat, Nginx, AWS, Jenkins, Artifactory. BigData, Hadoop, Hive, Amazon Elastic MapReduce (EMR). Maven, Ansible. Apple MDM, Windows MDM, Protobuf, PJSIP for VoIP. Mac OS X, Linux. Team leading, JIRA.

Company and duration:	Exigen Services, Russia, July 2008 – May 2011
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Software developer
Project:	Various Java-based and PHP-based standalone applications and web portals.
Technologies:	Java SE, Java EE, Spring, SQL. SOA, BPM, Intalio BPMS, ESB, Ant, Maven. PHP, Zend Framework, QTP/VBS. JavaScript (jQuery), HTML, CSS, XML. Apache HTTPD, Tomcat, JBoss. MySQL, Mongo DB, Oracle. Sphinx Search Engine. Linux, Windows XP.

Company and duration:	Nako Co Ltd. (Own company), Russia, December 2007 – June 2008
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Software developer / Team leader
Project:	Various web portals based on Java EE and Grails.
Technologies:	Java, Groovy; Bash; Grails, Spring; Hibernate/HQL, MySQL, PostgreSQL; HTML, CSS, JavaScript, XML, ImageMagick, FCKEditor. Jetty, Tomcat, Ubuntu Linux.

Company and duration:	DNA Global Capital, Russia, June 2007 – December 2007
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Software developer (contract)
Project:	Automated trading system with GUI for defining trading strategies for trading equities on NYSE exchange market.
Technologies:	.Net Framework, C#, Windows Forms, Blackwood API, DOM, XML. Windows XP.

Company and duration:	Motorola, Russia, June 2006 – June 2007
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Software Developer (intern).
Project:	SoftModem driver for Windows and Linux.
Technologies:	C, Linux Device Drivers, Unix shell scripts, USB and PCI hardware development, ALSA API. Various Linux distributives.

Company and duration:	Sharm Co Ltd, Russia, June 2005 – June 2006
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Software Developer / Sysadmin (remote).
Project:	Web site of a small company and its corporative intranet portal.
Technologies:	PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Unix shell scripts. Linux, FreeBSD.

Company and duration:	“Vneshterminal Garant“ Closed Company, Russia, June 2004 – June 2005
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Software Developer / Sysadmin (remote).
Project:	Corporative intranet portal for employers of a small company.
Technologies:	PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Unix shell scripts. Linux, FreeBSD.

Company and duration:	My own projects, 2008 – Present time
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	Development of Mac OS X app for easy files renaming. http://itunes.apple.com/app/easy-rename/id494834417?mt=12
Technologies:	Objective-C, Cocoa.

Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	Development of Mac OS X app for easy ringtones making to be used on iPhone/iPad. http://itunes.apple.com/app/easy-ringtones/id494847828?mt=12
Technologies:	Objective-C, Cocoa.
Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	Development of iOS animations demo app. https://github.com/chupakabr/valera-cv
Technologies:	Swift, Cocoa Touch.
Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	Development of iOS app for gamers. http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/gamme/id506185559
Technologies:	Objective-C, Cocoa Touch.
Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	Development of iOS app. http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/pgcards/id501675653
Technologies:	Objective-C, Cocoa Touch.
Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	My personal blog. http://chupakabr.ru
Technologies:	Wordpress API/Plug-ins, PHP, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (jQuery), MySQL.
Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	Site for storing and sharing save games online with an ability to ask other users for specific save games. http://delaitak.ru/
Technologies:	PHP, Zend Framework, HTML, CSS.

Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	<p>Music/Video download plug-in for the most popular social network in Russia (vkontakte.ru / vk.com).</p> <p>Music Firefox: https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/10914, the project has been sold to Hong-Kong company in 2012.</p> <p>Video Firefox: https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/10895, the project has been sold to Hong-Kong company in 2012.</p> <p>Music Chrome: https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/kcancnkfghgoepplpklknicnkllchjc</p> <p>Video Chrome: https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/fkcjebdeioifnekclbodfmhidjgehlek</p>
Technologies:	Firefox API, Chrome API, AJAX, JavaScript.

Position:	Author and Owner
Project:	<p>Online application for guessing man's age and nationality by uploaded picture. Additionally vkontakte.ru/vk.com social application with the same functionality has been implemented as a part of the project.</p> <p>Web version: http://skokalet.chupakabr.ru.</p> <p>VK.com version: http://vkontakte.ru/app1805336_330871.</p>
Technologies:	PHP, Zend Framework, Flex, Vkontakte API HTML, CSS, JavaScript. MySQL.

Company and duration:	Freelance, 2010 – 2012
Positions and projects:	
Position:	Interviewer, IT Consultant (Freelancer)
Project:	<p>SMS services in New York, USA.</p> <p>http://simpletexting.com.</p>
Technologies:	Grails/Groovy/Java, MongoDB, JS/jQuery.

Position:	Software developer (Freelancer)
Project:	Online currency exchange, http://transferwise.com
Technologies:	Grails/Groovy/Java, HTML/JS/CSS, SQL.

Position:	Software Developer (Freelancer)
Project:	<p>Dutch campers rental website.</p> <p>http://dutchnomads.com</p>
Technologies:	PHP, Zend Framework, Doctrine, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (jQuery), SQL.

Position:	Software Developer (Freelancer)
Project:	Different projects for a web studio (http://pugofka.com)
Technologies:	PHP, Zend Framework, Doctrine, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (jQuery), SQL.