

# Mikel Ward

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## Career Ambitions

I would like to work in a challenging and rewarding software development or system administration environment where I can learn from other highly skilled people.

I would also like to continue to earn relevant industry certifications.

## Employment History

- July 2011 — **Site Reliability Engineer/Systems Engineer**  
[Google](#), Mountain View, California, United States of America
- June 2010 — **Student, Master of Information Technology (withdrawn)**  
March 2011 [University of Melbourne](#), Parkville, Victoria, Australia
- 2007—  
May 2010 **Linux Systems Administrator/Systems Engineer**  
[Aconex](#), Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- Administration of Java-based Web application
  - Administration of Linux and Windows production servers
  - System monitoring and alerting
  - Automation of Windows and Linux builds
  - Development of in-house tools
  - On-call support
- 2003—  
2007 **Systems Administrator/Software Developer**  
[Leigh Mardon Australasia](#), Highett, Victoria, Australia
- Development of UNIX server and Windows client software in C++
  - Development of license capture Web site in PHP
  - Administration of AIX, HP-UX, Linux and Windows servers
- 2000—  
2003 **Trainee Software Engineer/Systems Administrator**  
[Adacel Technologies](#), Wodonga, Victoria, Australia
- Development of FailSafe network diagnostics in Perl on UNIX
  - Maintenance of SGI FAM file monitor in C++ on IRIX and Linux
  - Administration of Red Hat Linux servers
- 2000 **Systems Engineer/Network Designer**  
Celvin Technologies, Bairnsdale, Victoria, Australia
- Planning and rollout of 13 site ISDN WAN
  - Installation and maintenance of Windows servers
  - On-site technical support and user training

## Qualifications

2011, 2008	<a href="#">Red Hat Certified Engineer (RHCE)</a> Red Hat Global Learning Services
2011	<a href="#">Cisco Certified Entry Networking Technician (CCENT)</a>
2010— 2011	<a href="#">Postgraduate Certificate of Information Technology</a> University of Melbourne
2004— 2007	<a href="#">Bachelor of Computer Science</a> Monash University

## Skills

- Linux (Red Hat, Debian, etc.)
- Unix (AIX, FreeBSD, HP-UX, IRIX, Solaris, etc.)
- Windows (95, NT, 2000, XP, 2003, Vista, 2008, etc.)
- Scripting (Bash, KornShell, Perl, Python, etc.)
- Services (DNS, FTP, HTTP, NFS, MySQL, SSH, etc.)
- Programming (C, C++, Java, etc.)
- Networking (TCP/IP, firewalls)
- Web (HTML, CSS, PHP, JavaScript, etc.)

## Awards

- Perfect score, UNIX Tools, Monash University
- Perfect score, Red Hat Certified Engineer

## Other

Active contributor on the Stack Exchange network:

- [Unix & Linux](#)
- [Superuser](#)
- [Stackoverflow](#)

## Referees

Please contact me for details.