

# James E. Byars

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Kansas City, MO** June 2014-Present

Software Developer II

- Develop complex enterprise level applications using J2EE, Oracle WebCenter Portal
- Develop scalable RESTful API's in Java
- Design and implement Continuous Integration (CI) services using ANT and Bamboo
- Founder and leader of internal Oracle WebCenter Portal user group

**Cerner Corporation, Kansas City, MO** May 2013-June 2014

Software Engineer Apprentice

- Developed software for the healthcare industry using C#, WPF, VB, SQL
- Created and updated unit test cases using NUnit
- Mentored new team members and guided through production cycle

**Bank of the West, Overland Park, KS** April 2011-June 2013

Financial Services Representative

- Coached teller staff to higher quality conversations, therefore increasing sales for the branch
- Lead team to achieve goals within one quarter of arriving, increased production and customer satisfaction by 75%

## EDUCATION

**Master of Arts, Information Technology** Expected 2019

Harvard University

Emphasis in Information Systems Management

Current GPA: 4.0

**Bachelor of Science, Information Technology** Spring 2014

The University of Kansas, School of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Engineering GPA 4.0

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Java	Oracle Tech	Web Technologies	Python
PHP	SQL	Agile Techniques	bash

## HONORS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Above & Beyond Performance | Night on the Town Award, Cerner Corp. July 2013

- Recognition of high performing individuals

Johnson County Education Research Triangle Grant Recipient 2012-2013

- Twice awarded competitive grant based on academic achievement

Circle of Excellence Award, Bank of the West March 2013

- Annual award given to top 5% of bank employees

Top Performers Club, Bank of the West 2012-2013

- Four time winner of quarterly award in 2012-2013

## ASSOCIATIONS

Association for Computing Machinery Member (ACM) May 2013 - Present

Kansas City Information Technology Professionals (KCITP) August 2013 - Present