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A Day in the Life of a Software Development Professional

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What is it like to be a software development professional? What are the day to day experiences?
What do you need to grasp about architecture, database design, business logic and system flow?
What is it to work with large integration teams? How can you prepare yourself to be a more
attractive job candidate? What do software teams look for in prospective employees?
Why you should volunteer for open source projects? What are some online opportunities
to sign up and show off your coding skills? Where to look for software development internships?

Gayathri Swaminathan is responsible for the design and maintenance of systems infrastructure at Information technology, University of Oklahoma (OU). A graduate of the Masters program in Computer science, she enjoys implementing architectures for enterprise platforms, solving difficult problems which include performance and tuning exercises. She enjoys deep diving into system architectures that have unpredictable behaviors which makes her an invaluable asset to her team at OU. She contributes to numerous open source software projects, including Fedora. She is also active in educational groups such as LinuxChix (where she is currently a systems administrator). She has presented many talks on system design and systems tuning in the past.

