

# Richard D. Stueven

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## **EXPERIENCE**

May 2005 to  
present

### **Brewer**

[Gottberg Brew Pub / Dusters Restaurant](#), Columbus NE

Responsible for all aspects of brewery operations.

May 2004  
May 2005

### **Brewmaster**

[William Kuether Brewing Company](#), Clear Lake WI

Involved with brewery installation starting at the “big empty room” stage. Developed recipes for specified brands. Responsible for all brewhouse production, packaging, procurement, and paperwork, as well as the Web site.

September 2003  
October 2003

### **Interim Brewer**

[Tiletown Brewing Company](#), Green Bay WI

Filled in for a month between the departure of one Head Brewer and the arrival of another. Kept the tanks full and trained one full-time and one part-time Assistant Brewer (who later became the Head Brewer).

March 2002  
July 2002

### **Brewmaster**

[Fox River Brewing Company](#), Oshkosh WI

Responsible for all brewhouse production.

October 2001  
March 2002

### **Technical Consultant**

Slab City Brewing Company, Bonduel WI

Temporary part-time position involving brewing, engineering, and laboratory work.

July 1998  
September 2001

### **Head Brewer**

Egan Brewing Company, De Pere WI

A more accurate job title would be "Only Brewer".

Responsibilities:

- Recipe formulation — nearly 50 different styles in 3½ years
- Ordering supplies
- Brewing, fermenting, cellaring, kegging
- Microbiology and quality control laboratory
- Draft line maintenance
- Maintenance of all equipment and utilities
- Off-site account deliveries
- Tours and special events
- Advertising, newsletter, Web site

Ongoing since  
March 1998

### **Brewery software developer**

I've been developing and refining a software package that tracks all aspects of a brewery's operation, including raw materials ordering, brewing logs, inventory, and tax reporting. I have used this system everywhere I've brewed, and I am working toward making it a commercially-available package.

October 1995 **Head Brewer**  
February 1998 Molokai Brewing Company, Kaunakakai HI

Responsible for brewhouse design, floor plan, equipment selection, and recipe formulation. Would have been responsible for all brewery operations, but unfortunate political problems culminated in Maui County's denial of our liquor license, and I subsequently left Hawaii to further my education at the [Siebel Institute of Technology](#) (see below).

Ongoing since **Beer Web Sites**  
January 1992 Beer Me! <http://www.beerme.com/>  
Breweries On The Web <http://www.breweriesontheweb.com/>

Two ever-growing compendia of more than 9,000 breweries and more than 5,500 beers, including tasting notes, brewery descriptions and histories, the brewing process, and accounts of my travels, along with more than 3,700 links to brewery Web sites. "Beer Me!" is especially notable for being one of the first beer sites ever to appear on the Internet. I also created and maintained the Web sites for **Egan Brewing** and [Kuether Brewing](#).

May 1985 **Computer Software**  
May 1994 [AT&T](#), Somerset NJ  
[Sun Microsystems](#), Mountain View CA  
[Wind River Systems](#), Alameda CA

Computer programming, system operations, technical support, and management. My specialty is UNIX, but I am very familiar with PC applications such as Microsoft Word, Access, and Excel, and I have been designing Web pages since 1992.

## **EDUCATION**

May 1998 [Siebel Institute of Technology](#) — 4<sup>th</sup> Professional Brewers Certification Program  
Chicago IL

Eight-week program comprising these courses:

- Short Course in Brewing Technology
- Practical Brewery Engineering
- Brewing Microbiology and Microscopy
- Essential Quality Course for Brewers
- Sensory Evaluation of Beer
- Microbrewery and Pub Brewery Operations (at [Goose Island](#) Brewpub)

February 1996 **American Craft Brewers Academy**  
Torrance CA

Nine-day intensive hands-on brewing course sponsored by Bohemian Breweries International.

December 1984 [University of Nebraska](#) — B.S. Computer Science major, Astrophysics minor  
Lincoln NE

## **ORGANIZATIONS**

Since 2001 [Beer Judge Certification Program](#), National Judge  
Since 1996 [Brewers Association](#), Individual Member  
Since 1991 [Libertarian Party of the United States](#), Member

## **REFERENCES**

Brent Weycker, Owner/Manager	<b>Titletown Brewing Company</b> Green Bay WI, 920-437-2337	Steve Lonsway, Owner/Brewer	<b>Stone Cellar Brewpub &amp; Restaurant</b> Appleton WI, 920-731-3322
Bill Winsand, Owner/Brewer	<b>Slab City Brewing Company</b> Bonduel WI, 715-758-2337	Annette Egan, Owner	<b>Egan Brewing Company</b> Allouez WI, 920-336-1819