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Software Engineer

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Results-driven and detail-oriented Full Stack Developer with hands-on experience in building scalable and efficient web applications using the **MERN** stack. Adept at both **frontend** and **backend** development, with a solid foundation in data structures, algorithms, and emerging technologies such as **AI** and **ML**. Proven ability to deliver high-quality solutions in remote, freelance, and collaborative team environments. Actively seeking opportunities to contribute to impactful projects while growing as a developer.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Java, C#, Python, Javascript.
- Javascript Frameworks & Libraries: ReactJS, NextJS, NodeJS, ExpressJS.
- Databases: Oracle, PostgreSQL, SQL Server, MySQL, MongoDB, Redis, SQLite
- Frontend & Other Tools/Libraries: ReactJS, NextJS, Bootstrap, TailwindCSS, Material UI, ShadCN
- Backend: NodeJS, Express JS, Java SpringBoot, FastAPI, Flask
- AI/ML & Data Science Tools (Introductory): Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras, NumPy, Pandas.
- Other Tools: Postman, Docker, Git, GitHub, Data Structures & Algorithms, REST APIs, MVC Architecture

SOFT SKILLS

• Problem Solving

• Critical Thinking

• Team Management

Communication

Leadership

Creativity

• Attention to Detail

• Time Management

WORK EXPERIENCE

Upwork – (Jan 2025 – Present)

Freelancer

- Working on full-stack projects for clients with a focus on MERN technologies.
- Responsible for developing frontend interfaces and backend APIs.
- Managed project deployment and client support independently.

Ai Pinnacle (NASTP) – (Aug 2024 – Dec 2024)

Full Stack Web Developer

- Assisted in building web applications using asp.NET and modern frontend frameworks.
- Collaborated in a team environment, contributing to new features and bug fixes.
- Maintained code quality and documentation standards.

EESS Solutions – *(Sept 2023 – July 2024)*

MERN Stack Developer

- Contributed to frontend and backend tasks for web-based products.
- Supported the development team with feature implementation and debugging.
- Participated in remote agile sprint cycles.

Fiverr – *(Sept 2022 – Dec 2023)*

Freelancer

- O Developed and maintained complex websites, demonstrating strong problem-solving skills to address and resolve bugs effectively.
- O Applied in-depth knowledge of data structures (e.g., arrays, linked lists, stacks) and algorithmic concepts (e.g., searching, sorting) to optimize website performance.
- O Utilized programming languages such as C++, Java, and Python to implement efficient data structures and algorithms, ensuring robust and scalable solutions.

Personal Projects

- Book it Blockchain based Online Ticketing System: A web app ensuring secure, transparent bookings by leveraging blockchain for data integrity and trust. [GitHub Repository]
- Employee Management System: Built using linked lists, this system supports CRUD operations, advanced search, and salary updates, with a user-friendly GUI for efficient record handling. [GitHub Repository]
- Feedback App: A feedback application for collecting and managing user feedback efficiently, featuring a user-friendly interface and robust data handling. [Live Link]

• Analysis of Telecom Customer Churn: An in-depth exploration of telecom customer churn, offering data-driven insights and predictive models for effective mitigation. [GitHub Repository]

Professional Projects

• Cleaners Compare - Commercial Machine Listing Platform

Role: Web Developer at Ai Pinnacle (NASTP)

Developed core functionalities for a platform enabling users to list commercial cleaning machines. Integrated Stripe for payments, implemented secure file uploads, and optimized listing workflows by replacing a credit-based system.

Tech Stack: ASP.NET Core, Razor Pages, SQL Server, Stripe API

https://www.cleanerscompare.com

Motion Analysis Using Accelerometer and Gyroscope Data

Role: Freelance Python Developer

Built a motion detection and speed estimation system using accelerometer and gyroscope sensor data. Implemented Kalman Filter for real-time speed estimation and designed modular, customizable Python code for easy adaptation across different motion analysis use cases. [GitHub Repository]

Tech Stack: Python, NumPy, Pandas, SciPy, Kalman Filter, Python Sockets

Reddit Scrapper

Role: Freelance Python Developer

Extract data from Reddit with Python. Efficient, customizable, and API-compliant. Parse and store data for analysis. Community-supported. Open-source license. [GitHub Repository]

Tech Stack: Python, NumPy, Pandas, nltk, PRAW, Python Sockets

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Computer Science

Sukkur IBA University, Sukkur, Pakistan

NTHP OGDCL Scholar Website: <u>iba-suk.edu.pk</u> Sep 2020 - May 2024

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Jan 2023** Digital Learning & Skills Enrichment Initiative (DLSEI) sponsorship from Higher Education Commission (HEC) for Coursera. (x2)
- Sep 2020 Oil and Gas Development Company Limited (OGDCL) Scholarship for Bachelor studies.
- May 2024 Awarded funding under the National Grassroots ICT Research Initiative (NGIRI) by Ignite (Ministry of IT & Telecom, Pakistan) for developing an innovative final year project titled "Book It A Blockchain-based Online Ticketing System"

CERTIFICATION

- Meta Frontend Developer Specialization Coursera
- Meta Backend Developer Specialization Coursera
- Python and Machine Learning Udemy BootCamp
- Data Structures Udemy
- React Development Bootcamp Udemy
- MongoDB MongoDB University

VOLUNTEER WORK

- Executive Member Community Welfare Society (2021–2022)
- Coordinator Computer Science Society (ACM) (2022–2024)
- Volunteer Al-Shifa Trust (2021–2023)

INTERESTS

AI & Machine Learning, Reading, Photography, Video Games