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#### **SUMMARY**

Self-taught and highly motivated Full Stack Developer and Data Science student with a strong foundation in modern web technologies including HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python, and Git. Proficient in backend development using both the MERN stack (MongoDB, Express, Node.js) and Django, with hands-on experience building scalable APIs, implementing authentication, and working with relational and NoSQL databases. Experienced in mentoring beginner developers and promoting tech education through roles such as ALX Campus Student Recruiter and GDG On Campus Mentor. Successfully completed a professional frontend internship under NDA and contributed to real-world projects such as a university collaboration platform and a smart response tracking system. Currently deepening expertise in advanced backend systems while progressing through the Data Analytics stage of a Data Science track. Committed to continuous learning, team collaboration, and delivering impactful, user-focused digital solutions.

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## **Student Campus Recruiter**

Apr 2025 - Present

ALX - Ethiopia - Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

- Introducing ALX programs to students on campus, facilitating understanding and enrollment processes.
- Engaged with peers to share program opportunities and updates, fostering a supportive community.
- Guided new applicants through the application process, providing assistance and answering inquiries.

## **Frontend Developer Intern**

Mar 2025 - May 2025

Stenar Trading- Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

- Contributed to the development of internal and client-facing web solutions as part of a cross-functional team.
- Gained hands-on experience in building user interfaces and collaborating in a professional software development environment.
- Maintained strict adherence to confidentiality and non-disclosure agreements throughout the project lifecycle.
- Strengthened skills in responsive design, user experience considerations, and team-based development workflows.

#### **Beginner's Track Mentor**

Dec 2024 - June 2025

GDG On Campus AASTU – Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

- Mentoring beginner students in HTML, Git, CSS, and JavaScript to solidify their understanding of web development basics.
- Collaborating with GDG On Campus AASTU web technical Leads to create a supportive learning environment for aspiring web developers.
- Guiding and supporting students in grasping the fundamentals of web development to kicks-tart their journey in the field.

### Software engineering Associate,

## AASTU Software Engineers Association – Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Oct 2024 - Present

- Actively participate in hackathons and tech events hosted or co-hosted by the AASTU Software Community.
- Collaborate with peers to develop innovative solutions under time constraints during student-led hackathons.
- Gain practical experience in teamwork, rapid prototyping, and problem-solving in a competitive setting.
- Stay connected with the local tech community and emerging tools through active event participation.

#### **EDUCATION**

### Addis Ababa Science and Technology University – Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

March 2023 - Present

BASC, Industrial Chemistry

ExploreAI Academy - Remote, Cape Town, South Africa

June 2025 - Present

Nano Degree, Data Science

## ONLINE COURSES AND CERTIFICATION

## Frontend Development – ALX Africa Link

**Completed January 2025** 

Gained practical skills in frontend development where I built a movie recommendation using react, tailwind

### Hospitality Hackathon Participation - ALX Ethiopia Link

Completed April 2025

Developed a smart Response System for the hackathon with a group of 5 developers integrating LLM to our project.

### Professional Foundations – ALX Africa Link

**Completed Augst 2024** 

Finished ALX Africa's Professional Foundations track, developing strong foundations in communication, professionalism, and analytical thinking.

# AI Career Essentials – ALX Africa Link

**Completed July 2024** 

Trained in ALX AI Career Essentials, focusing on core AI concepts, industry use cases, and responsible AI practices.

# **Technical SKILLS**

Soft Skills	Problem Solving	Responsive Design	Leadership	Trello	Version Control	Agile Methodology
Frontend	Javascript, Typescript	React,NextJS, HTML	Zustand, Redux	Tailwind, Bootstrap	UI/UX, Figma	SEO, Axios, React Query
Backend	Django, NodeJS	Express	Supabase	API		·
Database	PostgreSQL	MongoDB	MySQL			
Tools &	Git,Github	Trello, Jira,	Vscode, Postman			
Practices	,	, ,	,			
LANGUAGE						
Amharic - Native		English - Expert				
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