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# Professional Summary

With over 8 years of extensive IT experience in software development, I specialize in both SAO-based and client/server applications across multi-platform environments. Leveraging Object-Oriented Methodologies and JAVA/J2EE technologies, I have been actively involved in all phases of the Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC). I possess strong leadership and management skills, coupled with deep expertise in business process redesign and project management using both Waterfall and Agile/Scrum methodologies. My proficiency in technology integration, architectural skills, and distributed component development complements my ability to transform conceptual visions into fully realized products. I am an original thinker, eager to learn and adapt to new challenges, and excel in building strong interpersonal relationships.

# Experience

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Full Stack Developer - Verizon/InnovaSolutions
May 2023 – July 2024
Project Overview: Spearheaded the monitoring of the GSAM application to swiftly address production issues and led the development of multiple APIs.
Key Responsibilities:
- Engineered integration applications within an Agile Scrum framework, actively engaging in daily stand-ups, sprint reviews, and kickoffs, utilizing Jira for seamless project management.
- Architected Spring Boot applications and microservices employing RESTful web services for robust application development.
- Designed and implemented applications to effectively retrieve data from Salesforce APIs.
- Expertly coded with core Java concepts, including multithreading, collections, serialization, synchronization, and Java 8 exception handling.
- Leveraged Helm charts to guarantee uniform deployments across development, staging, and production environments.
- Employed Java 8 and Java 17 features, such as streams and lambda expressions, to enhance code efficiency and resource management.
- Mastered the deployment, scaling, and management of containerized applications using Kubernetes.
- Developed automated CI/CD pipelines with Kubernetes, streamlining application deployments.
- Enforced best practices for container security within Kubernetes, ensuring secure deployments and risk mitigation.
- Engaged in code reviews and mentoring, utilizing GIT for version control and GIT Bash for interactions.
- Managed Jira tickets, ensuring timely completion and regular status updates.
- Contributed to Agile Scrum daily stand-ups to report progress and address impediments.
Technical Environment: Java 17, Agile, Core Java, Spring, Spring Boot, JavaScript, JIRA, MySQL, Hibernate, REST, GIT, Eclipse, Jenkins, Gradle, AWS.

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# Education