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Profile

I am a software engineer with two years of professional experience, holding a Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Computing in Software Development from Dundalk Institute of Technology. My professional journey includes diverse projects in full-stack development, coupled with a deep interest in IoT (Internet of Things) and the emerging Web3 sector. I have a track record of developing software solutions that are both user-centric and practical. Eager to learn and apply new technologies, I excel in team environments and possess strong communication skills, seeking opportunities to join a dynamic team where I can further enhance my skills and contribute to innovative and impactful projects.

Education

BSc (Hons) in Computing in Software Development

September 2017 – June 2021

Dundalk Institute of Technology | Dundalk, Co. Louth, Ireland Second Class Honours Grade 1

Programming Languages and Technologies: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, React.js, Redux.js, Bootstrap, Node.js, SQL databases, NoSQL databases, Java, C++, Python, Kotlin, R, Bash.

Final Year Project:

In collaboration with DkIT's Centre for Freshwater and Environmental Studies, we advanced Aquality1.0 to Aquality2.0 for enhanced river water quality monitoring. As a front-end and hardware engineer, I designed an IoT monitoring system using ESP32 microcontrollers and environmental sensors. Additionally, I developed a cross-platform mobile app with React Native, integrating seamless data synchronisation and AI-powered analysis through RESTful APIs.

Relevant Experience

Graduate Software Engineer

October 2021 - October 2023

Climote LTD | Dundalk, Co. Louth, Ireland

- Developed websites and applications for internal and external users, focusing on remote heating control systems.
- Collaborated with the R&D team in a project focused on data visualization for internal analysis, utilising advanced analytics to study customer behaviour. This collaboration contributed to the development of algorithms that enhanced energy-saving solutions.
- Utilised Git for version control and Bash for scripting in project development.
- Adopted Scrum in a hybrid working environment for agile project management.
- Contributed to software development through bug fixing, feature enhancements, and API integration for Climote hardware products.
- Gained expertise in SQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, and PHP, using Laravel, Yii2, and Bootstrap.

Software Engineer Intern

Flogas Ireland LTD | Drogheda, Co. Louth, Ireland

- Developed a mobile app prototype using Microsoft Power Apps, enhancing employee access to data on gas product types and tank statuses.
- Actively contributed to the company's digital transformation, updating system images for improved business process efficiency.
- Configured VPNs for secure employee remote access during the COVID-19 lockdown, supporting business continuity.
- Delivered IT support, troubleshooting and resolving issues, and aiding employees through the Flogas IT help desk.

Skills Set

- **Programming Languages:** Proficient with SQL, JavaScript, and Bash scripting.
- Web Development: Strong skills in HTML, CSS, and EJS for creating dynamic web interfaces.
- Frameworks & Libraries: Well-versed in React.js, Node.js, Redux.js, Express.js, and Bootstrap for full-stack development.
- **Decentralised Applications (DApps):** Familiar with the concepts of developing DApps and the basics of Web3 technologies.
- **API Integration:** Experienced in developing and integrating RESTful APIs.
- **Version Control:** Competent with Git for version control and team collaboration.
- Full-Stack Development: Solid understanding of full-stack development processes and methodologies.
- **Agile Methodology:** Practiced in Scrum methodology, adapting to hybrid work environments for agile project management.
- Office Tools: Efficient in using the Microsoft Office suite for documentation and presentation purposes.

Extracurricular and Professional Development

- Club Leadership: Served as the Archery Club's Webmaster, improving online interaction and information sharing.
- Professional Engagement: Participated actively in the Association for Computing Machinery, joining educational talks, and connecting with industry peers.
- Cultural Contribution: Acted as an International Student Ambassador at DkIT, helping to welcome students from various backgrounds.
- Sporting Endeavours: Competed in university badminton and archery teams, showcasing dedication and team spirit.
- Professional Development: Completed a Web Development Bootcamp via Udemy, where I honed my skills in full-stack development and Web3, solidifying my foundational knowledge in these areas.
- Skill Development: Quickly grasped new concepts, tackled complex issues effectively, and consistently delivered on time under pressure.

References

Leon Smyth, Senior Analyst at Climote

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