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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

A highly motivated and results-driven Software Engineer with a proven track record of academic excellence and hands-on experience in full-stack web development. Best Graduating Student of the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering at Rauf Denktaş University, with a consistent High Honors record throughout all semesters and a CGPA of 3.98/4.00. Currently pursuing a Master's degree in Computer Science with a concentration in **Data Science** and **Artificial Intelligence**, driven by a deep passion for building intelligent systems that solve real-world problems. Demonstrates strong skills in backend and frontend development, project leadership, and problem-solving, with a keen ability to adapt to new technologies. Eager to contribute to innovative teams and make a measurable impact in the tech industry.

EXPERIENCE

November. 2024 - Present
Lefkosa, North Cyprus

Founder & Lead Developer, BurgTech (Personal Tech Brand)

- Launched a personal tech brand offering services in web development, e-commerce customization, flyer design, software installation, and educational content in programming and mathematics.

April. 2022 - Dec. 2024
Lefkosa, North Cyprus

Teaching Assistant, Rauf Denktaş University

- Assisted in delivering undergraduate coursework across multiple subjects, including:

Web Design

Linear Algebra

Probabilities and Statistics

C++ Programming

Basic Computer Technologies

Human Computer Interaction (with a focus on Figma for UI/UX design)

- Supported lead instructors in grading assignments and tutoring students.
- Facilitated lab session and provided one to one academic support to enhance student understanding.
- Encouraged interactive and practical learning through hands-on projects and software tools.

July. 2024 - September.
2024
Lefkosa, North Cyprus

Intern, Front Dreams Technologies

- Completed a remote internship under the mentorship of the CEO of FrontDreams Technologies, who served as both the team supervisor and lead instructor.
- Actively worked on two major full-stack projects:

A **Content Management System (CMS)** using Laravel (PHP) with QuickAdminPanel for backend development and a pre-designed template for frontend integration.

A **Nigeria Business Registry** system that enabled secure, structured business data registration and display.

- Executed individual project tasks independently with continuous guidance from the CEO, enhancing both problem-solving and technical implementation skills.

- Gained hands-on experience with **Laravel**, **PHP**, **QuickAdminPanel**, and modern HTML/CSS/JavaScript frameworks.
- Explored **WordPress development**, covering custom themes, plugin management, and content optimization.
- Learned and applied **Search Engine Optimization (SEO)** best practices, including proper site structuring, metadata handling, and performance improvements.
- Participated in a **Cybersecurity Workshop** conducted by the CEO, gaining foundational knowledge in areas such as secure coding practices, data protection principles, and common web vulnerabilities.
- Engaged in planning meetings, code reviews, and team discussions to ensure quality deliverables and maintain best practices in web development.

EDUCATION

February. 2025

Bachelor of Science:Software Engineering

- Rauf Denktaş University, Lefkosa, North Cyprus

SKILLS

Experienced	●	Project Management
Experienced	●	HTML/CSS
Skillful	●	Javascript
Experienced	●	PHP/Laravel
Experienced	●	MYSQL
Experienced	●	AdminPanel
Experienced	●	Wordpress
Experienced	●	Canva

LANGUAGES

Native speaker



English

ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Best Graduating Student – Faculty of Architecture and Engineering (Rauf Denktaş University)**
- **CGPA: 3.98 / 4.00** – Maintained exceptional academic performance throughout the undergraduate program
- **Certificate of High Honor Student (All Semesters)** – Earned consistent recognition for academic excellence in all semesters
- **Academic Tutor & Mentor** – Provided peer tutoring and mentorship in core **Software Engineering** courses
- **Free Online Tech Educator** – Voluntarily conducted free online classes in programming and web development to support beginners
- **Entrepreneurship & Business Development** – Founded and manage **Burtech**, offering web solutions, digital services, and educational content