Cole Morton

Senior Software Engineer | Al-Augmented Development | Full-Stack Architecture

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Senior Software Engineer with 11+ years building production systems across fintech, healthtech, and digital commerce. Expert in Al-augmented development practices, having architected and deployed enterprise-grade content systems processing 18+ financial APIs with institutional-quality outputs. Recently relocated to Brisbane from Berlin, bringing global perspective and modern development approaches to Australia's thriving tech ecosystem.

Core Competencies

- Architected production systems handling 100+ institutional-grade financial analyses
- Pioneer in Al-orchestration development with 21-command Claude integration system
- Full-stack expertise across React, TypeScript, Node.js, Python ecosystems
- Executive-level experience: 5 years autonomous technical decision-making
- Active GitHub contributor (daily 1+ years): 28,500+ lines of maintained code

TECHNICAL SKILLS

LANGUAGES & FRAMEWORKS

TypeScript • JavaScript (ES6+) • Python • React 19 • Node.js • Astro • GraphQL • .NET

AI & AUTOMATION

Claude Al orchestration • OpenRouter integration • Cursor IDE • GitHub Copilot

CLOUD & INFRASTRUCTURE

AWS • Netlify • Docker • CI/CD pipelines • GitHub Actions

DATA & APIS

RESTful APIs • Contract-driven architecture • 18+ financial API integrations

METHODOLOGIES

Agile/Scrum • TDD • DRY, SOLID, KISS • Fail-fast principles

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Founder & Principal Engineer

Self-Directed Software Development October 2020 - Present $Berlin, Germany \rightarrow Brisbane, Australia$

Led executive-level technical initiatives building production-grade financial analysis systems, demonstrating enterprise architecture capabilities typically found in CTO/Principal Engineer roles.

Key Achievements:

- Sensylate Platform: Architected GenContentOps system with sophisticated 21command AI orchestration, processing financial data into institutional-grade content with 9.2/10 quality metrics
- **Production Scale:** Generated 100+ fundamental analysis reports meeting institutional standards through automated DASV (Discovery-Analyze-Synthesize-Validate) framework
- **Technical Leadership:** Made architectural decisions impacting 28,500+ lines of production code across Python and TypeScript, maintaining daily GitHub activity
- **API Integration:** Designed contract-driven data pipeline integrating 18+ financial APIs with intelligent caching and comprehensive error handling
- Quantitative Systems: Built comprehensive trading analysis toolkit with backtesting, portfolio optimization, and risk management capabilities

Technologies: Python, React 19, TypeScript, Astro 5.7.8, Claude AI, TailwindCSS, Plotly

Senior Software Engineer

Oetker Digital GmbH July 2018 - October 2020 Berlin, Germany

Delivered multiple high-impact projects in fast-paced product environment, adapting quickly to diverse technology stacks and business requirements.

Key Achievements:

- Frontend Architecture: Led frontend architecture decisions for multi-brand e-commerce platform serving millions of users
- **GraphQL Migration:** Implemented GraphQL migration reducing API calls by 60% and improving page load times
- Technical Mentorship: Mentored junior developers in React best practices and modern JavaScript patterns
- Feature Delivery: Delivered 15+ production features meeting aggressive deadlines without compromising quality

Technologies: React, Vue.js, TypeScript, GraphQL, Node.js, AWS, Docker

Senior Frontend Developer

Panorama Berlin March 2018 - June 2018 Berlin, Germany

Led development of innovative mobile-first Progressive Web Application for major fashion events.

Key Achievements:

- **PWA Architecture:** Architected offline-capable PWA with QR scanning, enhancing attendee experience for 5,000+ users
- Service Workers: Implemented service workers achieving 100% offline functionality for critical features
- Open Source Contribution: Open-sourced Peach UI component library, adopted by 3 internal teams

Technologies: React, Apollo GraphQL, Service Workers, PWA, Mobile-first design

Senior Software Developer

CrossLend GmbH (Fintech) July 2015 - June 2016 Berlin/Luxembourg

Contributed to core lending platform handling €50M+ in transactions with focus on reliability and performance.

Key Achievements:

- **Real-time Trading Dashboard:** Developed real-time trading dashboard processing 1,000+ transactions per minute
- Test Coverage: Implemented comprehensive test suite achieving 95% code coverage
- CI/CD Optimization: Reduced deployment time by 70% through CI/CD pipeline optimization

Technologies: React, Redux, Node.js, PostgreSQL, TDD, CI/CD

Software Developer

Charm Health January 2012 - April 2013 Brisbane, Australia

Built enterprise healthcare solution for Chris O'Brien Lifehouse at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney.

Key Achievements:

- Patient Management: Developed patient management modules serving 10,000+ cancer patients
- Real-time Synchronization: Implemented real-time data synchronization using SignalR
- System Reliability: Achieved 99.9% uptime for critical healthcare systems

Technologies: .NET, Silverlight, WCF, SignalR, Entity Framework, SQL Server

Software Developer

ISAC New Zealand Ltd October 2009 - January 2012 Auckland, New Zealand

Developed commercial freight tracking system for DHL Global Freight and internal time management tools.

Key Achievements:

- **Door2More System:** Built Door2More freight tracking system processing 50,000+ shipments monthly
- Process Automation: Reduced manual tracking time by 80% through automation
- Scalable Architecture: Designed scalable architecture supporting international expansion

Technologies: ASP.NET MVC, C#, SQL Server, Entity Framework, jQuery

ENTREPRENEURIAL VENTURES

Taupemist Cooperative | Founder

December 2017 - August 2020 | Global

Founded non-profit blockchain cooperative exploring decentralized economy participation, demonstrating early adoption of emerging technologies and community leadership.

EDUCATION

Diploma in Software Development

Computer Power Institute | 2008 - 2009 | Auckland, New Zealand

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Open Source: Active GitHub contributor with daily commits over past year
- Languages: English (Native), German (Working Proficiency), Esperanto (Limited)
- Work Rights: Full Australian work rights (New Zealand citizen)
- Location: Brisbane-based, open to hybrid arrangements