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Summary

Dedicated Tester with over two years of experience and ISTQB certification, adept at providing comprehensive testing expertise across all stages of software development. Proficient in creating meticulous test plans, strategies, cases, and scripts. Possessing hands-on experience with a diverse range of technologies including Java, Playwright, and Git, with a strong understanding of web-based applications and APIs. Proven track record as a collaborative team player, facilitating efficient communication and synergy between product and development teams. Eager to leverage my testing background and technical acumen to transition into a software developer/engineer role, where I can contribute my skills to the creation of innovative software solutions.

Skills

- **JavaScript/CSS/HTML** I used these to create various personal projects. Including Weather App and Portfolio.
- **React** I am currently taking a udemy course to learn React/Next.js/Typescript/Tailwind. I have created personal projects such as: Weather App and To Do list. In these projects I used OpenWeatherApp API to get weather data and then used a combination of Typescript & React (Next.js), for styling I used Tailwind.
- **React Native** I have been exploring React Native as a way to create mobile apps with my friend. I find that using React Native for both Android and IOS is very efficient but it has made me more interested in Swift & Kotlin.
- **Java** I use Java to write automation test scripts and used this during university. I have also created personal projects using Java such as a weather app, this was so I could demonstrate how to call APIs this also allowed me to use JavaFX. I then created a similar app in Next.js to see which method I preferred.
- Playwright I have experience using playwright with Java for writing automation test scripts
- **Python** I used Python for my final year project (F.R.A.M.E).I also used python to create a web scraper.
- Git I have been using git as source control for my personal projects on Github.
- JIRA/Confluence Used to organise work on projects assigning tickets and bugs.
- IntelliJ I use this IDE for Java
- VS Code I use this IDE for HTML/CSS/JavaScript.
- Microsoft Office I frequently use Word and I have experience in Excel/Google Sheets
- **Microsoft Teams** I use Teams day to day for work meetings and communication across the company.

Certifications

ISTQB

Work History

August 2021-June 2024 Hotovo - Automation / Manual Software Tester(QA)

I am currently working with Hotovo as a Software tester on project "Akixi". This includes day to day problem solving and needing a good eye for detail. Spotting patterns and bugs, identifying bugs that affect other parts of the application. This position has also enhanced my ability to work well in a team & independently. During my time in the project I worked on Test case design, test execution, test reviews and writing test scripts. I also mentored and onboarded new testers and led the team when the Test lead was absent. This gave me great insight into leadership roles.

Education

University of Kent, Canterbury - Computer Science BSc Lower Second-Class Honors (2:2)

Group project (Dissertation)

F.R.A.M.E – Facial Recognition Attendance Monitoring Engine

For my group project we created a facial recognition software app that identifies a student's face and matches it to their student ID. If there is a match, the student is logged as attended. We did this using Python and face recognition Python library. In the project I found working as a team and achieving our goals set within the scope of the project particularly rewarding.

Secondary Education

College & GCSE Study – Chelmsford college (Chelmsford, Essex) **Btec Level 3 IT**: 3 Distinctions (DDD). **GCSEs**: 8 GCSEs including C in Maths and English.