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Senior Software Development Engineer

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SUMMARY

Senior Software Development Engineer and Full Stack Developer with 4+ years of experience delivering robust, scalable, and innovative software solutions. Expert in leading teams, designing architectures, and driving projects from concept to deployment using modern web technologies. Adept at solving complex technical challenges and passionate about mentoring others, continuous learning, and delivering high-quality results.

SKILLS

- Frontend: React, TypeScript, Next.js, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

- Backend: Node.js, Express

- Databases: MongoDB, PostgreSQL

- DevOps/Cloud: Docker, AWS

- Tools: Git, Linux, REST APIs, Agile/Scrum

- Networking & Security: CCNA (Enterprise Networking, Security & Automation), Switching, Routing, Wireless, Computer Hardware Basics

PROJECTS

Open Source Portfolio Terminal

A personal portfolio styled as a terminal (React, Tailwind CSS)

- Features dynamic typing animation, theme switcher, and CLI commands.

- GitHub: https://github.com/JohnHika/Open-Source-Portfolio-Terminal

EDUCATION

BSc in Computer Science - in progress

St. Paul's University (SPU), Limuru, Kenya

CERTIFICATIONS

- CCNA: Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation - Cisco/Kenyatta University, May 2025

- Computer Hardware Basics - Cisco/Kenyatta University, Mar 2025

- CCNAv7: Switching, Routing, and Wireless Essentials - Cisco Networking Academy, Feb 2025

- CCNAv7: Introduction to Networks - Cisco Networking Academy, Jan 2024

- AWS Certified Developer Associate (in progress)

- Data Scientist (in progress)

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REMARKS

As a Senior Software Development Engineer, I bring deep technical expertise, leadership, and a passion for building outstanding software products. My track record includes successfully leading development teams, architecting scalable solutions, and mentoring junior engineers to achieve their full potential. I thrive in dynamic environments, excel at solving complex problems, and am driven by a relentless pursuit of excellence in every project I undertake.

INTERESTS

Software engineering, cloud computing, DevOps, technical mentorship, open-source, and anime-inspired motivation.

REFERENCES

Available upon request.