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### **Personal statement**

As a highly motivated and passionate graduate from the University of Ilorin, I am seeking an opportunity to utilize my analytical skills and knowledge in a challenging and dynamic environment. I am confident in my ability to contribute to your company and eager to continue developing my skills. My journey as a software engineer has been a fulfilling and rewarding experience, where I have honed my skills in different programming languages, including all the relevant Javascript frameworks and libraries necessary to build and maintain a fully functional and responsive website application.

I am a quick learner and enjoy taking on new challenges to further develop my skills. I am confident in my ability to work collaboratively with a team and possess excellent communication skills, both written and verbal. As a dedicated and results-driven individual, I am eager to bring my skills, passion, and enthusiasm to a new opportunity in your work environment.

### **Education**

- Microsoft Learn Student Ambassador

MLSA is a program that trains young developers to amplify impact and establish yourself as a mentor and leader in your community while developing the technical skills and emotional intelligence you need to succeed.

- Developer Student Clubs (Google)

Google Developer Student Club Leads are passionate leaders at their universities who are dedicated to helping their peers learn and connect. These leads may be pursuing various undergraduate or graduate university degrees, but have good foundational knowledge of software development concepts.

- C# |Codeacademy

As a junior C# developer, I am continuously honing my skills in developing software applications and actively seeking opportunities to learn and grow in the field. Currently, my focus is on building my understanding of object-oriented programming concepts and gaining expertise in utilizing C# to design scalable and maintainable solutions.

- Java |Codeacademy

Experienced in Java programming with a strong foundation in developing scalable and efficient applications. I have a comprehensive understanding of core Java concepts, including multithreading, data structures, and algorithms, and I am always seeking new ways to enhance my skills in developing robust and high-performing software solutions.

- Javascript, Typescript, React JS, Next JS |DevTown

Typescript with modern React, React hooks, (useState, useContext, useReducer and useEffect) in a React typescript project as well as using suspense to lazy load a component.

- Node JS |DevTown

A solid foundation in the language and its popular libraries, including Express.js and Mongoose. I've learned through online resources, personal projects, and

mentorship, and I am eager to continue growing my skills in a professional environment. I'm excited to contribute to a team and take on new challenges.

- MongoDB, AWS, Firebase, Auth0 |Forage

A full integration of a code planner project using React and Tailwind CSS for the client side and the server side was a combination of Node JS, which was run on AWS EC2 instance, and serverless, which is using AWS Lambda. I used AWS S3 for all the file storage and MongoDB for the database. And finally, Auth0 for all the authentication and authorization.

- Jest & Enzyme Testing |Forage

Jest is the most popular testing framework created and maintained by Facebook. Enzyme is a JavaScript Testing utility for React that makes it easier to test your React Components' output. You can also manipulate, traverse, and in some ways simulate runtime given the output.

- React + Redux

A complete understanding of the theoretical and practical approach of React.js and Redux. I learned all the core basics of React completely from scratch and excelled as one of the top students in Nigeria.

- Recharts and D3fc

Proficient in utilizing Recharts and D3FC libraries to create visually appealing and interactive data visualizations.

I have experience in implementing various types of charts, including line charts, scatter plots, and heatmaps, and I am always exploring new techniques and best practices to design effective data visualization solutions using Recharts and D3FC.

- University of Ilorin (September 2015 - October 2019)

Key skills gained:

- A keen international commercial acumen through applying theories and case studies to statistics across the world
- Analytical and conceptual thinking with a contentious approach to managing workloads
- Advanced problem solving and numerical skills.
- Expertise in advanced analytics software and programs such as R, Python, Tableau, and SQL

- National Youth Service Corps (November 2019 - November 2020)

Primary assignment (POP):

- Data Analyst, Data Advocate, and Outlet Researcher at the National Bureau of Statistics, Oshogbo

## **Work experience**

Software Engineer at BlackBird, Australia (Remote) (November 2022 - March 2023)

- Collaborated with a team of engineers to develop and implement new features for the company's flagship application using Agile methodologies.
- Worked on resolving bugs and other issues within the codebase, improving the application's overall stability and performance.
- Participated in code reviews and provided feedback to other team members, helping to maintain a high standard of code quality throughout the project.
- Contributed to the documentation of technical specifications and project requirements, ensuring that all team members were aligned and working towards the same goals.

#### Software Engineer at Y Combinator (January 2022 - September 2022)

- Work on various coding projects that support the mission of Y Combinator and its portfolio companies to build and maintain web applications using modern front-end and back-end technologies.
- Provide leadership within the engineering department through close collaboration, knowledge sharing, and mentorship.
- Collaborate with a team of experienced developers to build and maintain web applications using modern front-end and back-end technologies.

#### Developer at Kabu (E-hailing) company (Contract) (February 2021 - July 2021)

I'm adept with multiple areas of web development including Product management, endpoint conveyor and QA testing. My expertise extends to budget management, stakeholder management and finance management

#### Product Designer of A'Services Hub (January 2020 - December 2020)

- In-depth knowledge in graphics design and UI/UX makes me a better front-end developer
- Easy and smooth communication with the design team
- Expert in Photoshop, Corel draw, Adobe XD, Figma and Flutterflow
- Working with a startup company has a different feeling

#### **Hobbies and interest**

I have a keen interest in sports. I represented my faculty at the tennis tournament during my time at the university, and during this period I organized a number of very successful exhibitions and events both on and off campus.

I also enjoy reading self-help and other thrilling books in my free time. Board, video, and card games are one of my favorite ways of passing time with family, friends, and co-workers.

## References

References are available on request.