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SKILLS:

Languages: Java, Python, JavaScript, Bash, NodeJS.

Tools: Git (Bitbucket), Jenkins, Artifactory, JIRA, VMWare.

Practices: Agile, CI/CD, Unit Testing, Code Reviews, DevSecOps Basics.

PROFILE

Motivated and collaborative software developer with a strong foundation in software engineering principles and a proven track record working with enterprise-level applications. Passionate about delivering maintainable, testable, and well-documented code in Agile environments. Eager to contribute to a dynamic team and grow in web and API development.

EXPERIENCE

Associate Software Engineer, OpenText Provo, Utah — 2024-Present

- Participated in the system migration of the ArcSight ESM product from **JDK 8 to JDK 21**, ensuring compatibility and improving security posture.
- Contributed to system analysis and implementation efforts on the **high-availability ESM appliance**, addressing escalated customer issues and hardening OS configurations.
- Translated technical tasks into working code by updating and validating **Java and Bash scripts** in the installation and service layers.
- Engaged in **peer code reviews** and defect resolution, collaborating across engineering functions to deliver timely updates.
- Supported continuous integration by maintaining secure library versions and automation scripts.

Lead Software Engineer Intern, Micro Focus; Provo, Utah — 2022-2024

- Designed and developed automation tools to streamline release cycle processes.
- Replaced deprecated and non-compliant libraries with vetted alternatives; integrated solutions with **Artifactory** and open-source catalog tracking.
- Authored technical documentation to support onboarding and cross-team development.
- Practiced Agile development techniques and actively participated in stand-ups and backlog grooming.

Software Engineer Intern, Micro Focus; Provo, Utah — 2020-2022

- Modernized and documented **VMware template environments** used by development teams.
- Maintained a **Jenkins CI server**, executing automated test suites for the ESM product family.
- Participated in the **incident management** lifecycle by validating and fixing test failures.

Student Success Specialist, Utah Valley University; Orem, Ut — 2018-2020

- Guided 7,000+ students toward academic and financial success through proactive outreach and follow-up.

EDUCATION

Utah Valley University, Orem Utah — BS, Computer Science, 2023

Computer Networking Emphasis