

# Nick Nazarenko

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

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Software Engineer with 4+ years of experience building production-ready, scalable backend systems using JavaScript, TypeScript, and Node.js. Experienced in API design, payments, caching, and performance optimization for real-world applications.

## EXPERIENCE

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### Software Engineer

May 2023 – Mar 2025

*Translation Services USA*

*New York, NY*

- Optimized API performance, reducing response times by 30% across multiple projects.
- Built and customized CMS plugins (WordPress, Shopify, Wix, Weebly), enhancing functionality and increasing user engagement by 40%.
- Integrated and optimized payment gateways (Stripe, Paddle), reducing transaction failures and improving checkout speed.
- Refactored and modernized legacy code, reducing technical debt and improving system maintainability by 35%.
- Built webhooks for third-party integrations (Shopify application, Paddle payment system), streamlining automation and data synchronization.
- Implemented caching strategies using Redis, reducing database load and improving API response times.
- Managed deployment processes and server administration, ensuring seamless and efficient application operation.

### Software Engineer

Sep 2021 – Mar 2023

*FlippedNormals*

*Remote, Ukraine*

- Built a RESTful API, reducing integration time with backend services by 25%, improving system efficiency.
- Refactored legacy code, improving reliability, scalability, and maintainability.
- Optimized database queries to improve application performance by 20%.
- Expanded unit and integration test coverage by 30%, enhancing code stability.
- Created background job processing for intensive tasks, improving app responsiveness and user experience.

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, SQL

**Backend:** Node.js, NestJS, Express.js

**Frontend:** React, Next.js, HTML, CSS

**Databases:** PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB, Redis

**Infrastructure:** Docker, AWS, GCP, Nginx, CI/CD

**APIs & Integrations:** REST APIs, Webhooks, LLMs integrations, Third-party integrations

## EDUCATION

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**Lviv 'S.Z. Gžycky' Academy of Veterinary Medicine**

Lviv, Ukraine

*Master's Degree in Veterinary Medicine*

*Sep 2017 – Jul 2023*