Nicholas Brown

Full-Stack Software Engineer

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EDUCATION

Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO, United States – Bachelor, Computer Science

June 2022 - May 2024

Red Rocks Community College, Lakewood, CO, United States – Associate, Computer Science

May 2020 – May 2022

WORK EXPERIENCE

Software Development Engineer – Advanced @ Hitachi Vantara, Englewood, CO

Aug 2024 - Present

- Led Full-Stack Product Development: Played a key role in the architecture, development, and deployment of 4 innovative products, including core API infrastructure and scalable data pipelines.
- Optimized Deployment & CI/CD: Implemented CI/CD pipelines that reduced deployment time by 70%, streamlining the release process across multiple applications.
- **Built High-Performance Data Platforms:** Engineered a real-time data streaming system using AWS, integrating ingestion, processing, and API layers into a cohesive, low-latency platform.
- Collaborated Across Teams: Worked closely with product and design stakeholders to deliver user-facing features that improved engagement by 35%.
- Mentored & Maintained Standards: Conducted code reviews, mentored junior developers, and enforced engineering best practices to maintain code quality.
- Data Modeling & Reliability: Designed optimized data models to ensure system performance, scalability, and maintainability.
- Software Development Engineer @ Hitachi Vantara
 Developed Features & Interfaces: Delivered 3 new pages, 8 forms, and 6 major features while resolving 40+ critical bugs to enhance application functionality and UX.
 - Refactored for Performance: Contributed to the refactoring of legacy applications to reduce technical debt, improve load times, and streamline the codebase.
 - Enhanced API & Testing Infrastructure: Integrated RESTful APIs and increased automated test coverage by over 30%, improving system stability.
- Cloud Deployment: Deployed and managed applications using AWS services for improved scalability and monitoring.

Software Development Intern @ Hitachi Vantara

June 2022 – Sep 2022

- Resolved Critical Bugs: Fixed 100+ bugs, improving software stability during key production cycles.
- Implemented Front-End Features: Delivered 3 interactive forms and 2 full customer-facing features from design to deployment.

SKILLS

Programming & Scripting: Python, Go, Java, Typescript, Javascript, Kotlin, C++, C,

Web & Backend: HTML, CSS, ReactJS, Django, Jetpack Compose, Material UI, Next. js, Node. js, GraphQL,

RESTful API

Datebases & Cloud: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Firebase, AWS S3, AWS Lambda, Azure DevOps, MongoDB, Docker,

Snowflake

Development & Collaboration: Git, GitHub, Visual Studio, Jetbrains Suite, Eclipse, Linux, Jira.

Data Analytics & CI/CD: Numpy, Tensorflow, Pytorch, Keras, MATLAB, Postman.

Relavent Skills: Web Development, Backend Engineering, Cloud Integration, Agile/SCRUM, Cross-platform

Development, Data Processing, Scripting, Machine Learning, DevOps.

PROJECTS

AI-Powered Web Scraper | OpenAI API, Snowflake, Python, Pinecone, Selenium, Beautiful Soup.

- Led Agile Development & System Architecture: Directed the team as Scrum Leader, facilitating Agile ceremonies while also designing the full software architecture—leveraging Snowflake for data warehousing, Pinecone for vector search, and embeddings for advanced data representation.
- **Built AI-Powered Scraper:** Developed a robust web scraper enhanced with AI algorithms to extract, manipulate, and integrate relevant data into the client's system.
- Cross-Functional Coordination: Collaborated with engineering, product, and client teams to align goals and deliverables—resulting in on-time, on-budget project completion.
- Optimized Data Accuracy & Performance: Ensured high data reliability by refining scraper efficiency and integrating accuracy-focused AI models.
- Mentored Team Members: Provided technical guidance on software development and Agile practices, fostering a collaborative and high-performing team environment.