### **Romit Jajal**

# Full Stack Web Developer | MERN | Node.js | React | MongoDB | REST API | JavaScript

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#### **Professional Summary**

Full Stack Developer with hands-on experience building scalable web applications using the MERN stack. Proven ability to create RESTful APIs, manage front-end to back-end integration, and deploy full-stack platforms. Currently pursuing a Master's in Information Technology with a focus on Networking and Cybersecurity. Strong problem-solving skills with a passion for clean code and real-world application development.

#### **Technical Skills**

**Frontend:** React.js, JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, CSS3, Redux **Backend:** Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, SQL, REST API

**DevOps/Tools:** Git, GitHub, Postman, Heroku, Docker (basic), CI/CD (exposure)

**Testing:** Jest, Mocha (learning) **Methodologies:** Agile, Scrum

#### **Professional Experience**

#### Web Developer Intern

### Zcientia, Remote *March* 2023 – *May* 2023

- Spearheaded the development of a Resume Builder app using the MERN stack with role-based access.
- Implemented reusable UI components with React, and REST APIs with Express and MongoDB.
- Collaborated with UI/UX designers and product leads in an Agile environment.
- Streamlined API performance, reducing load time by 20% with optimised database queries.
- Rated "Good" for technical competence and "Outstanding" for professional contribution.

#### **MERN Stack Developer Intern**

### Be Practical Tech Solutions 2022 – 2023

- Built and deployed a feature-rich e-commerce site from scratch using MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, and Node.js.
- Developed scalable server-side APIs and integrated front-end with seamless data binding.
- Participated in code reviews and agile sprints to enhance team productivity.
- Awarded 'Efficient Programmer' for delivering ahead of deadlines and producing clean, optimised code.

#### **Projects**

#### Fixrr - Local Trade Services Platform

- Developed a full-stack web platform connecting customers with local tradies (e.g. plumbers, electricians, carpenters) using the MERN stack.
- Built secure, role-based authentication with JWT, bcrypt, and MongoDB, enabling distinct flows for customers and service providers.
- Engineered a custom email verification flow with Nodemailer and token-based password setup, enhancing user onboarding and security.
- Designed dynamic dashboards: customers can search/filter by service and location; tradies manage profiles, services, and bookings.
- Implemented responsive UI with React, real-time service filtering, and form validation for seamless user experience.
- Led end-to-end deployment and architecture planning, ensuring scalability, performance, and mobile-first responsiveness.

#### **Movie Recommendation System**

- Built using Python, Flask, and machine learning algorithms in Jupyter Notebook.
- Implemented content-based filtering and integrated with a front-end interface for real-time recommendations.
- Visualised model outputs and user interaction results within Jupyter for iterative testing and refinement.
- Technologies: Python, Flask, Pandas, Scikit-learn, HTML/CSS, Jupyter Notebook.

#### **House Price Prediction Tool**

 Created an end-to-end web tool using Flask and React to predict real estate prices based on multiple variables.

- Trained regression models in Jupyter Notebook using Python libraries such as Pandas and Scikit-learn.
- Integrated machine learning backend with an interactive front-end UI for user inputs and live predictions.
- Technologies: Python, Flask, React, Pandas, Scikit-learn, Jupyter Notebook.

#### Education

## Master of Information Technology (Networking & Cybersecurity) Queensland University of Technology | 2024 (Expected)

- Specialised in securing digital infrastructures and designing network architecture.
- Completed an industry project with Qual T Solutions, applying full-stack development and cloud technologies to solve real-world problems.
- Developed advanced coursework in cybersecurity protocols and network architecture.

### B.Tech in Computer Science Engineering M.S. Ramaiah Institute of Applied Sciences | 2018 – 2022

- Built a strong foundation in software engineering, algorithms, and system design.
- Developed machine learning and full-stack projects including a movie recommendation engine and house price prediction tool using Jupyter Notebook.
- Delivered academic solutions that met industry standards and demonstrated production-grade implementation skills.
- Participated in coding challenges, technical events, and team-based development activities to enhance problem-solving capabilities.

#### Certifications

#### Python Pro Bootcamp – Udemy (In Progress)

- Studying core Python concepts including web development, automation, and data analysis.
- Built foundational understanding through mini-projects and daily challenges.
- Gaining skills required for solving real-world business problems with practical applications.

#### MERN Developer Internship – Zcientia Labs (March 2023 – May 2023)

- Completed a hands-on internship building MERN stack projects with REST API integrations.
- Received "Good" rating for technical performance and "Excellent" feedback for project planning, time management, and team collaboration.

#### **Language Proficiency**

English (Fluent), Hindi (Fluent), Gujarati (Fluent)

#### References

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