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9+ years experience

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JOB SKILLS

- Accomplished software testing professional with **extensive experience** in Web application automation using **Selenium WebDriver** with **Core Java**, and **Python** language
- Well versed with **REST API** test automation using **WebTestClient** and **Rest-Assured**
- Expert in **Agile/Scrum** and well versed in **SAFe** environment – participating **cross team activities**, integrations, and Sprint reviews
- Practical understanding of applications such as **PEGA**, **SAP4HANA**, **CMS**, and **Salesforce**
- Adept in build, maintenance, test, and design E2E automation solutions deployment using **JUnit**, **TestNG**, **Maven**, **Gradle**, **Git**, **Bit Bucket**, **Azure DevOps**, and **Jenkins**
- Mastered in **Spring**, **BDD**, **POM**, **TDD** & **Hybrid** framework development from scratch
- Experienced in **Mobile** Automation using **Seetest** and **Appium** for both iOS & Android
- In depth understanding of **Exploratory Testing**, **Sanity**, **Regression** & **Functional** Testing
- Keen learner, enthusiastically learning **Cypress** – **Typescript** & **JavaScript** test automation

TOOLS & TECHNOLOGIES

Languages	Core Java Python Spring Boot VB Script SQL Query WebTestClient
Tools	HP UFT HP ALM Selenium WebDriver Apache JMeter SAP4HANA Postman Ranorex Spy Soap UI Appium JUnit TestNG Rest Web API services JIRA BDD TDD POM MySQL IntelliJ Seetest
CI/CD & VCS	Jenkins Azure DevOps Bit Bucket Git Maven Gradle
Automation	PEGA SAP Web application Mobile – Hybrid, Native & Web (iOS & Android) Rest API services
Manual	Agile Kanban Waterfall Test Plan Test & Defect Management
Non-functional	Rest API Load testing

EXPERIENCE

May 2022 – Present

• **Senior QA Engineer** | Domain – **Identification-Service**
CHECK24, Munich, Germany

- Developing test scripts for both Rest API's and Front-end application using **WebTestClient**, **Spring Boot framework**, **Core Java**, and **Playwright** with **Gradle** build automation tool
- Adjoining with **Team Lead + BE development team** & create E2E tests to execute in **Jenkins**
- Maintaining both **Rest API** & **UI** tests - response data validation with web application
- Analyzing failure with **Graylog** & stabilizing tests during Sprint to ensure quality delivery
- Additional responsibility to work on POC for new automation tools / contract testing

Sep 2019 - Apr 2022

• **Lead QA Consultant** | Domain – **Telecom & Airline**
Virtusa India Private Limited, Chennai, India

- Created & Maintained **BDD Cucumber** framework + **Python** test scripts for UI automation
- Monitored regression suite execution via **Microsoft Azure** and ensure **tests stabilization**
- Collaborated with **Development team**, **Product owner** & **Business stake holders** on test automation estimation, defining **CI/CD** pipeline build configuration and sign off
- Performed Database testing with SQL Queries through - **My SQL Workbench** & WinSCP
- Well-developed test scripts with **Rest Assured** to assert Rest API JSON responses + Codes
- Connected with cross functional QA team for **Pull Request** Review/Comments/Approval

Achievements

- **Minimal Test Failure** – Tests failed due to data unavailability is fixed by automating data creation with **Rest API's** which in turn reduced Invalid automation bugs in JIRA
- **Reduced Test Execution time** – Optimized framework with **TestNG features** & triggered tests in parallel. Overall execution time of 30+ tests reduced from 30 mins to 14 mins

Jun 2016 – Aug 2019

Senior Software QA Engineer | Domain – Finance & Retail

Tata Consultancy Services, Frankfurt, Germany

- Functional knowledge of **SAP** application and automated using **Ranorex Spy** with **Hybrid framework (OOP Concepts + Core Java + TestNG)**
- Automated **Lidl** app using Experitest **Seetest** cloud with **Page Object Model** framework
- Worked on **POC** for API services **Load testing** using Apache **JMeter** tool to calculate average load time through **Number of Threads** and **Loop count**
- Well versed in **JMeter** – Listener, Controllers, Correlation, Parameterization, & Processors
- Handled **Rest APIs** related to **OTP validation** with **web application** for bank transactions
- Developed automation scripts for Mobile **Hybrid, Native & Web** applications using **Appium** plus **Java** on **Android & iOS** devices
- Integrated **Appium** with **Sauce Labs** for distributing tests on the cloud devices
- Performed concurrent executions on **emulators** and **simulators** over Sauce Labs
- Identified mobile elements using **Appium Inspector** and **UI Automator Viewer**
- Extensively worked with VCS tools – **Bit Bucket & GitHub** to manage automation suite

Achievement

- Improvised automation framework - **Extent Report, Coding Principles & Parent Class** with additional **reusable functions** considering **cross-functional** automation team

Nov 2012 – May 2016

Test Analyst | Domain – Healthcare & Insurance

Tata Consultancy Services, Chennai, India

- Worked as Functional tester in **Agile methodology** – Test Plan creation, Requirement analysis, Develop Test Scenarios, Test Execution, Test and Defect Management
- Automated **Medicaid** application using **HP UFT & Test Batch Runner** tool with **VBScript**
- Constructed my first **Test Data Driven** with **JUnit** for Continuous regression testing

CERTIFICATIONS

- An **ISTQB** Foundation Certified tester
- **HP UFT/QTP** for SAP application certified Automation tester
- Mobile Automation tester - **Appium** (iOS & Android)

EDUCATION

Jun 2008 - Apr 2012

Bachelor of Electrical and Electronics Engineering | Anna University, Chennai, India

LANGUAGES

Tamil – Native Speaker | English – Proficient Business level | German – Basic level (A1)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Willingness to **learn** and **adapt** new automation testing skills in upcoming projects
- Conducted **Online training** for junior candidates on Selenium Automation with Core Java
- Serving **Notice period, Ready to Relocate** and **Immediate joiner with valid visa**