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OBJECTIVE

Motivated Software Engineer with a strong foundation in C#, .NET Core, and web development, eager to contribute to innovative software solutions in a dynamic, collaborative environment. Passionate about building intuitive, user-friendly tools that enhance functionality and user experience, while continuously growing technical skills in an agile setting.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK | 2007–2012

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer (Contract)

Various Clients (QuikTrip, PCNA) / Feb 2025 – Present

- Designed and implemented KitchenService, a critical event-driven microservice for real-time order updating and tracking across kitchen hardware devices in a major POS system upgrade; Given full responsibility and decision making for completing service reliably and in timely manner.
- Aided with adoption of Blazor component architecture and Flux state management patterns by mentoring and teaching team members, accelerating feature development and improving code consistency on a wrapped Blazor frontend.
- Developed and maintained intuitive Blazor web applications using C#/.NET Core and SQL Server to address key internal business requirements, delivering user-friendly tools that enhanced productivity for cross-functional stakeholders.
- Optimized and debugged complex stored procedures in high-volume B2B data pipelines, ensuring reliable, high-throughput data flow to consumer-facing product websites and reducing processing errors.
- Partnered with operations teams to prioritize and implement feature enhancements, resulting in measurable gains in user experience and operational throughput.

Software Engineer

WireBrain / Oct 2022 - Jun 2024

- Modernized legacy internal business UI by migrating to clean, responsive Blazor Server layouts; significantly improved visual hierarchy, navigation flow, and overall usability for end-users handling core processes.

- Architected and maintained scalable backend RESTful APIs with C#, ASP.NET Core, and Web API; delivered solutions that exceeded client expectations and supported future platform growth.
- Established modern CI/CD pipelines using Azure DevOps along with effective Git branching and code review strategies; reduced deployment-related bugs and shortened agile sprint cycles.

Software Engineer

ConnectShip | Oct 2019 - Oct 2022

- Enhanced transportation and logistics platform by developing new carrier integrations and supporting features in C#/.NET and Python; expanded platform capabilities and improved shipment handling reliability for clients.
- Designed and supported robust APIs enabling seamless, real-time data exchange between logistics systems and external partners.
- Actively contributed to agile ceremonies, including detailed code reviews and collaborative problem-solving sessions, to resolve complex integration and performance challenges.

Software Developer

Executime | May 2012 - Oct 2019

- Delivered full-stack hours-reporting applications using Java, JSP, and SQL; customized scalable solutions to meet diverse client specifications and reporting needs.
- Identified and resolved key performance bottlenecks in SQL queries and backend business logic; achieved noticeable improvements in application response times and user satisfaction.
- Mentored junior developers and new hires on coding best practices, architecture patterns, and team collaboration standards, helping build a stronger, more efficient engineering culture.

SKILLS

- Languages & Frameworks: C#, .NET Core, ASP.NET Core, Web API, Blazor, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Java, JSP
- Databases & Tools: SQL Server, Entity Framework Core, Dapper, Hibernate
- DevOps & Version Control: Azure DevOps, CI/CD Pipelines, Git (branching, code reviews)
- Methodologies: Agile Development, Clean Architecture, Domain-Driven Design, Mediator Pattern
- Other: PowerAutomate, RESTful APIs, Team Collaboration, Mentorship
- Soft Skills: Eager learner, clear communicator, collaborative problem-solver

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Location: Reside in Collinsville, OK (Greater Tulsa area).
- Eligibility: Authorized to work in the U.S. without sponsorship.
- Interest: Thriving in a team-focused, mission-driven environment to deliver impactful solutions.