Zakaria Rekhla

DevOps & Cloud Native | Kubernetes & Docker | CNCF CERTIFIED

Junior DevOps Engineer

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SUMMARY

Passionate Junior DevOps Engineer specialized in Docker containerization, Kubernetes orchestration, and CI/CD automation. Proven expertise in cloud-native technologies with CNCF certification and hands-on experience deploying microservices applications. Proficient in continuous integration pipelines and infrastructure as code with a reliability and performance-focused approach.

EDUCATION

Master's in Information Systems Engineering

2024-2026

Faculty of Sciences Semlalia Marrakech (FSSM)

In Progress

- Mastery of development methodologies and information systems urbanization with quality assurance
- Development of intelligent workstation architectures integrated into complex information systems
- Training in software project management and advanced industrial programming environments

Professional Bachelor's - Information Systems & Networks Engineering

2023-2024

Higher School of Technology Safi

Honors

- Specialized in network architecture and system administration
- Strong foundations in software engineering and databases
- Distributed systems and applications

University Diploma of Technology - Computer Engineering

2021-2023

Higher School of Technology Safi

Honors

- Study and design of computer systems
- Development of computer systems
- Systems integration

EXPERIENCE

•Higher School of Technology Safi

April 2023 - June 2023

Internship - Software Developer

Github

- Development of a comprehensive web platform automating library loan, return, and membership management with analytics dashboard and automated notification system
- Technologies: Next.js, Node.js, TypeScript, MySQL, Prisma ORM, TailwindCSS, Git

•Norsys Africa (Marrakech)

May 2024 - June 2024

Internship - Full Stack Developer

Github

- Design and development of interconnected mobile and web application for blood pressure monitoring with AI integration for predictive analysis and optimal health surveillance
- Technologies: Next. is, Flutter, Laravel, Hugging Face, Python, Firebase, MongoDB Atlas, Docker, Git

•Ministry of Health and Social Protection (Safi)

 $March\ 2024\ -\ June\ 2024$

Internship - Full Stack Developer

- Development of MedConnect: comprehensive web application for digitizing medical records and automated activity report generation for occupational health units
- Technologies: Next.js, Express.js, MongoDB, JWT Authentication, Chart.js

PROJECTS

•Room Reservation System - Microservices Architecture

2025

Faculty of Sciences Semlalia Marrakech

Github

- Design of a complete microservices platform for room reservation with JWT authentication and granular authorization
- Technologies: Spring Boot, Spring Security, JPA/Hibernate, MySQL, Angular 16+, Docker, GitHub Actions, API Gateway, Spring Cloud

•Distributed E-commerce Platform with Advanced Microservices Architecture

Self Made

2025 Github

- Architected a cloud-native e-commerce ecosystem with 8 microservices using **Spring Boot** (**Java 17**) and **Go**, leveraging polyglot persistence (**PostgreSQL**, **MongoDB**, **Redis**) and **Apache Kafka** for event-driven communication
- Implemented comprehensive DevOps pipeline with **Jenkins** CI/CD, GitOps deployment via **ArgoCD**, Infrastructure as Code using **Terraform**, and **Kubernetes** orchestration with 6 production-ready **Helm** charts
- Designed secure API Gateway with Spring Cloud Gateway featuring JWT/OAuth2 authentication, multi-level rate limiting (5-300 req/min), circuit breakers, and Istio service mesh for mTLS communication
- Established complete observability stack with **ELK** for centralized logging, **Prometheus/Grafana** for metrics, **Zipkin** for distributed tracing, and **Kiali** for service mesh visualization
- Deployed on **AWS EKS** with **Terraform**-managed infrastructure including **VPC**, **EBS** storage, and multi-environment support (dev/staging/production) with auto-scaling capabilities
- Developed modern frontends: React 18 + TypeScript admin dashboard with real-time analytics and Next.js 14 customer portal.

•TERRAP-POD - Water4Future Hackathon Winner

2024

UNESCO & Cadi Ayyad University Hackathon

LinkedIn Post

- 1st Place Winner at UNESCO and Cadi Ayyad University-sponsored hackathon among 20+ teams
- Designed innovative modular vertical farming solution addressing Morocco's agricultural water challenges
- Developed sustainable agriculture technology focused on water conservation and food security optimization

TECHNICAL SKILLS

DevOps & Cloud Technologies

- Containerization: Docker, Kubernetes, Docker Compose
- CI/CD: Jenkins, GitHub Actions
- Cloud: AWS (EKS, EC2, EBS), Firebase
- IaC: Terraform.
- Monitoring: Kibana , Grafana, ELK Stack

Systems & Infrastructure

- OS: Linux (Ubuntu), Windows
- Networking: TCP/IP, DNS, Load Balancing
- Security: SSL/TLS, OAuth2, JWT
- Databases: MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Redis

CERTIFICATIONS

- KCNA: Kubernetes and Cloud Native Associate
 Cloud Native Computing Foundation (CNCF)
- LFS250: Kubernetes and Cloud Native Essentials
 Linux Foundation
- CCNA: Switching, Routing, and Wireless Essentials
- Introduction to Network Operation 1.0
 Internet Society

Tools & Methodologies

- Version Control: Git, GitHub
- Configuration: YAML, JSON, Docker Compose
- Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, DevOps Culture
- Scripting: Bash, Python, PowerShell
- API Management: REST APIs, Microservices

Programming Languages

- Backend: Java, Go, Python, Node.js, Php
- Scripts: Bash, PowerShell, Python
- Configuration: YAML, JSON, XML
- Web: JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML/CSS

LANGUAGES

- Arabic: Native
- French: Fluent (B2 Level)
- **English:** Professional (B2 Level)