# **DZAH SOLOMON**

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## **EDUCATION**

University of Ghana, Legon Degrees: BSc. Computer Science **Expected graduation date**: July 2027

GPA: 3.8 / 4.0

### **SUMMARY**

Backend Engineer passionate about solving complex problems at scale. Skilled in building secure, distributed, and data-driven systems and AI-powered tools. Strong foundation in algorithms, system design, and deployment, with experience leading projects from architecture to production.

### **SKILLS**

- Programming languages: Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL
- Frameworks & Libraries: Node.js, Express, FastAPI, React, Prisma, Tailwind CSS
- Development Tools: Git/GitHub, VSCode, Docker, PostgreSQL, Redis, Linux
- Concepts & Techniques: OOP, API Design, System Design, DevOps (CI/CD), Caching

## **EXPERIENCE**

# MerryLow (Campus Food Delivery) - Accra, Ghana

https://merrylow.com

Backend Engineer, November 2024 - present

Node, Express, PostgreSQL, Prisma, Redis

- Designed & deployed REST APIs powering 20+ daily transactions and orders with 99.9% uptime.
- Optimized PostgreSQL schema & queries, improving response times by 35%.
- Implemented Redis caching, reducing latency by 50% during high traffic.
- Automated deployments with GitHub Actions, cutting release cycles by 40%.

# A2SV (Africa to Silicon Valley) - Accra, Ghana

https://a2sv.org/

Software Engineering Fellow, January 2025 - present

- Solved 200+ advanced algorithm problems in Python & JavaScript.
- Collaborated on team projects emphasizing scalable system design & clean architecture.
- Gained expertise in DSA, problem-solving, and production-grade development.

## **PROJECTS**

SafestCode | React, Typescript, Nodejs, Express, Python, AI

https://github.com/ZiglaCity/SafestCode

- Built an AI-powered code analysis tool supporting **3+** languages, detecting **90**% of common security flaws in under **2 seconds** per scan.
- Designed modular architecture and interactive UI with real-time scanning and automated fix suggestions, improving developer efficiency by 30%.

**ProxyPhish** | Javascript, React, Nodejs, Express

https://github.com/ZiglaCity/ProxyPhish

- Developed phishing detection system with URL pattern analysis & risk scoring, identifying malicious links with 95% accuracy.
- Built responsive UI for real-time reports and threat visualization, enhancing security awareness for users.

Crop Doc - Team Project | FastAPI, Supabase, AI

https://github.com/ZiglaCity/crop-doc

- Developed backend for an AI-powered crop disease detection app processing 100+ scans daily.
- Built image analysis pipeline with FastAPI and AI inference, reducing diagnosis time from minutes to seconds.

### **EXTRACURRICULARS & LEADERSHIP**

- Clubs: A2SV (Africa to Silicon Valley) Advanced algorithms, team projects, and engineering excellence.
- Interests: Building Scalable Systems & Secure Architectures, AI & Intelligent Automation, Cybersecurity
  Awareness & Ethical Hacking, Open Source Development, Late-Night Coding & Personal Projects, Chess,
  Music Production, Freestyle Football, Skating