Abhijit Patharkar

Over 15 years of work experience as a Staff Engineer, Entrepreneur, Delivery Head and Lead Architect, and (Senior) Software Engineer, aiming to make a move into Technical Product Management.

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EXPERIENCE

VMware, Bangalore — *Staff Engineer*

MARCH 2021 - AUGUST 2023

Designed a novel idea called Cloud Runtime and implemented an already published paper on the topic, presented a working demo in VMware's yearly flagship event, VMExplore, and co-authored a patent on the same topic. Executed a new product from scratch in the API Lifecycle domain. Lastly worked on a service mesh product.

Scriptuit Technologies, Pune — Founder and CEO

JUNE 2015 - FEBRUARY 2021

Started a Technology Consulting Company called Scriptuit Technologies with a focus of solving complex problems for customers using technology. Clients included enterprise companies eg. VMware as well as startups spread across the globe. Key responsibilities were pre-sales, interacting with CTOs of customer companies, leading a team of talented technical engineers, and hands-on coding to name a few.

Mindstix Software Labs Pvt. Ltd., Pune — Delivery Head and Lead Architect

MAY 2012 - MAY 2015

Spearheaded as a Delivery Head and a Lead Architect where key responsibilities were hiring and mentoring a development team, managing multiple accounts and projects, and hands-on coding. Here focus shifted on a much broader role than coding, and one of my key responsibilities was execution later became my USP.

Globant, Pune — Senior Software Engineer

JUNE 2009 - MAY 2012

Collaborated on applications in Social Network space, Electronic Design Automation on Cloud, and Transaction Banking System. Prime focus was scalability, and cloud technologies. Additionally, was responsible for maintaining production environments.

Spectra Infowave, Pune — *Developer*

JULY 2008 - JUNE 2009

Developed applications in education space catering pre-schools and language schools.

SKILLS

High and low level designs.

Data-model design.

Technical Leadership.

Feature discussions with Product Managers and scribing user-stories.

Coordinating with cross functional teams such as Dev/Engineering, UX, UI, QA.

Managing Backlog pipeline and technical debt.

Hands-on coding, code reviews, and debugging.

Understanding SDLC, Scrum/Agile methodologies.

PATENT (PENDING)

Cloud Distributed Application
Runtime - An emerging layer
of multi-cloud fabric is a
common cloud abstraction
layer for application services,
containing platform-level
functionality that improves
ongoing deployments and
resiliency of distributed
applications.

TALK

Taking a modern approach towards application resiliency at VMExplore 2021.

EDUCATION

Columbia University - School of Professional Studies, New York — Master's in Technology Management

FALL 2023

Rajarshi Shahu College of Engineering, Pune — Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science

2003 - 2008

KEY PROJECTS

Tanzu Service Mesh — at VMware

Integral part of a next-gen service mesh product with unique go-to-market features e.g. Global Namespace, Traffic Management, and Multi-Cloud Deployments.

Electronic Design Automation (EDA) on Cloud — at Globant

An ahead of its time product incepted by a Silicon Valley start-up in Electronic Design Automation and AWS space back in 2010.

EVO:Rack — at VMware

Dubbed as Evolutionary (EVO) by VMware, it provided capability to server rack users to plug-and-play racks with complete automation.

Mobile Engagement for reduced bill — at Scriptuit Technologies

Incepted by a Seattle based start-up, a mobile service letting customers engage with mobile lock screen based ads to earn credits resulting in a reduced mobile bill.

Cloud Runtime and API Lifecycle Mgmt. — at VMware

Responsible for building, developing and leading a team of talented engineers towards execution of 2 projects, Cloud Distributed Application Runtime, submitted as a patent, and API Lifecycle Management product. Dealt with API Security, API Resiliency, API Design and API Deployment on a Multi-Cloud Setup.

IOT Based Data Streaming Platform — at Scriptuit Technologies

Architected and developed an IOT based platform to consume a data and metrics stream from devices designated to collect data from cinema halls and construct an analytical solution for movie producers.

Automated CI/CD pipeline solution — at VMware

An opinionated solution for IT teams to quickly build and deploy applications on any given platform. Helped increase developer productivity.

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TECHNOLOGIES

JEE, Spring, Spring Boot, GoLang, Angular, AngularJS, PHP, HTML/CSS.

PLATFORMS & INFRASTRUCTURE

Kubernetes, Pivotal Cloud Foundry, Cloud VMs, Service Meshes, Knative. All major cloud compute, containers and storage services.

ARCHITECTURE

Microservices, Design Patterns, Messaging, Streaming, Multi-Cluster, Kubernetes CRDs and Reconcilers.

APIs

REST, gRPC, GraphQL

SERVICE MESHES

Istio, VMware Tanzu Service Mesh, AWS AppMesh, Gloo Mesh, Linkerd.

BUILD & CI/CD

Build: Maven, Gradle, Node Package Manager. CI/CD: ArgoCD, FluxCD, Jenkins and many more.

LANGUAGES

English with a TOEFL score of 102, Marathi as mother's tongue, and Hindi.