

# ZAHID SAEED

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Results-driven Senior Software Engineer with over 10 years of experience in designing scalable software systems and leading high-performing teams. Expertise in full-stack development, cloud architecture (AWS), and microservices. Proven track record of driving innovation, mentoring junior engineers, and delivering enterprise-level solutions that increase system efficiency and revenue. Aspires to transition into a Tech Lead role to drive strategic initiatives, implement cutting-edge technologies, and foster technical excellence.

## SKILLS

**Languages:** JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, PHP, Java

**Frameworks:** Angular, React, Vue, Next.js, Node.js, Express, Nest.js, CodeIgniter, Laravel, Java Spring Boot

**Cloud:** AWS, Serverless Computing

**Databases:** MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, DynamoDB, Firebase, Firestore

**DevOps and other tools:** CI/CD, Git, Docker, GraphQL, Apache Kafka, Redis

**Core Competencies:** Leadership, Microservice Architecture, Agile & SDLC, Technical Documentation

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Pep Boys**, Lahore, Pakistan (On-site)

Feb 2025 – Present

**Senior Full-Stack Engineer**

- Modernized a legacy desktop application into a cloud-native web platform, resulting in up to a **70% improvement in system usability** and an **80% boost in performance**.
- Estimated a **40% improvement in operational efficiency** by eliminating outdated workflows, enabling faster and more intuitive user interactions.
- Actively collaborated with product managers and business stakeholders to align development with business goals, accelerating decision-making and **reducing the feedback loops by 30%**.

**Unifonic**, Lahore, Pakistan (On-site)

Dec 2021 – Dec 2024

**Senior Software Engineer**

- Contributed to developing Unifonic's **highest revenue-generating product**, MCC (Multi-Channel Campaigns), **driving a 30% increase in revenue** through strategic technical enhancements and performance optimizations.
- **Scaled back-end message processing capacity from 100K to 5M daily**, enabling the platform to handle high-volume messaging efficiently.
- Standardized UI components, improving code reusability and **reducing development time by 60%**, while ensuring consistency across company products.
- **Achieved a 40% latency reduction and >50% increase in system throughput** via comprehensive performance upgrades and code/database optimization.
- Collaborated with a cross-functional team of **10 engineers**, fostering technical excellence and facilitating communication with **50+ team members**, including product managers and designers.

**Cluetivity**, Berlin, Germany (Remote)

Sep 2017 – Dec 2021

**Lead Software Engineer**

- Rebuilt the legacy Angular 5 application from scratch, **migrating it to Angular 17**, resulting in improved scalability, maintainability, and a modernized tech stack.
- Optimized front-end performance by implementing state management best practices and lazy loading, **reducing page load times by 30%** and enhancing system responsiveness.
- Optimized existing Google Cloud Functions, **reducing API response times by 25%** and **improving data processing efficiency by 40%**.
- Conducted a comprehensive codebase audit, identifying and addressing critical performance bottlenecks, which **improved data processing speed by 20%** and ensured smoother operations.

**Full Stack Developer**

- Contributed to the development of Quickbit, enabling seamless Bitcoin buy/sell and wallet management for users, improving cryptocurrency transaction flow and **increasing user transaction volume by 15%**.
- Played a key role in the end-to-end development of Shuftipro's KYC system, optimizing both front-end and back-end, **leading to a 30% improvement in verification speed**.
- Collaborated in enhancing the performance and user experience of Stafftimer, **contributing to a 25% improvement** in app responsiveness and a **20% increase in user retention**, along with the development of the desktop application for team activity monitoring.

**EDUCATION**

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**University of Central Punjab**, Lahore, Pakistan

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science (2017 - 2021)