## Awais Waheed

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## Summary

Software Engineer with 5 years of experience building and optimizing scalable, high-performance backend systems. Expert in designing REST services, data persistence, and third-party integrations across retail, ERP, and social media domains. Skilled in Java, Spring Boot, Hibernate, MySQL, and RESTful APIs, with experience in Kubernetes, AWS, and Kafka. Proficient in SDLC, Agile, and cross-functional collaboration, delivering quality software aligned with business goals.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, C++, TypeScript

Web Services: REST, API Design and Integration

Web/App Servers: Apache, Tomcat

Frameworks: Spring Boot, Hibernate, Joget Workflow, Java Persistence API (JPA), Nest.js, Swagger, Advanced

Installer, JNI, Windows Biometric Framework **Databases**: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Amazon RDS

Design Patterns: Singleton, Factory, Builder, Dependency Injection (DI), Repository Pattern, Observer, DAO (Data Access Object), Prototype, Adapter, Bridge, Decorator, Facade, Chain of Responsibility, Command, Template Method SDLC: Agile, Scrum, Continuous Integration/Continuous Deployment (CI/CD), Requirement Analysis, Design and Architecture, Testing, Deployment, Technical Documentation

Tools: Postman, Maven, Git, Jenkins, Kubernetes, Swagger, AWS CodeCommit, Advanced Installer, Apache Kafka, Docker, Stripe, IntelliJ IDEA, AWS, JIRA, Confluence

Platforms: Windows, AWS Cloud

**Key Competencies**: Strategic System Architecture, Problem Solving and Critical Thinking, Performance Tuning and Optimization, Scalable Software Design, Process Automation, Test-Driven Development (TDD), Data Modeling and Persistence

#### Professional Experience

### Confiz Ltd. (Client: Walmart)

Islamabad, Pakistan

Oct. 2022 - Aug. 2024

- Senior Software Engineer & Consultant
  - Built a **tracking system** with **Java**, **Spring Boot**, **Hibernate**, and **MySQL** to monitor Walmart's headquarters-deployed pharmacy software updates across 5,000 stores, syncing with **U.S. teams**, enhancing **efficiency**.
  - Worked with **U.S. product teams** to upgrade Walmart's headquarters-deployed pharmacy software to a **cloud-based solution** using **React.js**, **Spring Boot**, and **AWS**, managing workorder approvals and update packages (e.g., price, tax, name changes) for stores nationwide, boosting **performance**.
  - Streamlined Walmart's headquarters-deployed software workflows with **Spring Boot**, **Hibernate**, and **RESTful APIs** to ensure data integrity, aiding **U.S. team** reviews.
  - Oversaw Walmart's headquarters-deployed software deployments with **Kubernetes** and **Jenkins** to maintain uptime, aligning with **U.S. teams**.
  - Integrated **Kafka** into Walmart's headquarters-deployed software for **real-time messaging** to optimize update sync, collaborating with **U.S. product teams**.
  - Partnered with **U.S. teams** via **Git**, **Maven**, and **Scrum** to deliver quality Walmart headquarters-deployed software on schedule.

# Funavry Technologies

Islamabad, Pakistan

Apr. 2021 - Sep. 2022

## Software Developer

- Developed **RESTful APIs** using **Java**, **Spring Boot**, and **Hibernate** to integrate DTAC Thailand's ERP with platforms like Coupa, reducing integration effort by 40%.
- Optimized inter-service communication with Apache Kafka and AWS SQS, enhancing system stability and data exchange efficiency.
- Led the RESTful API architecture design for a social media job portal using Nest.js and TypeScript, overseeing requirement gathering and strategic decisions, reducing project delivery time by 45%.
- Built a secure full-cycle payment system with Stripe for the job portal, adding escrow functionality to improve transaction security and reliability.

- Provided on-call support as part of the hyper-care team, resolving issues within **SLA timeframes** and maintaining 99.99% system uptime.
- Managed and optimized **Jenkins-based CI/CD pipelines**, reducing deployment failures and speeding up release cycles.

Care Pvt. Ltd.

Islamabad, Pakistan

Design Engineer

Sep. 2019 – Mar. 2021

- Developed multiple custom **plugins** for Joget Workflow using **Java** and **Spring Boot**, enhancing ERP systems with features like basic charts, GANTT charts, and file uploads, significantly improving **operational efficiency**.
- Expanded functionality of Joget's GRID element by implementing row-level actions using **Java**, greatly increasing user interaction speed and data manipulation efficiency.
- Developed a **biometric authentication system** with end-to-end encryption, integrating **C++ DLLs** with Java via **JNI** and using SourceAFIS for fingerprint matching, achieving high accuracy and markedly improving reliability.
- Built a Windows background authentication service with **Spring Boot**, integrating **Windows Biometric Framework** and packaging with Advanced Installer, notably reducing setup time and enhancing **scalability**.

## KEY PROJECTS

## GPH Carbon (Walmart Pharmacy Updates)

Confiz Ltd.

Contributed to upgrading the HQ master pharmacy software to a **cloud-based solution**, managing workorder approvals and update packages for stores nationwide.

## I3 Integrations (DTAC Thailand ERP)

Funavry Technologies

Collaborated on **integrating** DTAC Thailand's ERP with platforms like Coupa for operational efficiency.

### The Influencer Group

Funavry Technologies

Led **backend team** for a social media job portal connecting influencers and brands.

**Custom ERP Solution** 

Care Pvt. Ltd.

Contributed key functionality to a tailored ERP with custom **plugins** for improved operations.

Biometric Module

Care Pvt. Ltd.

Created a device-agnostic biometric authentication system for secure employee verification.

#### Additional Experience and Projects

MarketPlace Pro | Java, Spring Boot, React, PostgreSQL, AWS

Built a full-stack e-commerce platform with user roles, product management, order tracking, payment integration, JWT authentication, lazy loading, and S3 file uploads, deployed on AWS.

Event Management System | Java, Spring Boot, React, PostgreSQL, AWS

Created a full-stack event platform with user roles, event management, ticket booking, payment integration, JWT, dynamic search, JMS messaging, and pessimistic locking, deployed on AWS with MySQL.

Expense Tracker | Spring Boot, React, PostgreSQL

Built a full-stack expense tracker with expense management (add, edit, delete, filter), featuring a user-friendly UI and efficient APIs.

**Dictionary** | Spring Boot, React, SQLite

Developed a dictionary app with word search, definitions, and top-searched word tracking, optimized for **performance**.

## EDUCATION

Maharishi International University Master of Science in Computer Science Fairfield, IA

Apr. 2027

SEECS, NUST

Islamabad, PK

Bachelor of Science in Computer Sciences

 $May\ 2019$