

# BENITO TACCARDI

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## SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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#### EDUCATION

## Master Degree Computer Engineering University of Salento

2019-2021 110/110 with honours

## Bachelor Degree Computer Engineering University of Salento

2015-2019 110/110 with honours

### PUBLICATIONS

- HF-SCA: Hands-Free Strong Customer Authentication Based on a Memory-Guided Attention Mechanisms
- An innovative AAL system based on neural networks and IoT-aware technologies to improve the quality of life in elderly people
- A Smart Approach able to face
   Distraction Issue due to Smartphone
   Usage running Social Networks

LANGUAGES

Italian	
English	

### CERTIFICATIONS

- AWS Associate Developer (04-2024)
- **IELTS 7 band** (06/2019)

#### PROFILE

I specialize in backend software engineering and cloud architecture, with a passion for crafting high-performance, scalable solutions. With 4 years' experience in web services and research, I excel at optimizing APIs and developing efficient business logic. Currently focused on leveraging AWS services to dramatically enhance application functionality and performance. Always eager to explore new technologies that can revolutionize how we build and deploy software, consistently driving impactful results for users and businesses alike.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

## **Product Engineer (Backend)**

Unobravo s.r.l. | Remote

2023-now

- Key Achievements:
  - $\bullet \ \ \, \text{Developed new business logic features, enhancing application functionality}. \\$
  - o Optimized APIs, reducing query response times by up to 90%.
  - Engineered multi-layered architectural solutions for complex systems.
  - o Monitored and maintained system stability, improving uptime and performance.
  - o Increased therapist recruitment by 20% through a targeted feature implementation.
  - Reduced core feature latency from 9 seconds to 600 milliseconds.
  - Reduced Testing time in CI/CD ~20%
- Technical Expertise:
  - Cloud: AWS (ECS, Lambda, S3, API Gateway, SSM, CloudWatch, RDS, DynamoDB, SQS, SNS, EventBridge)
  - o IaC: Pulumi (formerly Terraform)
  - Languages/Tools: Node.js, TypeScript, GraphQL, GitHub Actions
  - o Monitoring: New Relic, Grafana

#### **Software Researcher**

Engineering | Remote

2021-2023

- Key Contributions:
  - Delivered complete technology solutions for European research projects, including B-WaterSmart, Digital Aosta Valley Card, and Pathocert
  - o Engineered research-driven products aligned with specific project objectives
  - $\circ~$  Enhanced QGIS based project latency  $\sim45\%$  using cached layers
  - $\circ~$  Reduced projects bug tickets from ~30% using version controls systems and IaC  $\,$
- Technical Expertise:
  - o Backend: SpringBoot, FastAPI
  - o Version Control & CI/CD: GitLab
  - o Geospatial Tools: QGIS, GeoServer
  - o Web Servers & Containerization: Nginx, Docker
  - o Frontend: React, Angular, Ionic
  - o Databases: MongoDB, MySQL, PostgreSQL
  - o IAM: Keycloak

## **Software Engineer**

Vidyasoft s.r.l | Lecce

2020-2021

- Key Achievements:
  - o Delivered backend solutions for banking clients, including BancaSella and Banca D'Italia.
  - Developed and integrated HF-SCA, a fraud detection algorithm for voice-assisted purchases.
  - Boosted company revenue by 12% and increased banking partnerships by 60% through HF-SCA's success.
- Technical Expertise:
  - Machine Learning & Al: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Python
  - Backend: SpringBoot
  - o Containerization: Docker
  - Frontend: Angular, Vue
  - o UI Design: Tailwind CSS
  - o This version keeps the focus on measurable outcomes and essential technical skills.