# AKIF DEMIREL

## SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **Kocaeli University**

Computer Engineering

2019 - 2024 GPA: 3.19

#### **SKILLS**

- Javascript
- React-Native
- React / Next.js
- Python
- Java
- Node.js
- .Net
- Blazor
- Entity Framework
- MongoDB
- Web3
- Figma
- Cloud Computing(AWS)
- Leadership

#### LANGUAGES

English

### **PASSIONS**

- Coding
- Football
- Video Games

#### CERTIFICATION

- AWS Educate Introduction to Cloud 101
- Agile Development Day -2024
- KOSGEB Entrepreneurship **Training Certificate**

#### ABOUT ME

I am a passionate full-stack software engineer with 2 years of experience, particularly in Node.js, React and React Native, and have also developed in .NET, Java and Python. After receiving a 1 million TL grant from KOSGEB, I cofounded a company with my partner, where I led our software team in developing both the backend and mobile components of our application. I am experienced in project development and take great pleasure in creating resultsdriven projects.

# WORK EXPERIANCE

#### SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Nacsoft Yazilim 2 Izmit/Kocaeli 09/2021 - 10/2022

• Created API software using Python, managing data flow and optimizing crosssystem interactions. Developed AI models from scratch, enhancing data recognition capabilities. Curated and prepared essential datasets for optimal model performance. Integrated AI models into other systems via APIs for user-friendly access.

#### FOUNDER/SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Bloksoft Yazilim 2 Bilişim Vadisi Gebze/Kocaeli 🛅 12/2023 - 10/2024

 As one of the co-founders of Bloksoft, I developed the mobile taxi application 'GitGel' using React Native and integrated blockchain technologies using Solidity and Node.js. We were accepted into the TUBITAK-2209 program and secured a grant of 1 million TL through the KOSGEB Mobility-Oriented Advanced Entrepreneur Support Program.

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Balçova/Izmir 

09/2024 - 10/2024

· Developed a web application for vehicle offer sales using .NET, Blazor, and **Entity Framework Core.** 

Repo: Github.com/demirelakif/BlazorEFCore\_CarBidding

## **PROJECTS**

### GitGel - Blockchain Based Taxi Application

• This taxi service application allows users to deposit funds and make payments to drivers using **Ethereum** wallets created within the app. The mobile app is developed with React Native, the backend is built with Express.js, MongoDB is used, and smart contracts are written in Solidity. The app has become a finalist in the Teknofest 2024 Blockchain **Competition** and has received a 1 million TL grant from **KOSGEB**. Demo Video: youtube.com/watch?v=CKHgJQWFOak

#### MacVar - Mobile Pitch Booking Application

• The app allows football field owners and users to manage pitches, make reservations, and handle user management efficiently. It's developed using **React Native** for the mobile app, **Node.js** for the backend, and **MongoDB** for the database.

**Mobile Repo**: github.com/demirelakif/hali-saha-mobile Backend Repo: github.com/demirelakif/hali\_saha\_backend

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# **PROJECTS**

#### **Portfolio Website**

• This project is a personal portfolio website developed with **Next.js** and **TypeScript**. The user interface is designed using **TailwindCSS** and **Aceternity UI**, providing a modern look. Additionally, animations have been added to the site using the **Framer Motion** library.

**GitHub Repo:** github.com/demirelakif/portfolio

Website: portfolio-z3ab.vercel.app/

#### **Game Scout**

Game Scout is a web application developed to help users discover and explore popular games. Built with Next.js 15
and Tailwind CSS, the application offers a modern and responsive user interface using React and TypeScript. Through
web scraping with Python, the Game Pass and Torrent links for games are automatically fetched. PostgreSQL is used
to store the data, and the RAWG API provides game information. Users can search, filter, and explore detailed game
data.

GitHub Repo: github.com/demirelakif/game-scout

Website: akifs-game-scout.vercel.app

## **Zoom Clone Project**

• This project is a **Zoom clone** developed with **Next.js 15** and **Tailwind CSS**, allowing users to conduct video and audio calls. It is written in **TypeScript** and integrates **Stream** for media streaming. **Clerk** is utilized for secure authentication. The user interface is designed with **ShadCN** components for a modern look.

GitHub Repo: github.com/demirelakif/video-conferancing-app

Website: video-conferancing-app.vercel.app

#### **IExpense - Nacsoft Yazilim**

I worked on the OCR (Optical Character Recognition) side and various API development projects in the iExpense application at Nacsoft Software Company. We focused on extracting and processing essential information from invoices using our own developed OCR system. During this process, we developed three different models: receipt detection, text detection, and text recognition. We utilized Python, deep learning, CNN (Convolutional Neural Networks), RNN (Recurrent Neural Networks), and CRNN (Convolutional Recurrent Neural Networks) models. Additionally, we performed data formatting to enhance the accuracy of the results.

### Referance

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