DENNIS KOZEVNIKOFF

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SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Current AI Software Engineering student with a strong academic background in programming, algorithms and mathematics combined with seven years of professional software development experience, most of which was as a backend developer. Expertise spans PHP, C#, SQL, JavaScript, Java, Linux and modern development tools, with proven skills in building scalable applications, designing databases, and implementing efficient solutions. Bringing strong problem-solving abilities and adaptability, thriving both independently and in collaborative team environments. Excellent English and communication skills. Seeking a co-op opportunity as a Software Engineer.

SUMMARY

- 4.2 GPA; demonstrates excellence in all courses
- Experience as a cloud solutions consultant using Azure and administering user roles with Active Directory
- Backend developer experiences using LAMP stack, worked on several large web projects
- Experience using advanced frameworks and libraries such as React, jQuery and PHP-Symphony
- Deep knowledge of SQL relational databases, CRUD operations, database administration, table management
- Git source control with GitLab and SourceTree, resolved merge conflicts, git commands, pull requests
- Rest API development, added new routes

EXPERIENCE

Web Developer

DanceBUG, Maple, ON

March 2025 September 2025

- Delivered responsive front-end features using Bootstrap, improving user experience across desktop and mobile platforms.
- Built and deployed Flask APIs that streamlined data exchange between internal systems and client applications.

- Optimized SQL queries and managed databases through phpMyAdmin, enhancing system performance and reliability.
- Created dynamic email templates in PHP that improved communication efficiency and supported marketing initiatives.

Backend Developer

PixFuture, Toronto, ON

December 2019 June 2022

- Developed backend features with the PHP Symfony framework, improving system scalability and maintainability.
- Integrated MongoDB as a non-relational database solution, enabling faster data retrieval and flexible schema handling.
- Managed MVC components with emphasis on controller logic, resulting in cleaner workflows and more efficient code organization.
- Transformed raw datasets into clear graphical visualizations, supporting data-driven decision-making.
- Delivered optimized mobile views, enhancing usability and accessibility across devices.

Cloud Solutions Consultant

360 Visibility, Kleinburg, ON

December 2018 March 2019

- Administered Azure virtual servers by creating, configuring, and decommissioning instances to meet project needs.
- Managed user accounts and permissions through Active Directory, ensuring secure and efficient access control.
- Oversaw Microsoft subscription plans, streamlining license allocation and cost management for users.
- Performed regular system backups and executed successful data restorations, maintaining business continuity.
- Configured Cisco routers and switches to optimize network performance and reliability.

EDUCATION

Diploma, AI Software Engineering Tech, Co-op

Centennial College, Toronto, ON

September 2024 - Present

- 4.2 GPA;
- Projects:
 - AI solution architecture design
 - SQL database design
 - AI ethics research essay
- Courses:
 - Linux/Unix OS
 - Testing & Quality Assurance
 - Database Concepts (SQL)
 - C# Programming
 - AI Foundations
 - Algorithms and Data Structures
 - Web Application Development
 - Java Programming
 - Ethics of AI