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PROFILE SUMMARY

Results-driven Software Engineer with a strong foundation in full-stack development. Adept in Ruby on Rails, PHP, Node.js, and React, with experience developing secure, high-performance systems. Demonstrated leadership, UI/UX design skills, and a passion for continuous learning. Currently seeking new opportunities to grow and contribute to impactful projects.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages & Frameworks: Ruby on Rails, PHP, Node.js, Express, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React
- UI/UX Tools & Web/Mobile Development: Figma, InVision Studio, Webflow, WordPress, Flutter
- Databases: MySQL, MongoDB
- Tools & DevOps: Git, Linux, SCP/SFTP, PuTTY
- Other: Google Suite, MS Office

SOFT SKILLS

Adaptability • Critical Thinking • Communication • Team Collaboration • Time Management

WORK EXPERIENCES

Software Engineer

Jan, 2023 – Present

Akubo Software Philippines, Inc. – Bacolod, PH

- Lead developer of **AkuboIT**, a web-based IT software asset manager built with Ruby on Rails. Responsible for full-stack architecture, new feature development, performance optimization, and system scaling.
- Integrated Role-Based Access Control (**RBAC**) and key security enhancements, while focusing on improving maintainability and performance (e.g., query optimization resulting in 20% faster load times).
- Contributed to **AkuboCRM** (built with PHP): enhanced features, reduced bug reports by 15%, and improved backend stability.
- Spearheaded the **AkuboGiving** platform revamp: a secure online donation platform, by overhauling legacy code and rebuilding the page setup mechanisms from the ground up. Implemented **Two-Factor Authentication** (2FA), improved secure payment workflows, and integrated with external APIs to support real-time donation tracking, user customization, and payment processing.

WordPress & Web Projects

April 2025 – Present

Freelance

- **Corporate Website Redesign:** Overhauled UI/UX, created new logo, and improved layout for an IT company using WordPress.
- **Author Portfolio Site:** Built SEO-optimized blog with Amazon book integration, dynamic layout, and simplified CMS experience.

Online OJT – Mobile App Development

May, 2021 – July, 2021

University of St. La Salle – Bacolod, PH

- Built and deployed mobile apps using Flutter, Node.js, Express, and MongoDB.
- Managed codebase via Git and implemented cloud hosting with Heroku.

PROJECTS

Mobile App Backend – E-commerce / E-Load

Feb, 2025 – April 2025

Quick Bond Plush (Client: Bangladesh)

- Designed and developed secure RESTful APIs using **Node.js** and **Express.js** for a multi-service mobile app (e-commerce and e-load), supporting clients in Bangladesh.
- Implemented JWT-based authentication, RBAC, and input validation to secure user data and endpoints.
- Designed secure APIs for user registration, login, and core app functions.
- Collaborated with Flutter developers to ensure seamless integration and data flow between the backend and frontend.
- Implemented HTTPS for secure data transmission.

EDUCATION & ACHIEVEMENTS

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

2018 – 2022

University of St. La Salle, Bacolod City

- Thesis: RRS: A Response and Recording System for Women and Children using GSM/GPS
- Dean's List, AY 2020–2021
- External VP, ICpEP.se USLS (2019–2020)
- Outreach Committee Head (2018–2019)

Liceo De La Salle (Senior High School)

2016 – 2018

Liceo De La Salle – USLS, Bacolod City

St. Benilde School (Elementary – Junior High School)

2006 – 2016

St. Benilde School, Bacolod City

Dean's List, University of St. La Salle	2020–2021
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External Vice President – ICpEP.se , University of St. La Salle	2019–2020
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With Honors – Liceo De La Salle	2016–2018
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Outreach Committee Head – ICpEP.se , University of St. La Salle	2018–2019
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CERTIFICATIONS / LEARNING

- Self-studied modern stacks (React, Node.js, MongoDB) post-graduation (Mid 2022)
- Continuing independent learning through freelance work and personal projects