

# Dewmith Akalanka

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## Work Experience

**Fortude - Software Engineer**

**July 2024 - Present**

**Fortude - Associate Software Engineer**

**March 2022 - June 2024**

- Contributed as a full stack developer in a large scale microservices-based application integrated with Infor M3 ERP to streamline operations for a leading apparel manufacturer in Sri Lanka.
  - Developed required features for backend using NestJs as the framework and the GraphQL as the data exposing API.
  - Managed consumers and producers for Change Data Capture (CDC) events and event-driven architecture with Kafka for efficient communication between microservices.
  - Created user friendly User Interfaces using Angular with Kendo UI CSS styling library.
  - Bug identification by debugging the code & New Relic based log monitoring.
  - Fixed bugs and deployed to QA and UAT environment via Jenkins CI/CD pipeline.
  - Worked with SRE team on ad hoc to resolve Performance and Availability Issues.
  - Worked with Infor M3 ERP Consultants to enhance the user experience by adding proper validations and meaningful notifications.
  - Daily dev sanity checks (including checking Kafka lags, Redis cache performance, health status of CDC connectors etc.)
- Worked as a full stack Software Developer, maintaining and supporting an automation tool for adding data to Centric PLM based on client business requirements.
  - Bug identification and providing RCAs using code debugging and analyzing docker logs.
  - Fixed identified bugs in React based frontend as well as the NestJS based monolith application.
  - Deployed fixed bugs using Docker swarm.

**hSenid Software Lanka - Software Engineering Intern**

**August 2020 - February 2021**

- Worked on an Angular based frontend application for a compliance manager dashboard
- Traning including Linux environment, Java based web development (JSP, Servlets, Springboot & Hibernate ORM), Unit testing, working with Docker container etc.

## Projects

**Stealth Messaging App** - *NestJS, React (functional components), MongoDB & Socket.io*



Created a real time user to user based chat application for a client requirement. Chat messages are encrypted from each end using AES encryption. Real time messaging is handled through the web sockets. Includes multiple message visibility options.

**Uni Connect App** - *Nodejs (express), React(class components), MongoDB, ChartJS*



Created a social media platform specific to University alumnis' as per bachelor's degree requirement. Users can share professional achievements, share job vacancies or find a relevant job and connect with colleagues using the Uni Connect. A ChartJS based dashboard is also implemented to visualize the user engagement.

## Technical Skills

Programming Languages: JavaScript, TypeScript, Java, C#, C++, HTML, CSS

Frameworks/ Web Technologies: NodeJS, React, Angular, NestJS, Kafka(message/event streaming), Redis Caching, BullJS(background jobs/ Redis queues), Docker(Application containers)

Database Technologies: SQL, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MSSQL, TypeORM, Redis

## Education

**University of Kelaniya**

**March 2018 - March 2022**

B.Sc. (Hons) in Management & Information Technology (Specialized in Information Technology)

**D.S. Senanayake College - Colombo 07**

**January 2008 - August 2016**

G.C.E Advanced Level (Physical Stream) | 2016 - (Combined Mathematics- B, Chemistry - B, Physics - C)

G.C.E Ordinary Level | 2013 - (9A passes)