Didier IMANIRAHARI

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Developer

Ambitious software developer with a strong foundation in Python/Django backend systems, blockchain fundamentals, and web automation. Possesses hands-on experience with small-scale smart contract development, web scraping scripts, and cloud-native tools. Passionate about building secure, user-focused solutions while continuously improving technical expertise. Eager to grow into a high-impact role in software development and blockchain, with long-term goals of creating innovative solutions and launching a tech company.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Self-directed Learning Independent Developer — GitHub Portfolio Projects

01/2021 - Present

- Created 10+ diverse projects, from e-commerce systems and career platforms to blockchain token prototypes
- Applied advanced tools like Moccasin, Boa, and Kubernetes through hands-on practice
- Published all projects openly on GitHub for transparency and collaboration

Google Developers Group Hackathon Team Lead — NLPAY Project

Kigali, Rwanda, Digital Transformation Center

i was a leader of my Team to reach our goal

- Led development of NLPAY Academy, an AI platform delivering digital skills in Kinyarwanda
- Coordinated a cross-functional team, managing task allocation, version control, and prototype delivery
- Presented to judges, recognized for local impact and innovative approach

University of Rwanda

Project Lead — Blockchain-Powered Agricultural Supply Chain System (Final Year Project)

- Designing and implementing a blockchain-based produce tracking system using Django REST and Vyper
- Integrating smart contracts for ownership transfer, price tracking, and produce status updates

EDUCATION

Bachelor's in Computer and Software Engineering

University of Rwanda

Kigali, Rwanda • 10/2025

- Awarded full government scholarship for outstanding academic performance
- Key coursework: Data Structures, Databases, Distributed Systems, Blockchain Development, AI/ML Fundamentals
- Engaged in multiple academic and independent projects (full list in Projects section, available on GitHub)

CERTIFICATIONS

Kubernetes and Cloud Native Essentials (LFS250)

05/2025

The Linux Foundation

CCNAv7: Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

03/2024

Cisco Networking Academy

CCNAv7: Introduction to Networks	08/2022
Cisco Networking Academy	
IT Essentials: PC Hardware and Software	11/2021
Cisco Networking Academy	

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Hackathon Recognition (NLPAY Project) Google Developers Community Government Scholarship Recipient 01/2021

Government

PROJECTS

- Blockchain-Powered Agricultural Supply Chain System

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- Platform for produce ownership transfer, price tracking, and status updates
- Designed and deployed basic smart contracts using Vyper and Moccasin, tested with Boa

- E-Commerce Team Avatar

Backend APIs for product listings, cart management, and order tracking

- NLPAY Academy

AI learning platform for African digital skills in Kinyarwanda

AI Career Platform

AI-powered career development platform with CV builder

- Co-Work Connect

Workspace management system with booking, scheduling, and admin dashboard

- USSD Template for Local Market Management

Prototype for market transaction management via USSD

Portfolio Website

Personal developer portfolio site

- Django-React Tutorial App

Full-stack tutorial project with authentication and deployment

Little Lemon Restaurant Website

Restaurant management website with menu and booking features

- MOX ERC-20 Token

First ERC-20 token project with smart contract testing

- BusinessPro

Professional profile website for a client

SKILLS

Programming Languages: automation scripts, Basic smart contract development for Ethereum-compatible blockchains, Django, Django REST Framework, JavaScript, Python, Querying & database design (Oracle, PostgreSQL), React, React Native, SQL, Vyper

Frameworks & Libraries: Backend: Django, BeautifulSoup, Data Automation: Requests, Django REST Framework, Frontend: React, Pandas (basic), React Native, Tailwind CSS

Blockchain & Web3: Able to design and deploy small-scale smart contracts, Hands- on practice with Vyper, Moccasin, andBoa for basic deployments, Strong understanding of blockchain principles, smart contracts, and wallet authentication

Data & Automation: Built scripts using Requests and BeautifulSoup formall projects, Familiar with data parsing and basic cleaning for structured outputs, Solid grasp of web scraping fundamentals and automation workflows

DevOps & Tools: Docker/ Podman (rootless containers), Git & GitHub (branching strategy, PR reviews), Kubernetes — completed practice following LFS250 certification, Ubuntu/ Linux (server management & shell scripting), uv (Python package manager)

Other Technical Skills: Deployment on cloud platforms (Netlify, Railway, HerokußEST API development & integration