Emin Buğra Saral (he/him)

Sr. Engineering Manager / Team Lead

B2B, B2C, SaaS, E-commerce, Customer Support, Web & Mobile Apps, APIs, Integrations, AWS (Cloud) LinkedIn

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Current Location: Türkiye

RECENT WORK EXPERIENCES

FINN Munich, Germany

www.finn.com

11.2020 - 04.2023 (~ 2.5 years) - Hybrid

Car Subscription Platform (E-commerce, B2C, B2B)

Senior Lead Software Engineer

Stack: Python, React, Next.js, Serverless, REST, PostgreSQL, Netlify, Vercel, GitLab, GitHub, Docker, Terraform, Sentry, Opsgenie, AWS, Datadog, Postman, Looker, Google Suite, Analytics, Hubspot, Apify, Usercentrics, Airtable, Make, Miro, Figma, Cosmic JS...

- Interviewing, onboarding and mentoring team members
- Leading User Acquisition team in cross-department projects
- Cross-functional stakeholder and roadmap management
- Contributing to documentations, blog posts and libraries
- AWS Cloud setup and optimizations (almost all services)
- Planning, documenting, developing, testing and monitoring backend and frontend solutions:
 Microservices in Python and Node.js, web applications in React (TypeScript), Tailwind and Material UI
- Building and improving automations and CI/CD tools
- Sprint, backlog and incident (bug) management of B2C Checkout flow within Agile methodologies:
 Product display, memberships, subscriptions, credit scores, payments, vouchers, notifications, integrations, customer journey enhancements...

3megawatt Munich, Germany

Acquired by www.powerfactors.com

10.2016 - 07.2019 (~ 2.5 years) - Onsite

Solar Asset Management (SaaS, B2B)

Team Lead & Senior Software Engineer

Stack: Python, Django, Heroku, AWS, PostgreSQL, Redis, MongoDB, RabbitMQ, Postman, Google Suite, Intercom...

- Hiring, onboarding and mentoring team members
- Organizing events with and for teammates
- Contributing to employee policies and SOC Audits
- Sprint planning and management (Agile / Scrum)
- Planning, developing, testing and monitoring backend services / APIs

EDUCATION

Koç University Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering

Istanbul, Türkiye (2008 – 2013) Clubs: Computer, Drama, Management

BEM Exchange Student, International Project Management

Bordeaux, France (Spring 2013)

CURRENT STATUS

Availability: Immediate Languages: English (fluent), Turkish (native) Visa Sponsorship: Required

Lead (Manager) Experience: 4 years

Engineering Experience: 10+ years

Countries lived in: Türkiye, France, The U.S., Germany

Marital Status: Single

Career Break Information (May 2023 - present)

I have committed myself to a deep personal growth by exploring the interconnectedness of nature.

As a result, I have initiated the Logical Spirituality project in September 2025, with a self-assigned title "Spirit Guide".

Interests & Talents

- Personal development and rapid learning (continuous inspiration and multi-directional education cycle)
- Empathy, humor, openness, problem solving...
- Artistic attention to details (painting, movie, song, writing, dance, gesture)
- Creative criticism and innovative vision (technology, theory, writing, article, story, impersonation)
- Music (almost all genres as a listener)
- Freestyle dancing (+ clubbing)
- Creative cooking (vegetarian)
- Team sports and extreme sports (football, basketball, volleyball, mountain biking, drifting)
- Painting (pencil drawing, doodles)
- Discovering how luck is formed, shaped, renewed, and dissolved within nature
 - How to gain and shape more talents while boosting potentials
 - How to enhance business strategies in a healthy way
 - How to align social interactions better within nature's luck scale
 - How to unlock more gifts that are visibly hidden in nature's offerings
- Exploring interconnectedness of philosophy, psychology, sociology, and related fields better in depth
 - Tackling scenarios to take care of current global issues: Innovative, visionary, inclusive and comprehensive solutions
 - How to understand nature's silent language that is already translated via human symbols
- Reinterpreting historical events both on a global scale and within our personal lives
- Understanding why living beings become ill, and how to prevent diseases without solely using medicine