EREZ KALIFA

Automation & QA Engineer

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Automation Engineer with a B.Sc. in Computer Science and practical experience in building scalable web systems, integrating APIs, and deploying cloud-based applications. Strong background in debugging complex React applications and providing system-level solutions in production environments.

Core Competencies

Python | Pytest | Selenium WebDriver | REST API Testing (requests, Postman) | SQL | Docker | Jenkins CI/CD | Test Automation Frameworks | Debugging complex systems | Agile methodology | Git | Fast learner | Strong team player

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

TrackIt - Job Application Manager GitHub

Full Stack App development

- Designed and implemented a **CRUD** web app (React + TypeScript front-end, FastAPI + Python back-end) storing structured data in PostgreSQL.
- Added UI smoke tests with Selenium and API validation scripts with requests to ensure data integrity across deployments.
- Containerized stack with **Docker Compose**; deployed preview environments on Railway for every pull-request.

Automation Project – Automation for an Online Booking Platform

- Built a hybrid UI + API automation framework (Java + Selenium, Python scripts for REST calls) following STP/STD methodology.
- Wrote and parameterized test cases covering booking flow, cancellations, and refund APIs; integrated suite into Jenkins nightly pipeline.
- Generated Allure HTML reports and configured Slack notifications for failed builds to shorten regression feedback.

EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS

B.Sc. In Computer Science and Mathematics

Hadassah Academic College, Jerusalem

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Supreme Court of Israel

Software Support Specialist

Jan 2020 – Dec 2023

Graduated: Sept 2024

- Provided advanced debugging and root-cause analysis for complex React-based systems in production.
- Worked closely with system architects to trace data flows, component hierarchies, and API interactions across multiple layers.
- Proposed actionable solutions and alternative architectural strategies to address system-level issues.
- Supported large-scale, real-time systems including image processing, video analysis, and internal IT platforms.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Certifications
 - Automated Testing with Python & Pytest Full bootcamp, Udemy | 2025
- ✓ Native Hebrew, fluent English
- ✓ Quick self-learner; regularly contribute to personal GitHub projects to refine testing skills.