Faiz A. Farooqui

Software Engineer (Backend)

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01 PROFILE

- Associate Director of Engineering with 8+ years of experience
- Experience with agile development, CI/CD, security, and cloud infrastructure
- Led a team of engineers to deliver software products on time and within budget
- Proven expertise in technologies such as Postgres, GraphQL, Docker and NodeJS
- Skilled in tools like OpenNebula, Open VSwitch, Qemu and Firecracker MicroVM
- Contributed to multiple open source GitHub projects
- Engineer's Degree in Computer Science and Engineering

02 EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

May 2021 — Present

Bengaluru

Associate Director of Engineering at GeekyAnts

- Developing Gluestack framework & Bolt framework for full-stack development and deployment. These frameworks will bootstraps, installs, updates, runs, manages & deploys with techs like Postgres, GraphQL, Typings, Docker, API Gateway, Dapr, NodeJS, NextJS, etc.
- Developing Bolt VM that acts and works docker but is developed using Qemu System & Alpine Linux

Jul 2019 — Apr 2021

Bengaluru

Engineering Manager at GeekyAnts

- Managing and mentoring a team of engineers
- Partnering with other engineering and development teams
- Maintaining good relationships with internal and external stakeholders
- Providing technical guidance to engineering teams and top management
- Oversees engineering staff and ensures that they meet goals and objectives
- Implementing best practice engineering methods
- Conducting monthly evaluation calls with individuals to perform review and developer's perspective

Aug 2018 — Jun 2019

Bengaluru

Tech Lead at GeekyAnts

- Working on and leading a project to provide a platform for consumers or traders to connect directly with the farmers for the buying & selling the farm goods

- Implemented open source boilerplate in different technologies to help our team in getting with the features quickly and reducing redundant/boring work
- Designed and developed a social media app that complies with COPPA compliance and help end-users or parents for their child's online privacy protection
- Designed and developed multiple back-end projects for an American company that specializes in sports equipment sensors + analytics tools for helmets, pads, guards, etc to track teams & players impact on field

Senior Software Engineer at GeekyAnts

Jan 2018 — Jul 2018
Bengaluru

- Lead & built a complete web application for a health-care organisation to manage enterprises, their hospitals, their pharmacies, doctors, different staff & patients
- Developed a PoS framework for a leading payment company to use one their mobile app to accept payments for parcel deliveries, household bills, taxes, etc.
- Completed a framework for GeekyAnts to create multiple marketplace for selling their web themes, mobile apps & products

Software Engineer at GeekyAnts

Sep 2015 — Dec 2017
Bengaluru

Worked as an individual contributor for —

- An American marketing company to help their customers with the SEO ranking of their campaigns using articles, videos, live-streams, etc.
- A Solution of Hotel's Back-Office Management Tool to help Enterprises setup & manage their organizations effectively.Worked as an individual contributor for — An American marketing company to help their customers with the SEO ranking of their campaigns using articles, videos, live-streams, etc.
- A Solution of Hotel's Back-Office Management Tool to help Enterprises setup & manage their organizations effectively

03 EDUCATION

Aug 2011 — May 2015
Ghaziabad, India

Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Technical University
Computer Science & Engineering Degree

04 SKILLS

HTML, Javascript & PHP	● ● ● ● ●	Apache APISIX API Gateway, Nginx, Traeᴨk, Docker, Docker Compose & Dapr	● ● ● ● ●
NodeJS, ExpressJS, NextJS, GatsbyJS, Laravel & Wordpress	● ● ● ● ●		
ReactJS, VueJS & React Native	● ● ● ● ◁	AWS CodePipeline, BitbucketCI, CircleCI, GitlabCI & Hetzner	● ● ● ● ●
PostgreSQL, MySQL, MariaDB & MongoDB	● ● ● ● ●	OpenNebula, OpenVSwitch & Firecracker MicroVM	● ● ● ● ●