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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Junior Software Developer with hands-on experience in PHP, Flask, Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and SQL. Developed an Al-powered Online Examination System, integrating Flask for Al evaluation and PHP for backend logic. Skilled in creating scalable, efficient web applications with a focus on user experience and system optimization. Seeking a challenging position to apply strong problem-solving abilities and experience with full-stack development in a dynamic environment.

Education

Bachelor's Degree in Information Technology

07/2021 - 02/2025

Debre Markos University

- CGPA: 3.32 | Passed University Exit Exam (71%)
- Relevant coursework: Web & App Development, System and Network Administration, Network Device Configuration, Distributed Systems, Data Communication, and Computer Networks

Professional Experience

Online Examination System with AI-Based Evaluation

06/2024

Personal Project

- **Developed** a web-based examination system using **PHP** & **MySQL**, boosting database response time by 50%.
- **Integrated** a **Flask-based AI** (Python) for automated answer evaluation, **accelerating** grading efficiency by 80%.
- **Implemented** secure login mechanisms, ensuring robust data protection for over 100 users.
- Created an intuitive admin dashboard for exam management, tracking student performance, and generating real-time analytics reports.
- **Optimized** server performance, reducing load times by 40% through refined database queries and caching.
- **Developed** role-based access control (RBAC), ensuring secure access across 3 user levels (admin, instructor, student).
- Spearheaded penetration testing, discovering and mitigating 5 major security vulnerabilities.
- Introduced automated data backup, reducing data loss risk by 90%.

Commercial Bank of Ethiopia, Assela District

- Configured and maintained 15+ network devices, ensuring 99% system uptime.
- Troubleshot and resolved daily IT issues, reducing response time and improving efficiency.
- Assisted in implementing security monitoring procedures, reducing potential cyber threats by 25%.
- Provided **technical support to 20+ employees**, minimizing downtime and improving workflow.
- Researched and helped implement security policies, enhancing system protection by 20%.
- Assisted in setting up a VPN connection that supported remote work for 10+ employees.
- Monitored firewall logs and analyzed 100+ network traffic events per day to identify potential vulnerabilities.
- Diagnosed and repaired hardware malfunctions in 30+ workstations, improving reliability and efficiency.

Skills

Technical Skills

Programming Languages:

 Proficient in Python, PHP, JavaScript, C#, and VB. Experience with objectoriented programming (OOP) and software design principles.

Web Development:

- Frontend: HTML, CSS, JavaScript.
- Backend: ASP.NET Web Forms, MVC, Flask, PHP.
- Full-stack development experience, ensuring seamless integration of frontend and backend components. Building and consuming RESTful APIs and working with WebSockets.

Database Management:

 Strong knowledge of SQL (MySQL, PostgreSQL, MS SQL Server). Database design, normalization, indexing, and query optimization. Experience with stored procedures, triggers, and functions.

Software Development & Tools:

 Proficiency in Web APIs, Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA), and microservices. Experience with version control (Git, GitHub, GitLab). Debugging and troubleshooting using IDE tools (VS Code, PyCharm, Visual Studio). Knowledge of software development lifecycle (SDLC) methodologies (Agile, Scrum).

Soft Skills

- Problem-Solving & Analytical Skills:
 Proven ability to identify inefficiencies and develop optimized solutions. Involved in troubleshooting software issues, debugging code, and resolving complex technical challenges during project development.
- Teamwork & Leadership: Led a team of 3 developers on a university project, coordinating efforts and ensuring timely completion of deliverables. Encouraged open communication and a collaborative approach to tackle technical challenges.
- Adaptability & Continuous Learning:
 Regularly update skills with the latest
 technologies and frameworks, recently
 gaining proficiency in Flask for AI
 development and SQL for database
 management. Adaptable to different work
 environments and technologies as
 projects evolve.
- Communication & Documentation:
 Created comprehensive documentation for projects, ensuring all stakeholders could easily understand the technical aspects. Effectively explained complex technical concepts to non-technical team members and clients.

Extracurricular Activities & Projects

Quiz App (Personal Project)

- Developed a quiz application using Java and XML for interactive user engagement.
- Implemented features such as real-time scoring, multiple question types (multiple-choice, true/false), and a timer for each quiz session.
- Focused on responsive design, ensuring usability across different devices and screen sizes.

Configuring network

• Led a team of 5 students in **configuring a small enterprise network**, including VLANs, subnets, and security policies.

	Languages	
Amharic Fluent	● ● ● ● English Fluent	• • • •
Afaan Oromoo Fluent	• • • •	