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Personal Profile

Passionate Computer Scientist adept at creating innovative techniques and making them robust and scalable. Zealous about software engineering and with 2+ years of experience specializing in software development and maintenance, cloud programming, design patterns, algorithms, full-stack web development, and most programming languages.

Education

Bilkent University

Bachelor's Degree - Computer Science

Ankara, Turkey

May 2018 - May 2024

- Comprehensive Scholarship
- High Honor Student
- GPA: 3.5

Work Experience

TaleWorlds

Ankara, Turkey

Internship

January 2023 - August 2023

- Took on the role of developer and maintainer for an upcoming game.
- Contributed to development using Unity, C, Python, and Unreal Engine.
- Created a plugin in Unreal Engine enabling developers to design subpart structures within the game.
- Developed a Python script for modifying part specifications in the game.
- Technical Skills:** Unity, C, Python, C++, Unreal Engine.
- Soft Skills:** Time management, Communication, Logical Thinking, Refactoring, Team Collaboration, Scrum.

Siemens

Ankara, Turkey

Part-time Working Student as Software Developer, internship

January 2022 - July 2024

- Took on the development and maintainer role in SIGUARD DSA.
- Contributed to developing the web application (Angular) and backend (Spring boot microservices) of SIGUARD DSA by implementing related pages with Angular and dockerized Spring boot services.
- Refactored and maintained the installer of SIGUARD DSA written in Python.
- Implemented and maintained a full-stack application with Spring Boot from scratch among team members, enabling the team to analyze and manage property files in Java and automatically arrange them on GitLab.
- Technical Skills:** Java, JBoss, Maven, JPA, Hibernate, J2EE, JHipster, Angular.js, Spring Boot, Docker, Micro-architecture, Rabbit MQ, Monitor tools (Grafana, Prometheus, Zipkin), Linux, Network Systems, Python, Agile, Scrum
- Soft Skills:** Time management, Communication, Logical Thinking, Refactoring, Team Collaboration.

Aselsan

Ankara, Turkey

Project Data Tagging Assistant

March 2022 - May 2022

- Worked with the "Aselsan Natural Language Processing Team" on a project to detect and analyze misinformation in selected tweets related to specific news topics.
- Assisted in tagging relevant Twitter tweets with corresponding labels to create a dataset for the project.

Figensoft

Ankara, Turkey

Full Stack Developer Intern (Voluntary)

July 2021 - Sep 2020

- Built a full-stack application with a team of five that schedule the entrance and exit data of the workers in a construction area with the solution of QR codes.
- Focused more on back-end (ASP.net), front-end (Bootstrap) design and implementation.
- Technical Skills:** HTML, JavaScript, CSS, .Net(ASP.NET), Bootstrap, Node.js, Vue.js, Git.
- Soft Skills:** Time Management, Communication, Logical Thinking, Working independently and with a team.

Projects

Yoldas (Companion) - Final Project

Ankara, Turkey

Bilkent University

Sept 2023 - May 2024

- Recognized with the **Social Impact Award** at the 2024 CS Fair for outstanding contributions to accessibility technology.
- Led the development of **Yoldas**, a mobile application designed to assist visually impaired individuals in navigating daily tasks.
- Integrated WebRTC for seamless real-time video communication and deployed the application using Docker on a Digital Ocean droplet, ensuring scalability and reliability.
- Technologies:** FastAPI, Flutter, Docker, WebRTC, Firebase.

Pokemon Adoption Website - AWS Project

Ankara, Turkey
Jan 2024 - May 2024

Bilkent University

- Developed a fully AWS-native website enabling users to log in and adopt virtual Pokemon characters.
- Leveraged AWS services including CloudFront, Cognito, Lambda, ECS, and DynamoDB to build and deploy the application.
- **Technologies:** AWS (CloudFront, Cognito, Lambda, ECS, DynamoDB, and more).

Skin Cancer Diagnosis - Machine Learning Project

Ankara, Turkey
Sept 2023 - Jan 2024

Bilkent University

- Developed a machine learning model for diagnosing skin cancer, comparing SVM, Transfer Learning, Random Forest, and Vision Transformers.
- Focused on evaluating model performance and optimizing diagnostic accuracy.
- **Technologies:** Python, PyTorch, Colab, various machine learning models.

Eventmania - Database-Driven Application

Ankara, Turkey
Jan 2023 - May 2023

Bilkent University

- Led a team to develop a full-stack event management application addressing the lack of local meeting platforms in Ankara.
- Focused on backend development with Spring Boot and integrated the system with PostgreSQL for database management.
- **Technologies:** Spring Boot, PostgreSQL, AWS, React.

Skills

- Programming** Java, Python, C/C++, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Data Structure, Design Patterns, Object Oriented Programming, SQL
- Miscellaneous** Linux, Shell (Bash), Microsoft Office, Git, AWS, Digital Oceaon
- Soft Skills** Time Management, Teamwork, Problem-solving, Documentation, Communication, Leadership.

Achievements

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| 2019 | Overall 7/9 , International English Language Testing System (IELTS) | Ankara |
| 2018 | 759th Place , Turkey National University Entrance Exam | Ankara |
| 2021 | Fifth Place , OBSS Hackathon | Ankara |
| 2024 | Social Impact Award , Bilkent CS Fair 2024 | Ankara |

Languages

- English** Professional proficiency
- Turkish** Native proficiency
- French** Beginner (Learning) Proficiency