GEORGE HAJJAR

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SYNCTERA
Sr. Software Engineer, Frontend

Remote
June 2021 - Present

Synctera is a banking-as-a-service startup (~120 employees) that facilitates partnerships between community banks and FinTechs. The company raised \$79 million in funding.

- Feature leader and subject-matter expert on complex web features. Developed and managed features including: account
 management, transaction processing, customer and business management; US-to-Canada expansion; user permissions;
 geographical restrictions; customer access restrictions; and four-eyes integration.
- Contributed to the improvement of frontend development processes using React and Typescript. Lead the development of standardized utility functions, reducing development time by 35%; introduced global code standards; and created reusable component wrappers.
- Actively collaborated with the product team (product manager, design lead, and technical lead) on all pod-specific features to gather requirements and to create and refine UX.
- Contributed to defining endpoint structures and data schemas in collaboration with backend developers, enhancing frontend-backend alignment. Utilized React hooks to integrate a variety of internal APIs into our web application.
- Provided technical and developmental support to colleagues in areas of expertise. Initiated and maintained weekly
 communication with team members to foster knowledge-sharing, discuss ongoing projects, and collaborate on addressing
 technical challenges.

NOVISTO Software Engineer, Frontend Toronto, ON

June 2020 - June 2021

Novisto is a software startup specializing in ESG (Environmental, Social, and Governance) management solutions for businesses.

- Developed a software platform for ESG data management and analytics using Angular and Typescript.
- Responsible for the development of shared/reusable components, responsive experiences (web/mobile), and unit/end-to-end testing.
- Responsible for the design, development and interfacing of RESTful APIs for application data management.

INTERSECT iOS Developer

Toronto, ON

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May 2019 - Sept 2019 & May 2018 - Sept 2018

- Developed President's Choice Financial iOS application in 2019 using Swift.
- Lead iOS developer on client project in 2018 responsible for delivering a high quality employee benefits application.
- Worked with a cross functional team to understand requirements and recommend appropriate solutions; including Project Managers, Designers, Backend Developers, and QA Analysts.

EDUCATION

CARLETON UNIVERSITY

Ottawa, ON

Bachelor of Engineering, Computer & Systems with Honors; Minor in Business

2015-2020

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages

- Typescript
- Javascript
- HTML/SCSS
- Python
- Swift

Frontend Frameworks and Libraries

- React Router
- React Query
- Material UI
- Tailwind
- Formik
- Cypress/Jest

Javascript Frameworks

- React
- React Native
- Angular