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Summary

- Results-driven Senior Software Developer with 9+ years of experience building and scaling microservices and web applications.
- Proactive backend engineer with a focus on asynchronous systems, message queues, and infrastructure reliability.
- Thrives in distributed, remote-first teams with timezone-flexible, async collaboration and minimal supervision.
- Skilled in system design, high-performance Rust development, and resilient backend architecture.
- Proven track record in leading complex DB migrations, optimizing performance, and contributing to open-source projects like Askama and Helix.
- Passionate about solving deep technical challenges and delivering robust, productiongrade software.

Open-Source Contributions

- Fixed build hangs in Askama (Rust) due to unintended template recursion, enhancing stability for Jinja-inspired rendering.
- Added test case for append on write handle in Left-right (Rust).
- Added test case for wait function in Left-right (Rust), strengthening high-concurrency data structure robustness.
- Fixed typos in Left-right (Rust) README, improving documentation clarity.
- Added global error/warning count in Helix (Rust) status line, enhancing editor usability.
- Implemented rename command in Helix (Rust), streamlining user workflows.
- Added update in Helix (Rust) for modified files.

Technical Skill's

- Languages & Frameworks: Rust (Actix-web, Tonic, Serde, Tokio, Tracing, Sqlx, Sea-ORM), Python (Django), JavaScript, Go
- Databases & Messaging: PostgreSQL, MySQL, Redis, Apache Pulsar
- Tools & DevOps: Docker, CI/CD (GitHub Actions, Git Hooks), Grafana
- Other: gRPC, REST APIs, GCP Task Queue

Professional Experience

- 1. Appknox Senior Rust Developer (Remote) May 2023 Feb 2024
 - Designed and launched SBOM, a microservice for automated software bill of materials analysis, detecting security vulnerabilities and legal risks in client application code.

- Built scalable APIs using Rust, Tokio, and gRPC (Tonic), integrated with Post-greSQL via Sea-ORM and sqlx, reducing vulnerability scan times by 30%.
- Developed asynchronous Rust parsers for APK, POM, Flutter, and React Native apps to perform security checks on dependency versions and known vulnerabilities.
- Implemented tracing for distributed logging, improving debugging efficiency across services.
- Collaborated on CI/CD pipelines with GitHub Actions, ensuring zero-downtime deployments.

2. Lifepal Technologies — Senior Software Developer (Remote) May 2022 – Mar 2023

- Developed a lead management system in a microservice architecture using Rust and gRPC, handling 10,000+ daily leads with real-time state transitions for TSO teams.
- Implemented backend job processing using Rust and RabbitMQ for reliable asynchronous task execution.
- Led migration from SQLX to Sea-ORM, reducing database query latency by 25% and simplifying ORM interactions.
- Designed WhatsApp API integration to parse chats and auto-generate leads, increasing lead ingestion by 15%.
- Restructured PostgreSQL based constant management using LISTEN/NOTIFY, enhancing configuration reliability.
- Established CI/CD standards with cargo fmt/clippy, improving code quality across 5+ Rust services.

3. Google ODC at GlobalLogic — Full-Stack Developer Dec 2018 – May 2022

- Spearheaded migration of Blogger.com's UI and backend to modern JavaScript and internal Java frameworks, serving millions of monthly users with 99.9% uptime.
- Built Tam on Tap, a distributed shift scheduler with Google Hangouts bot integration, reducing task assignment delays by 40% for support teams.
- Wrote extensive unit/UI tests and conducted 100+ code reviews, ensuring robust releases.
- Developed an internal Chrome extension, streamlining team workflows for 500+ users.
- Awarded Individual Excellence Award (2018-2019) for multi-project impact across Rust, Go, and JavaScript stacks.

4. Hindustan Times — Full-Stack Developer Jan 2016 – Dec 2018

• Enhanced HTCampus, a college search platform, is scaling to 30,000+ listings and online applications, driving 20% revenue growth via lead generation.

5. TriHedron — Full-Stack Developer Jun 2015 – Dec 2016

- Built a Learning Management System (LMS) with Django and MySQL, supporting course uploads and growth tracking for 1,000+ users.
- Developed responsive frontends using jQuery, Bootstrap, and Materialize, improving user engagement by 25%.

6. NexThoughts — Full-Stack Developer Feb 2014 – Jun 2015

• Delivered an event management web app using Groovy/Grails and jQuery, handling 500+ events with real-time updates.