

# Hanzel Petherson

Software Architecture, AI Engineer, Software Engineer

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## SUMMARY

Meet Hanzel, a seasoned AI/ML Python Engineer whose passion for artificial intelligence, machine learning, and natural language processing runs deep. With over 7 years of dedicated experience in AI and Python backend development, he's a maestro at harnessing cutting-edge tech for innovative solutions.

From a young age, Hanzel dreamt of becoming a cybersecurity expert, driven to thwart hacker attacks and create a fantastic AI/ML + Cyber Security product. His goal? Crafting an exceptional AI/ML security system, fortified by advanced artificial intelligence and machine learning techniques. This system would analyze data, spot anomalies, and adapt to new threats, safeguarding against cyberattacks and preserving sensitive data.

Yet, his journey began uncertainly, swayed by parental influence toward a medical career. But Hanzel chose to blaze a different trail, immersing himself in the world of computer science at a prestigious university. He excelled, specializing in web development and security, setting the stage for a flourishing software development career.

Through trials in both career and family life, Hanzel emerged triumphant, earning a reputation as an indispensable developer. Today, he remains unceasingly driven by a thirst for knowledge and commitment to staying at the tech forefront.

Hanzel isn't just a tech wiz; he's defined by his open-mindedness and unwavering enthusiasm, making him a valuable collaborator and team player. In essence, he's not just a developer; he's a person of exceptional character, uniting technical prowess with interpersonal finesse.

## EXPERIENCE

### Senior Full Stack Developer

**Suzunoya K.K.**   01/2023 - Present   Japan, Remote  
<https://www.suzunoya.com/>

Suzunoya is a small and growing company that offers an educational service that focuses on efficiency in language learning.

- Planned, designed, and developed an innovative website using React.js, Angular.js, and Bubble.io to provide an interactive and seamless shopping experience.
- Developed a real-time server-client communication model using Socket.io for implementing a dynamic, AI-powered chatbot to enhance customer interaction.
- Constructed a visually appealing and user-friendly landing page using modern React.js features and UI/UX principles, which serves as the first point of interaction for users.
- Integrated the application with MongoDB for robust, scalable data storage and retrieval, leveraging Mongoose for object modeling and seamless data transition to and from the database.
- Leveraged AI frameworks to develop a versatile, responsive, and learning chatbot that continually adapts to customer interactions and inquiries.
- Successfully deployed the high-performing shopping platform on AWS for scalability, reliability, and robustness.
- Technologies:** React.js, Angular.js, Bubble.io, MongoDB, AWS, Socket.io, AI and Machine Learning, Web Development, RestAPIs, Microservices, CI/CD Pipelines, GitHub, Web Sockets, Nginx, Linux, Docker.

## LANGUAGES

Malay	Native
English	Proficient
Japanese	Proficient

## EDUCATION

### Bachelor Degree in Computer Science

Universiti Sains Malaysia

GPA  
**3.3** / 4.0

2013 - 2016

Penang, Malaysia

## SKILLS

### Language

Python	Go	Javascript	PHP
C++	C#	Java	

### Frameworks

Django	Flask	FastAPI	Node
Express	Nest.js	React	Next.js
Gin	Beego	Angular.js	Bubble.io
Wordpress	Vue.js		

### Libraries/APIs

Fast.ai	PyTorch	Lightning	
Rest APIs	Keras	TensorFlow	
Scikit-learn	OpenCV	SQLAlchemy	
Pandas	Numpy	PySpark	NLTK
SpaCy	Google Vision API		

## EXPERIENCE

### AI/NLP Engineer | Backend Developer

Makebell

📅 10/2022 - 01/2023 📍 HongKong, Remote

🔗 <https://makebell.com/>

Makebell is a big data-and AI-powered company dedicated to helping make complex legal, technical and patient documents easier to understand and easier to review and edit

- Designed and implemented a machine learning system that recognizes and extracts meaningful information from accounting documents using deep learning algorithms.
- Designed and implemented ai document review system that detect translation errors of the company fund documents.
- Designed and implemented highly scalable, reliable, and distributed back-end services using Python, FastAPI, Celery, Redis, and MongoDB to process incoming data in real-time.
- Played a key role in developing RESTful APIs using Python frameworks like Flask, ensuring efficient processing document extracting, pairing, reviewing, evaluate translation quality.
- **Technologies**: Python, Data Science, Data Extraction, Machine Learning, Alibaba Machine Learning, Google Cloud Machine Learning, Data Engineering, Architecture, AI Design, Web Security, Nginx, DevOps, Linux, Docker, Jupyter Notebook, React, Javascript, Document Extracting, Sentence Transformer, Pytorch, Bert Model, RestAPIs, Web Development, Deep Neural Networks, Github CI/CD, SQLAlchemy, Postgres, Numpy, Pandas, AWS Lambda

### Sr. Backend Developer | AI Engineer

Laskie

📅 06/2021 - 10/2022 📍 USA, Remote

🔗 <https://laskie.com/>

Laskie is hiring platform that provides a tech talent recruiting service. The platform was acquired by Twitter in 2023

- Designed the matching algorithms combined with people power, aka Sources, to find and vet technical talent.
- Designed and Implemented machine learning search and matching architecture to provide candidates.
- Spearheaded a modernization of the development process by establishing the brand-new roles of DevOps and SRE, which resulted in a faster process of releasing the changes into production.
- **Technology**: Python, Golang, Data Science, Machine Learning, Elasticsearch, Google Cloud Machine Learning, Data Engineering, MongoDB, Micro Services, Scrum, CI/CD Pipeline, Docker, Docker Compose, Nginx, AI design, PySpark, Web Security, GraphQL, Rest, Pytorch, Flask, Santic Web Server, Pytest, SQL, Linux, Natural Language Toolkit(NLTK), Deep Neural Networks

### AI/ML Engineer | Backend Developer

Cromai

📅 09/2018 - 06/2021 📍 Sao Paulo, Brazil

🔗 <https://en.cromai.com/>

Cromai takes agronomic management to the next level of efficiency with digital solutions based on artificial intelligence.

- Designed Georeferenced identification of weed group in sugarcane fields using Deep Learning and OpenCV
- Designed and Implemented computer vision software capable of fast, accurate, and early diagnosis to increase efficiency of producers in the agriculture industry
- Designed and Implemented image processing and data analysis system with Python, OpenCV, Machine Learning, PostgreSQL
- **Technologies**: Python, Flask, SQLAlchemy, OpenCV, DeepLearning, MLOps, Architecture, Hardware, Google Vision API, C++, Computer Vision Algorithms, Data Analysis, Pandas, Pytorch, Numpy, Matplotlib, Seaborn,

## SKILLS

### ML/NLP

Neural Networks	Classification	NER
Sentiment Analysis	OpenAI	GPT4
Claude 2	LLama	Langchain
Streamlit	Torch	Sound2Text
OCR	Image Recognition	
Hugging Face	Data Modeling	
Data Analysis	Algorithm	MLflow
Image Analysis		

### Platforms

Docker	Jupyter Notebook	Azure
AWS Lambda	GCP	Digital Ocean
Cloudflare	Godaddy	KaliOs

### Paradigms

Data Science	REST	CI/CD
Test-driven Development(TDD)		Agile
Scrum	DevOps	Microservices
Management	ETL	

### Storage

Amazon S3	PostgreSQL	MongoDB
MySQL	Redis	Elasticsearch
Databases	Database Modeling	
Google Cloud	Amazon Cosmos DB	

## EXPERIENCE

### Software Developer

#### Individual

📅 07/2017 - 09/2018 📍 Tokyo, Japan

🔗 <http://www.individual-inc.com/>

Individual provides Development of IoT devices, hardware infrastructure control software & Mobile Apps & Web Apps.

- Served as a Full Stack Developer at Individual, focusing on node-based frameworks for web development.
- Contributed to the end-to-end development of web applications using frameworks such as Express.js and Node.js, ensuring seamless integration of front-end and back-end components.
- Demonstrated proficiency in database management using frameworks like MySQL, effectively handling data storage, retrieval, and optimization for application requirements.
- Developed an internal system for objective quality measurement of the full-text search system. It allowed product managers to focus on important features with the most benefit for the end-users.
- Actively engaged as a team player, collaborating with cross-functional teams, and actively contributing to team discussions, problem-solving, and delivering high-quality solutions.
- **Technologies** : Node, Express, Nest.js, React, Typescript, Redux, Tailwind, Bootstrap, SSR, Webpack, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Firebase, Apache, Nginx, Javascript, CI/CD, Web Security, Pen testing

### Junior Software Developer

#### Sendyou

📅 08/2016 - 07/2017 📍 Tokyo, Japan

🔗 <https://sendyou.jp/>

Sendyou provides customer acquisition tools for cram schools and after school activity providers.

- Joined Sendyou Company as a web developer intern, with a focus on networking and Python, Django web development
- Collaborated closely with the development team, participating in the planning and execution of web development projects.
- Actively engaged in troubleshooting and debugging tasks, working closely with senior developers to identify and resolve issues.
- **Technology** : Python, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Flask, Javascript, React, Backend, Software Architecture, Bootstrap, Node.js, MySQL, Data Modeling, Databases, Nginx, Apache, Rest APIs, C++, SQLAlchemy, Full-Stack, ETL, APIs, Test-driven Development

## SKILLS

### Other

Web Scraping   Data Mining

Automation   Big Data Processing

BERT   ChatGPT   OpenAI   NLP

Security   Firewall   IDS

Real-time Data   Github Action

Object Detection   CCTV

Pre-trained Transformer 3(GPT-3)

Vertex   Vertex AI   DVC

Data Versioning   MLEM

Handwriting Recognition

Robot Operating System   Raspberry Pi

Arduino   STM32