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SUMMARY

Seasoned Software Engineer with over **19 years of experience** in software development and design. Adept at leading projects that drive innovation and efficiency. Proficient in developing robust applications, microservices, and tools with a focus on improving system performance and reducing operational costs. Seeking a challenging role to leverage expertise in **Python**, **microservices**, and **DevOps** within a dynamic software product development environment.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Platforms: UNIX, Linux

Languages: Python 3, FastAPI, Flask, SQL, Shell scripting, Java, HTML

Databases: Oracle, PostgreSQL, MemSQL, MySQL

Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, Kubernetes, Azure, Jira, Confluence, Vim

Frameworks: Agile, Scrum, Kanban

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

EOG Resources (Consultant through FirstLight Consulting), Remote

Software Consultant | Nov 2023 - Present

Key Achievement: Developed REST API service layers using **Python**, **FastAPI**, and **Pydantic**, significantly improving data flow between UI and backend systems. **Impact:** Enhanced user engagement through the successful implementation of new application features, leading to a marked increase in user productivity.

Sophos Technologies, Bangalore

Senior Software Engineer 2 | May 2022 - Aug 2023

Key Achievement: Reduced **CI/CD** on-boarding time by 30% by designing reusable **GitHub Actions workflows** and a **Python**-based GitHub App for managing runners. **Impact:** Streamlined code quality enforcement by developing applications that integrated with BlackDuck and SonarQube APIs, resulting in improved code quality.

Microsoft Corporation (through acquisition of Affirmed Networks), Bangalore

Software Engineer 2 | Jul 2019 - Apr 2022

Key Achievement: Led a team to develop **Python**-based microservices, automation frameworks and tools, which played a critical role in meeting tight project deadlines.

Impact: Automated complex processes using **Python**, reducing manual effort, and increasing efficiency across development and testing teams.

Sandvine Technologies, Bangalore

Senior Software Developer | Nov 2017 - Jul 2019

Key Achievement: Developed a full-stack web application for product performance analytics, incorporating **Python**, **Flask**, InfluxDB, AngularJS, and concepts like metaprogramming, decorators, generators, **OOP** concepts and **SOLID** principles.

Impact: Enabled teams to visualize and analyze test data, driving data-informed decision-making and improving product performance.

Oracle India Development Center, Bangalore

Senior Member of Technical Staff | Mar 2015 - Nov 2017

Key Achievement: Enhanced core product modules in **C++** for a high-performance in-memory database, ensuring reliability and high availability.

Impact: Improved operational efficiency by automating database replication using **Puppet**, reducing manual intervention.

Relecura (formerly INDUS TechInnovations), Bangalore

Senior Systems Engineer | Dec 2013 - Jul 2014

Key Achievement: Developed **Java** modules for patent data mining and analysis, improving data accuracy and processing speed.

Impact: Facilitated faster decision-making by automating the loading of analyzed data into MySQL databases.

Thomson Reuters, Bangalore

Technical Lead | Mar 2008 - Dec 2013

Key Achievement: Re-engineered a legacy 4GL reporting application using **Java** and **Oracle**, reducing runtime from **2-3 days to under an hour**, significantly boosting productivity.

Impact: Enhanced revenue reporting accuracy, reducing business risk, and improving financial operations.

Hewlett-Packard India Software Operations, Bangalore

Systems Software Engineer | May 2006 - Jan 2008

Key Achievement: Maintained and enhanced FTM and SPI modules in **C++**, ensuring reliable system performance.

Impact: Contributed to the successful deployment of fault and trouble management systems across multiple platforms.

Thomson Financial, Bangalore

Software Engineer | Feb 2005 - May 2006

Key Achievement: Developed several securities data feeds (information related to M&A, New Issues, etc.) containing huge datasets using a combination of PL/SQL, Perl and shell scripts for various high profile Investment Banks and Financial firms worldwide.

Impact: Enhanced data quality and data delivery experience for the customers.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Engineering, Computer Science

Dayananda Sagar College of Engineering, Bangalore | 2000-2004

Diploma in Computer Science and Engineering

K.I.E.T. Polytechnic, Bangalore | 1997-2000

CERTIFICATIONS & AWARDS

Microsoft/Affirmed Spot Awards: Recognized for multiple contributions (Jan 2020 - Nov 2021).

Sandvine iPerfRobo Award: Excellence in PerfRobo framework development (Mar 2019).

Oracle Special Recognition Award: Outstanding technical contributions (Sep 2015).

Thomson Reuters Spot Awards: Significant impact on Global Turnkey Systems (Mar 2009, Aug 2009).