MAHIDHAR REDDY NARALA

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER

Professional Summary

Software Development Engineer with experience in payments and e-commerce platforms. Skilled in REST APIs, web-services, micro-services, web development, back-end processes, with focus in Java and Python languages.

SKILLS

Languages: C, C++, CSS, HTML, Java, JavaScript, PHP, PL/SQL, Python Databases: Cassandra, MongoDB, MySQL, Oracle DB, Postgres, Redis

Platforms: Django, Drupal, Git, Hadoop, Kafka, Kubernetes, NLP, NodeJS, Spark, Spring Boot, WordPress

Soft Skills: Aspiring Leader, Critical thinker, Data-driven, Innovative mindset, Keen Observer

Other: Data Structures, Algorithms, System Design, Agile, Kanban, Software Development Life Cycle

WORK EXPERIENCE _

Florida State University Full Stack Software Developer

Tallahassee, Florida Oct 2022 - Present

- Enhancing, maintaining and managing 10+ websites of the College of Fine Arts department at FSU
- Accelerated projects to migrate and revamp all CFA websites to WordPress and Drupal

Flipkart Software Development Engineer

Bangalore, India Aug 2021 - Jul 2022

• Collaborated with the Search Experience team of Flipkart

- Supported multiple Java back-end micro-services responsible for fetching and highlighting products on search
- Undertook ownership of 2 back-end **REST API** services of Spotlight and Snippet completely
- Developed features end-to-end along with A/B testing, deploying and monitoring them
- Spearheaded various projects resulting in over 3% increased user traffic conversion from search overall

NCR Corporation

Hyderabad, India Jul 2018 - Aug 2021

SW Engineer II

- On boarded NCR's flagship payment switch software called Authentic
- Contributed to various **J2EE** web applications, **core Java** transaction processes on multiple versions
- Oversaw major banking clients like Wells Fargo in resolving software defects and vulnerabilities
- Streamlined various processes with prototype applications mobilizing team velocity
- Reduced the defect backlog by over 80% and resolved all critical and medium vulnerabilities

PROJECTS

Best Value

Flipkart | Feb 2022

- Revamped and designed the whole Best Value tag architecture from scratch
- Reduced the tag consistency to under a few minutes making it more accurate with respect to price using Kafka
- Improved user conversion rate by 20% for the products with Best Value tag

SLA Monitor

NCR | May 2020

- Devised a java tool to monitor SLAs of defect backlog items on Jira board using JRJC Rest API
- Built a notification system to respective Dev personnel resulting in over 95% SLA adherence

Omni Search

NCR | Aug 2019

- Pioneered a query tool with **Django** framework in **Python** using **NLP** (Natural Language Processing)
- Remodeled existing search to understand user's simple English input and query database to get the output
- Incorporated it into existing System Monitor web application to show real-time ATM information

EDUCATION _

Florida State University

Master of Science, Computer Science

Tallahassee, Florida Aug 2022 - May 2024

Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad

Bachelor of Technology, Electronics and Communication Engineering

Hyderabad, India Sep 2014 - May 2018