Michael Wester

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13+ years of software development experience. In depth knowledge of greenfield full stack applications, new stand-alone frontend SPA/PWA, RESTful APIs, microservice based backend services, etc. Proven leader, mentor and contributor with a track history of implementing and improving solid development principles

Technical Expertise/Skills

Programming Languages: Typescript, C#, Angular, .Net, Javascript, SQL, HTML, CSS
Databases: SQL Server, Oracle, Postgres
Cloud Services: Microsoft Azure, AWS and Google Cloud Platform
Tools: Azure Pipelines, AngularCLI, Github Actions, Octopus, Jenkins, Docker, Kubernetes

Education

University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee – Bachelor of Science in Computer Science   2010

Professional Experience

Team Lead   Oct 2021 – Nov 2022
The Predictive Index   Remote out of Boston, MA
- Manager of 3 direct reports of varying seniority levels.
- Implemented Angular Materials and AG Grid to replace existing aging infrastructure.
- Setup Storybook and contribution guide allowing organization wide contribution.
- Typescript/Angular frontend and C# backend with Microsoft Azure cloud hosting.

Software Engineer II   Feb 2021 – Oct 2021
GoPuff   Remote
- Automated current reporting process improving end user efficiency by over 60%.
- Modified Dockerfiles to improve build speed and efficiency.
- Typescript/React frontend and NodeJS/Postgres backend with AWS/GCP cloud hosting.

Senior Software Engineer   Jul 2019 – Jun 2020
InvestCloud   Milwaukee, WI
- Active reviewer for Angular Project ensuring best practices, performance and quality.
- Launched flagship SPA in under a year of development.
- Committee member with Architecture to coordinate efforts across multiple teams.
- Typescript/Angular frontend and C# backend with Microsoft Azure cloud hosting.

Software Engineer - Team Lead   Apr 2016 – Jul 2019
Finastra   Mequon, WI
- Updated application to comply with ADA (American Disability Act) across all browsers.
- Transitioned from TFS version control infrastructure to decentralized VSTS with Git.
- Development of RESTful API microservices to replace existing monolith application.
- Implemented Angular animations to provide a stimulating overall User Experience.
- Team Lead and Owner of 3 backend microservices and contributor to SPA application.
- Typescript/Angular frontend and C# backend with Microsoft Azure cloud hosting.

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Senior Consulting Software Engineer   May 2015 – Mar 2016
Blue Yonder   Waukesha, WI
- Implement Voice enhancements introduced to the core product.
- Lead efforts collaborating with customers directly to meet their needs.
- Provided on-site support during customer go-lives.

Software Developer   Dec 2013 – May 2015
Iptor   Brookfield, WI
- Developed Entity Framework RESTful APIs for integration with internal and external systems.
- Implemented SOAP base Web Services for 3rd party integrations with the application.
- Lead development efforts modify core applications for S tier customers.

Technical Consultant Intermediate   Dec 2009 – Dec 2013
Blue Yonder   Waukesha, WI
- Implemented new features to provide threaded session expiration in our core product.
- Provided Analysis, Design, Implementation and Support for all different phases of projects.