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OBJECTIVE

Aspiring to contribute my expertise in C++, JavaScript, Python, and database management to backend development, focusing on building scalable MERN/PERN web applications, optimizing performance, and solving real-world challenges.

EDUCATION

BSc (Computer Science)

CGPA: 3.55/4.0

Aug 2022 - Present

FAST University Karachi, Pakistan

A-Levels (Engineering)

Grades: 2A*, 1A

Aug 2020 - Aug 2022

Beaconhouse School System

Karachi, Pakistan

WORK EXPERIENCE

Backend Developer Freelance 2025 - Present

• Developed the backend for **Rezq**, a restaurant reservation platform, using **FastAPI** for scalable performance and efficient request handling.

- Designed and optimized **PostgreSQL** queries, improving response times and ensuring data integrity.
- Implemented authentication and authorization using **JWT** and OAuth for secure user access.
- Developed RESTful APIs and integrated third-party services.

Graphic Designer Freelance 2022 - 2024

- Designed visually compelling logos and marketing posters using **Adobe Illustrator**, strengthening brand identities.
- Created social media graphics that increased audience engagement, demonstrating an understanding of digital marketing trends.
- Managed client communications to gather requirements, provide feedback, and deliver projects on time, improving client satisfaction and project efficiency.

PROJECTS

GearUp - Vehicle Rental And Selling Platform

PERN Stack

- Developed a full-stack web application with PostgreSQL, Express.js, React, and Node.js.
- Implemented role-based access control for users and admins, ensuring data security.
- Integrated **Socket.io** for real-time chat and notifications.
- Optimized database queries to enhance system scalability and reduced API response time.

Crowd Estimation Using CSRNet

Deep Learning

- Developed a deep learning model for crowd estimation using **CSRNet**.
- Trained the model on the **ShanghaiTech dataset** for high-density and low-density crowd estimation.
- Evaluated model performance using **MAE** and **MSE** metrics to measure accuracy and penalize large deviations in predictions, ensuring robust crowd estimation.

Algorithm Visualization - Closest Pair of Points and Karatsuba Multiplication

Python

- Implemented and visualized the **Closest Pair of Points** algorithm using a divide-and-conquer approach for finding the shortest distance in a set of 2D points.
- Developed an GUI using Tkinter, Matplotlib, and NetworkX to display step-by-step execution of the algorithms.
- Designed a real-time animation for the **Karatsuba Multiplication Algorithm**, showcasing its recursive approach to multiplying large numbers efficiently.

Inventory Management System

C++

- Designed an efficient inventory management system using AVL trees and hashing.
- Implemented functionalities for product addition, deletion, and real-time stock updates.
- Improved search efficiency by utilizing data structures for optimized lookups.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming: C++, JavaScript, Python

Backend: Node.js, Express.js, FastAPI, RESTful APIs

Frontend: React, Material UI, Tailwind CSS

Databases: PostgreSQL, MongoDB Tools: Git, Postman, Swagger UI

Soft Skills: Problem-solving, Team Collaboration, Agile Development