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PROFILE SUMMARY

Results-driven Automation Test Engineer with **3.5+** years of hands-on experience in Playwright, Selenium, and Cucumber (Ruby & Python). Proven expertise in end-to-end UAT, CI/CD automation, and Agile environments. Adept at reducing testing time by up to 70% through efficient automation strategies. Seeking a challenging role to drive quality assurance excellence.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** Python, Ruby
- **Test Automation:** Playwright, Selenium WebDriver, Appium, Appium Inspector
- **Frameworks:** PyTest, Cucumber, TestNG, BDD, TDD
- **CI/CD Tools/Version Control:** AWS Jenkins, Azure, Git (GitHub/GitLab)
- **API Testing:** Postman
- **Project Management:** Jira, Confluence, TestRail, Figma
- **Dev Tools:** VS Code, PyCharm, RubyMine

WORK EXPERIENCE

Automation Test Engineer

OCT 2021 – Present

Tudip Technologies, Pune

- Automated **800+ functional and regression test cases** for complex enterprise applications, reducing overall testing time by **30%** and accelerating release cycles
- Designed and maintained robust test automation frameworks using **Playwright, Cucumber, and Selenium** (Ruby & Python), ensuring scalable and maintainable code
- Enhanced test coverage for critical business workflows, including **UI interactions**, and **cross-browser compatibility**, improving software reliability
- Integrated automated tests into **CI/CD pipelines (Jenkins + GitHub)**, enabling continuous testing and faster feedback for development teams
- Mentored junior testers, providing hands-on training in automation best practices, framework development, and debugging techniques
- Collaborated closely with cross-functional teams (Developers, Product Owners, QA) in **Agile environments**, participating in sprint planning, stand-ups, and retrospectives
- Identified and resolved test script failures through root cause analysis, improving test stability by **20%**

PROJECTS

AudTech:

Jan 2024 - Present

- Designed and developed robust automated test scripts using **Playwright** and **PyTest** for end-to-end testing of the AudTech platform
- Implemented **Page Object Model (POM)** to improve the maintainability and scalability of the automation framework
- Enhanced the test suite by adding **300+ functional test cases**, improving coverage and reducing manual effort
- Integrated automated test execution with **CI/CD pipelines**, enabling continuous testing and faster release cycles
- Utilized **Allure Reports** for advanced reporting and better visibility into test execution status
- Technologies Used: **Playwright, PyTest, Python, CI/CD (Jenkins), Allure Reports, GitLab, Jira**

Exec Online:

Oct 2023 – Dec 2023

- Automated **e-learning** platform testing using **Ghost Inspector** and **JavaScript (Selenium framework)**
- Reduced manual testing efforts by **70%**, accelerating release cycles and enabling faster feedback for development teams
- Integrated automated tests into **Jenkins CI/CD pipelines** to ensure continuous quality during releases

- Developed custom test scripts for complex user scenarios, including multi-step workflows
- Technologies Used: **Ghost Inspector, Selenium, JavaScript, Jenkins**

Teladoc Health:

Apr 2022 – Dec 2023

- Developed and maintained automated **UAT** test scripts using **BDD with Cucumber** and **Gherkin syntax** for behavior-driven development
- Led regression testing using **Jenkins**, ensuring application stability pre-release and reducing testing time by **70%** through automation
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams (Developers, Product Owners, and QA) to define test cases and improve test coverage
- Coordinated with clients to provide timely updates on testing progress and successfully merged code to production
- Utilized a full **QA tech stack (AWS Jenkins, GitHub, Appium, Jira, Figma, Gherkin, TestRail)** for efficient test automation and collaboration

Livongo Health:

Oct 2021 – Mar 2022

- Performed manual testing (exploratory, functional, UI) to enhance test coverage and identify edge cases
- Conducted **Salesforce** and **mobile testing**, ensuring seamless workflows, integrations, and user experience
- Executed regression and UAT testing, tracking defects in Jira for efficient resolution
- Reviewed requirements, created detailed test cases in TestRail, and collaborated with teams for quality delivery

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Engineering (CSE),
S.G Balekundri Institute of Technology, Belgaum

Sept 2017 - Oct 2020

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- **Client Appreciation Award** - July 2023 (Recognized for exceeding client expectations on the **Teladoc Health** project)
- **Sincere Rockstar Award** - 2022-2023 (Top performer consistently exceeding quality and delivery goals)
- **Rising Star Award** - July 2022 (Recognized for early contributions and demonstrating strong potential)