

Curriculum vitae

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Professional Summary

Motivated, team player and adaptable IT Specialist and Software Engineer. I am well knowledgeable in Information Technology and full-stack web development both Front-end and Back-end with expertise in JavaScript and Python and their frameworks, React and Flask respectively. Proven ability to collaborate and positively impact operations with top-notch communication, customer-focused approach, and critical thinking skills. Eager to contribute to organizational success, develop new skills, continue learning and gain real-world experience.

Education

ICT AUTHORITY CERTIFICATIONS (GOK ICT STANDARDS 2024)

- ICT Networks Standards
- Systems And Applications Standard
- Information Security Standard
- Electronic Records and Data Management standard
- IT Governance Standard

Moringa School (September 2023- March 2024)

- Major: Software Engineering.
- Certificate(Minor): Soft Skills (communication skills)
- Programming Coursework: Javascript, Python, React, Flask respectively. Algorithms, Data Structures
- Full Stack Development.

Maseno University (2017-2022)

- Major: Bachelor of Science in Information Technology.
- Certificate(Minor): CCNA
- Coursework: Relevant Modules in the Transcript

Migori Boys Secondary School (2013-2016)

- KCSE Certificate

Masara Primary School (2005-2012)

- KCPE CertificateWork Experience

Work Experience

Software Developer (CodeOnAfrica 2024, Remote)

- Full-Stack Engineer

BANCASSURANCE KCB BANK, ISEBANIA (May,2023 - April,2024)

- Credit cards, tills, Accounts, Insurance, Loans.

IT and Sales Agent(Casual) at Sunny Processors Ltd, Kisumu (2023)

- Customer Relationship Management
- Market Research
- Product Promotion

IT and Sales Volunteer at WeCare CBO, Kisumu (2020-2021)

- Educational Program Sales
- Monitoring and Analysis
- Managing Public Relations
- Communications (Internal and External)
- Developing Communication Strategies

IT Attachee (Attachment), County Government of Migori (January-April 2021)

- Installing and configuring new computer systems.
- Keeping up to date with the latest technologies.
- Providing extensive IT support to internal and external stakeholders.
- Monitoring and maintaining computer systems and networks.
- Resolving, diagnosing and solving network problems and relevant software faults.

Skills

- Technical Expertise: Proficient in full-stack development, JavaScript, React, Python, Flask, Git, SQL, REST APIs, HTML5, CSS, and hosting platforms like Netlify and Render.
- Communication: Excellent communication skills for collaborating with teams, clients, and stakeholders.
- Problem-Solving: Agile problem-solving skills to address customer challenges and find effective solutions.
- IT Management: Experience in managing IT systems, networks, and providing IT support.

Software Projects

- Personal Website <https://kevinolongo.netlify.app/>
- Built a command line banking project using Python.(December, 2023)
<https://github.com/olongocodes/banking-cli>

The application code in python handles account management and transactions

- Built an Ecommerce Website Project, Full-Stack using Python(Flask framework) and JavaScript(React framework).(January, 2024)
<https://github.com/olongocodes/DeviceHabor-Frontend>

<https://deviceharbor.netlify.app/login>

Collaborated with a team of Fellow Software Engineers to support, build, test, troubleshoot and host the application.

As the team leader I Conducted the project to filter devices in a wide market scope, resulting in improved system performance.

Hobbies and Interests

Blogging, Writing, Reading, Photography, Travelling

Referees

1. John Opiyo - Manager Sunny Processors Ltd
2. Mr. Solomon Kitonyi – Technical Mentor at Moringa School.
3. Mr. Isack Liplangat - CTO (CodeOnAfrica)
4. Mr. Melvin Okumu - Banker KCB Isebania

Kevin Olongo