# Descriptive Cover Letter Rafet Efe GAZANFER November 25, 2023

Currently I am looking for jobs where I can gain experience on data streams and building highly available and scalable, orchestrated micro services

## Background

I have have an Associate Degree on Computer Programming from CELAL BAYAR UNIVERSITY and a Bachelor of Engineering Degree on Computer Engineering from ERZURUM TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY and done 3 internships.

#### Education

My first (associate) curriculum was designed to be more practical and oriented towards software engineering<sup>1</sup>.

My second curriculum was similar to the Stanford computer science curriculum with addition of courses on math and physics. I have took multiple courses on Programming Languages<sup>2</sup>, Data Structures and Algorithms<sup>3</sup>. Following with Database Management Systems<sup>4</sup>, Web Development<sup>5</sup>, Software Engineering<sup>6</sup> and delivered 2 Graduation Projects.<sup>7</sup>

### Professional Experience

At the latest: I worked at Vestel for a month. Built .Net Core solutions that are for providing tractability to produced materials and to audit the process of production while having an easy/accessible interface for to be used by assembly line operator.

I also have worked on a development of a computer vision project for detecting and reading qr code/data matrix that are passing from the production line.

At prior, I worked as backend intern for 3 months. Written a REST API interface with NestJS, merging multiple SMS service providers APIs into a single service. Also provided help to colleagues at their devops problems such as providing help on dependencies of grandle/make projects and helping them on their linux, docker, bash issues.

My first internship after my associate degree was 6 months: working on WordPress solutions, building and hosting websites for academical conferences and commercial websites.

- <sup>1</sup> C# OOP, .Net Core, MVC .Net Framework, MySQL, Apache/PHP/HTML/CSS
- <sup>2</sup> Python (also own a certificate), Java (Swing and OOP), C, C# (OOP/Unity Course)
- <sup>3</sup>, Data Structures and Algorithms:1, 2 and 3 (Algorithm Design), File Organization (it's a in depth hash mapping course), Machine Learning Courses: (Artificial Intelligence, Deep Learning, Data Mining, Associate Rule Mining, Computer Vision), Cryptography, Operating Systems and Socket Programming
- <sup>4</sup> As a project I have developed a MongoDB CRUD application with Tkinter
- <sup>5</sup> MVC .Net Framework
- <sup>6</sup> Where I have led team of 7 to built a web project. I myself designed the architecture and built the backend on FastAPI and instrumented frontend with backend on 2 docker container (code is available at my GitHub).
- <sup>7</sup> First one was deep learning based detection & tracking. Second was non deep learning/purely computer vision way of detection & tracking, utilizing color and shape based algorithms. Both projects were intended to classify swarm robotic movement on real time, but because of the 2023-earthquake we didn't had access to the lab and instead worked on recorded footage.

## About Me

I like to self study computer science and math as a hobby.

I study using collage text books or publishes of senior developers. Trying to foundational computer science literature, old or new blog posts, history of computer science and the math behind it. I follow the news on Hacker News daily and often had a chance to understand the associated reasons for the latest tech trends (hypes). I also have been using Linux since high school and enjoy tinkering with OSes.