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📄 Summary

Developer with experience in JavaScript, React, Node.js, and C#, as well as SQL and vector databases. Skilled in full-stack web development, API design, and backend systems. Runs multiple production services on self-managed servers using Proxmox, Docker Swarm, and CI/CD pipelines. Experienced in security testing, system monitoring, and database management. Uses LLMs and AI tools to improve testing and code quality. Actively learning about machine learning and AI to enhance development workflows.

💼 Work Experience

Technician Intern, Siseministeeriumi infotehnoloogia- ja arenduskeskus (SMIT), Estonia

• Managed technical tickets using Jira, ensuring efficient issue resolution.
• Gained insights into IT planning and organizational workflows.

🎓 Education

Tallinna Tööstushariduskeskus, Estonia

• Industrial Informatics, EQF Level 4 (Junior IT Systems Specialist)

The Odin Project, Online

• JavaScript Course: Built multiple full-stack web applications (available on GitHub)

</> Technical Skills

• **Programming:** JavaScript, Node.js, React, C#, SQL, Python
• **Web Development:** Full-stack development, API design, Backend systems
• **Infrastructure:** Proxmox, Docker Swarm, CI/CD pipelines, Monitoring, Databases
• **Security:** Pentesting, System hardening, Network configuration
• **AI Tools:** Claude, LLM-based testing
• **Other Tools:** Git, Jira, Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere)

🌐 Languages

• Estonian: Native
• English: Proficient
• Japanese: Upper-Intermediate

ℹ Additional Information

• Actively exploring emerging IT trends and testing software/hardware.
• Fast learner with strong technical fundamentals and attention to detail.