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EDUCATION

Western University London, ON

Bachelor of Engineering Science, Software Engineering (BESc)

September 2018 - May 2023

WORK EXPERIENCE

Manulife John Hancock – Canada's largest insurance company

Toronto, ON

Full Stack Software Engineer

May 2023 - Present

- Designed and delivered web applications using **Typescript**, **React**, **Node.js**, and **SQL**. Enabling 4,000+ insurance advisors to manage customer policy information and process over 50 million dollars in payments.
- Improved page loading performance by 60% through implementing React Router's server-side rendering framework.
- Configured application security using Azure VNets to restrict network access and implemented MSAL with cookie-based authentication, enforcing corporate web security standards.
- Architected a centralized backend hub with a JSON rules engine, streamlining processing and reducing integration complexity across 15 business operations, handling over 20,000 requests daily.
- Provisioned infrastructure on Azure using Terraform, deploying AKS clusters, load balancers and Function Apps.
- Spearheaded the integration of agentic AI prompting to automate business rule execution, reducing manual coding and accelerating development workflows by 80%.
- Created an intelligent document processor using **Python** and **OpenAI** to process customer policy change forms, replacing manual advisor workflows and improving operational efficiency.

Console One – Startup

Toronto, ON

Front End Software Engineer

May 2022 – August 2022

- Built a browser IDE to write and deploy web pages on AWS Lambda and S3, enabling faster website deployment.
- Enabled seamless code editing, version control, and deployments by writing stylish web components and integrating them with backend APIs using **React hooks** and **Reducers** for client-side state management.
- Wrote frontend unit tests using Jest and E2E integration tests with Cypress.
- Scaled from 0 to 100 users and worked alongside clients to receive feedback and improve application quality.

PROJECTS

Architect – *https://arccloud.app*

- Founded and built an **AI-powered SaaS** platform that enables users to generate **Terraform** and **GitOps** configurations through a visual, diagram-based composer, currently serving 15 active users and growing.
- Developed the web application using React Router and implemented the diagram composer using React Flow.
- Implemented loader and action functions invoking DynamoDB to manage user projects and diagrams, integrated
 Firebase for user authentication, and built a deployment system leveraging GitHub (Octokit) and the AWS SDK.
- Maintain a comprehensive Terraform module library, supporting deployments for multiple JavaScript frameworks.
- Authored a Terraform provider in Go to manage the provisioning and teardown of AWS organization accounts.

KevVault

- Improved developer efficiency by centralizing environment-secret management in a web portal and CLI using typed configuration files, reducing configuration errors and secret key exposure.
- Developed a library for fetching secret values during cloud function startup using role-based access controls.

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Technical

- Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript, Go, Python, Java, Kotlin, C++, Rust, C, Terraform
- Technologies and Concepts: Jira, AWS, GCP, Azure, Domain-Driven Design, Object-Oriented Programing

Non-Technical

- Led daily Scrum and weekly developer meetings to plan work items, prioritize new tasks, and address technical debt.
- Demonstrated strong organizational and collaboration skills, ensuring smooth knowledge transfers and team efficiency through detailed pull request reviews, updated Confluence documentation, and CI/CD management.