# Saad Mahmood

Skilled Software Engineer with expertise in JavaScript, React.js, Node.js, and MongoDB, passionate about building scalable, user-centric applications. Experienced in full-stack development and agile methodologies.

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## **SKILLS**

Languages & Frameworks: JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, Dart, Flutter, React.is, Next.is, Node.is, Express.is, Redux, GraphQL, RESTful API Development

Databases & Storage: PostgreSQL, MongoDB, MySQL, Firebase Firestore

DevOps & Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, GitHub Actions (CI/CD), Postman, Visual Studio Code

Cloud & Hosting: AWS (EC2, S3), Vercel, Render

Web & UI: HTML5, CSS3, Tailwind CSS, Responsive Design, JWT Authentication, Agile/SCRUM

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **DHA Lahore Official**

MERN Intern July 2024 - Sep 2024

• Develoed using **MERN** stack integrated dynamic, responsive web pages using **React.js** for the Internship Portal.

- · Assisted in developing RESTful APIs using Node.js and Express for backend services, ensuring seamless front-end and back-end integration.
- Utilized MongoDB for scalable data management, improving data retrieval and storage efficiency.

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Android Development Intern

Aug 2023 - Oct 2023

- Developed an Android app in Kotlin for delivery personnel with XML layouts and Retrofit API integration.
- Consumed Laravel-based REST APIs and managed data using MySQL for efficient backend operations.
- Participated in daily stand-ups and code reviews, contributing to feature builds and app optimization.

### **PROJECTS**

## Guidera – Al University Guidance Platform (FYP)

Summer 2024 - Fall 2025

- Developed an Al-driven university guidance platform with Flutter and MERN, integrating RESTful APIs and PostgreSQL for backend services.
- Developed **RESTful APIs in Express** for user management, mock tests, application tracking, and chatbot integration.
- Trained and deployed a Random Forest to deliver personalized degree recommendations based on academic scores, preferences, and personality traits.
- Integrated mock tests with dashboards and an NLP chatbot for targeted exam prep and instant academic support.

## DevOps: Term Project [7]

- Led a 6-member team in implementing Git Flow and CI/CD pipelines, ensuring code quality and 100% uptime for deployments.
- Built CI/CD pipelines in GitHub Actions for linting, testing, and automated deployments to all environments.
- Deployed a static website via GitHub Pages with zero build failures and 100% uptime.

#### **EDUCATION**

## University of Central Punjab, Lahore

Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering - 3.78

Oct 2021 - Jul 2025

Awarded the Director's Merit Scholarship while earning my B.Sc. in Software Engineering, where I honed technical skills through hands-on projects, built a strong professional network, and represented UCP on the university football team.

## **CERTIFICATE**

IBM Full Stack Software Developer [7]

DevOps, Cloud, and Agile Foundations [7]

Web Scraping with Scrapy and Python [7]