

# Sarraf Rahman

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** Javascript, Typescript, Java, Python, C, Golang, Kotlin, SQL, HTML, CSS  
**Technologies:** Node.js, Express.js, Spring, React.js, Next.js, Docker, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, AWS(S3, Lambda, H2)  
**Developer Tools:** Git, Github, Jira, Visual Studio, IntelliJ, Postman  
**Paradigms/Processes:** OOP, Agile development, Behaviour-driven development, CI/CD

## EDUCATION

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### McMaster University

Hamilton, ON

*Honours Computer Science and Economics (Bachelor of Arts)*

2020 - 2025 Expected

- Intro to Software Development, Data Structures and Algorithms, Concurrent Systems
- Google Developer Student Club, DeltaHacks Hackathon

## PROJECTS

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### BlockWatch | *React.js, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, Redux, JWT, bcrypt*

- Engineered a secure full-stack web application inspired by CoinMarketCap, facilitating over 50 cryptocurrency investments and contributing to a profit yield of over \$2500.
- Developed RESTful APIs to manage cryptocurrency watchlists, using Node.js to enhance performance.
- Improved user data security by developing an SSO server using JWT for user authentication and authorization.
- Increased data retrieval efficiency by 40% by implementing efficient Mongoose schemas in MongoDB.
- Streamlined state updates and prop drilling by implementing Redux, resulting in more maintainable and readable code, thereby reducing bug incidence by 25%.

### Chat Application | *Kotlin, Spring Boot, RSocket, Spring WebFlux, Kotlin Coroutines, R2DBC*

- Refactored and developed app from a basic request-response model to a non-blocking, asynchronous architecture with Spring WebFlux, Kotlin Coroutines and R2DBC, improving concurrent I/O operation handling by 300%.
- Developed a persistence layer using Spring Data and H2, achieving 100% data consistency.
- Optimized network traffic by 20%, through RSocket's multiplexing capabilities, enabling the simultaneous transfer of multiple logical streams over a single physical connection.

### Scalable Data Layer | *Spring Boot, JDBC, PostgreSQL, Docker, HikariCP, Flyway*

- Engineered scalable persistence layer infrastructure capable of managing high volumes of concurrent load.
- Decreased response times by 30% by enhancing query execution against a PostgreSQL database using batch processing and connection pooling in JDBC.
- Increased concurrent user capacity by 200% through efficient connection management with HikariCP.
- Reduced network latency by 20%, by optimizing database interactions using DAOs and caching mechanisms.

### URL Shortener | *Golang, Redis, Gin*

- Designed a service in Go, providing a simple and reliable utility to convert URLs into shortened, shareable versions.
- Optimized data retrieval, as measured by the speed of URL redirection, by using Redis as a store mechanism.

## EXPERIENCE

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### Programming Instructor

August 2021 - February 2022

*Prograsp*

*Toronto, ON*

- Assisted students in completing an average of 3 software projects, resulting in a 10% increase in course grades.
- Expertly analyzed and debugged code in various programming languages, including JavaScript, Java, C, and Python, resulting in an improved codebase, efficiency and maintainability.
- Implemented agile development methodologies for students and provided clear and actionable suggestions for code optimization, resulting in a more streamlined and cohesive development process.

### Production Coordinator

September 2018 - March 2020

*Junior Achievement Canada*

*Toronto, ON*

- Managed a 12-member cross-functional team and coordinated with four mentors and a branch partner.
- Overhauled the inefficient and unsafe production system, resulting in improved production rates of up to 200%.
- Consistently exceeded sales goals by 20% month to month due to collaborative efforts and organizational impact.