

Personal Statement

I am a Mobile application developer with over 3 years of full-time commercial work experience in iOS and Symbian platforms. I have worked on several projects not just as a developer but also as a functional & technical consultant, a tester and a mentor to junior colleagues. I have experience of start-up environment organizations and more responsible roles.

My first project was [NewsHunt](#) which is India's #1 mobile newspaper app; with over 55Million installs 1.7 Billion pages consumed monthly, recipient of GSMA Mobile Awards 2013 for Best mobile publishing product. This app is a big hit in India and none of its type exists at present. Secondly I have worked on [CricHQ](#) mobile iOS app, the best free cricket scoring app in world, which is recommended by Brendon McCullum and Stephen Fleming.

I am interested in solving challenging problems by designing efficient algorithms. With working on very complex projects like [NewsHunt](#) , [CricHQ](#) and [MobiKwik](#), I have developed my skills and vision of creating Mobile Apps efficiently and more optimized using cutting-edge technologies; I would be the ideal candidate for team leader or senior developer role.

Skills and Highlights

Technical Skills				Professional Highlights <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3+ years of international work experience with highly successful clients like:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ NewsHunt○ CricHQ○ MobiKwik• Leading the team of skilled developers at MobiKwik.• Apple Watch Development• 3D Touch Implementation on iPhone 6s• Deployed for on-site implementation at the headquarters of CricHQ - New Zealand; best cricket Technology Company in the world.• End-to-end software development, implementation and customizations for an innovative product company.• C EH certified from ECCouncil USA
Skills	Experience	Rating (1: Poor, 10: Excellent)	Last used	
Objective C	3 years	8	Present	
Symbian CPP	½ years	8	2013	
Git	2 year	8	Present	
XML	2 year	8	Present	
JSON	1½ years	7	Present	
CPP	1½ years	7	Present	
ROR	7months	6	Present	
Java	1 year	6	Present	
Swift 2	½ year	6	Present	
Continuous Integration	-	7	Present	
Test Driven Development	-	7	Present	
Source control – Git, SVN	-	7	Present	

Functional Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SDLC Lifecycle • Agile methodologies • Team Management • Team Building • Mentoring • Lean Methodology 	Key achievements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Built team for new office setup for CricHQ in India. • Featured Apps on AppStore! • Mentor and train the team successfully. • Excellent rapport with previous employers and colleagues. • First Employee of the month CricHQ India.
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Employment History

MobiKwik - Gurgaon, India	September 2014 - Present
<p>Statement about the company: One Mobikwik Systems Pvt Ltd. is a mobile wallet company offering recharge services and bill payments in quickest and easiest way. The company is a sister concern company of Zaakpay payment gateway.</p> <p>My Responsibility: At Mobikwik I am responsible for Leading the iOS team. Here I have refactored the iOS App code base, introduced and ported to Git source control from SVN. Lot of code optimisation including introduction of necessary libraries like AFNetworking, Google Analytics. Fixing crashes, making the iOS app functional across iOS versions.</p> <p>My Achievements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single handedly made dramatic changes in the app and got Featured on AppStore under Amazing Apps for iPhone 6s and Enhanced for iOS 9. • Reduction of App Size from 7.9MB to 3.8MB. • Multiple POCs on Biometrics, Apple Watch app, Recharge Intelligence Engine etc. • 3D Touch Implementation on iPhone 6s • Developed MobiKwik Apple Watch App • Introduced , set up and maintaining GitHub in the organization • Introduced Jira for project management • Architected the iOS app and did code optimisation. <p>Technologies used throughout my time here:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • iOS • Payment Gateway • Git • JSON <p>Projects responsible for: Mobikwik iOS App.</p>	

CricHQ - Chennai, India	June 2013 – September 2014
<p>Statement about the company: CricHQ founded in 2010, as the name suggests cricket based company, the best of its kind. Has over 200 staff and 7 offices across the world, recognized in world by ECB London, America Cricket, NZ Cricket etc.</p> <p>My Responsibility: During my tenure here I worked as iOS Developer. I worked on various development tasks in CricHQ mobile app. My role here was not confined to development alone however I was responsible for iOS Team Lead for CricHQ Chennai Office. I managed and delegated the work between the team members. Providing the estimates of the task and allocating the tasks. Analysing Requirements, involved in designing and creation of user interface Cricket Statistics and Engine Development (C++, Objective C++). I worked with the team from day one and built the team. Today the office strength is 16 and recruiting.</p> <p>My Achievements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best Employee for the first month of office setup. • Excellent rapport with the management and the team. • Automatic Commentary generation. • Implementation of Google DFP Ads in the Application. • Implementation of Google Analytics in iOS Application. • Social networking. • Improving app performance. <p>Technologies used throughout my time here:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • iOS • CPP • Git • JSON <p>Projects responsible for: CricHQ iOS app.</p>	

Verse Innovation, Bangalore India	July 2012 – May 2013
<p>Statement about the company: Headquartered in Bangalore, the nerve-centre of innovation in the Indian Internet & Mobile Value Added Services (MVAS) space, Versé's services today impact the lives of millions of consumers through our presence in Bangalore, New Delhi, Mumbai, Johannesburg, Nairobi, Dar-es-Salaam, Kampala & Dhaka. Over 170+ member team</p>	

build services around Jobs, Matrimonials (or Personals), Voice (IVR) or the Mobile Web (WAP/Applications).

NewsHunt- a product of Verse is a News app which won GSM Global award in Chicago. Location based app and providing news in different Indian languages.

My Responsibility:

During my tenure here, I have been a full-time employee, working primarily as a Software Developer on NewsHunt project. I was responsible for iOS app development, Symbian App designing and development, UI Designing and wireframes, Parsing Logics and Protocol definition.

My Achievements:

- Developed and maintained iOS NewsHunt application.
- Excellent rapport with the management and the team.
- Programmatically designed complex UI design and animations for Symbian app.

Technologies used throughout my time here:

- iOS
- Symbian CPP
- CPP
- XML
- CVS

Projects responsible for:

[NewsHunt iOS app.](#)

Wipro, New Delhi India	Jan 2007- June 2007
<p>Statement about the company: Company founded in 1945. Annual revenue of 5-10 Billion \$. Wipro Infotech is a leading manufacturer of computer hardware and provider of IT services in India and the Middle East region.</p> <p>My Responsibility: During my tenure here, I have been a full-time employee, working primarily as a Associate Tech support. I was responsible for addressing customer issues related to broadband AOL UK Client.</p> <p>My Achievements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Excellent customer and management rapport.• Least ATC. <p>Technologies used throughout my time here:</p>	

- Troubleshooting
- Customer Support
- Broadband
- Networking

Apps Developed

Mobikwik

September 2014 - on going

Mobikwik is a mobile wallet system. The app allows user to recharge his/her phone, DTH, pay bills etc instantly. Widely renowned and extensively used in Indian market.

Total 440K

Downloads

Average Rating 4+

Features

- Mobile recharges
- Bills payment
- Peer to peer money transfer
- Payment gateway

Status Live on iTunes and Play Store

URL [Mobikwik iOS app.](#)

Location Gurgaon India

Team Size 2

NewsHunt

June 2012 - on going

NewsHunt is a News app which won GSM Global award in Chicago. Location based app and providing news in different Indian languages.

Total 55 Million!

Downloads

Average Rating 4.5 / 5

Features

- News Reading
- Multi-Lingual 11 languages
- Wide support of platforms
- 85 publications

Status Live on iTunes and Play Store

URL [NewsHunt iOS app.](#)

Location Bangalore India

Team Size 10

CricHQ

June 2013 - on going

Best Cricket technology app in market recognized in world by ECB London America Cricket NZ Cricket etc.

Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Live Scoring• Social Networking• MVP, Manhattan RPO, Wagon Wheel DWL etc.• Automated Ball by Ball commentary.• Cloud app synced accounts• For Scorers, Fans, and Organizations.
Status	Under development and live on iTunes and PlayStore.
URL	CricHQ iOS app.
Location	Chennai India
Team Size	11

ChatifyMe

September 2014 - on going

ChatifyMe is a simple chat application using Parse and Scringo framework. The app uses beautiful iOS 7 custom transition between views. It is an open source project.

Total	- NA
Downloads	
Average Rating	NA
Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group Chat• Location based chat• One to one chat• Sign Up and Log in
Status	Under development.
URL	ChatifyMe.
Location	India
Team Size	1 Personal

AfterTax

October 2014 - on going

This is my first personal project with good success.

AfterTax - an app first of its kind! AfterTax is made to simplify your tax problems. It is not a tax calculator in which you enter tax percentages and get results. AfterTax does all for you! You just need to enter the price before tax. As we know there are three main taxes - Income, Service and Sales. We have solved the computations of sales tax - tax on stuff you buy. This app helps you to know the exact amount you need to pay after taxes when you buy Clothes, Groceries, Medicine, any Consumer Products or go for a Dinner etc.

Total	- 6.5K in first five days of launch!
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Downloads	
Average Rating	4+
Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculate Taxes • Gratuity • Get information about taxation for USA, Canada and UK.
Status	Realeased on AppStore 1 st Jan 2015 & developing.
URL	www.aftertaxapp.com .
Team Size	1 Personal

Projects

NewsHunt Jobs		August 2012 – Feb 2013
Team Size	4	
Role Played	Developer.	
Skills used	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Symbian C++ • C++ • XML • CVS 	
<p>Adding an all-new feature in NewsHunt app – Jobs. User can search keywords and get the result from different job portals like Naukri, Monster, BabaJobs etc. Under this project my task was to parse the XML response from server and present it on Symbian device. The UI layouting and designing save unsave the jobs and applying to jobs feature was added.</p>		

Automatic Commentary Generation (Artificial Intelligence)		August 2013 – October 2013
Team Size	2	
Role Played	Designer, Developer, Tester.	
Skills used	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algorithms • C++ • JSON • Objective C++ • Git 	
<p>Although an Objective C developer I worked on C++ code for it, It was a challenging task wherein we have to generate commentary strings based on the user inputs for each cricket ball. It takes input parameters as ball height, position in the field, batsman and bowler name, ball type etc. The Logic and data both is stored in JSON and parsed by C++.</p> <p>It works on iOS, Android, Windows and Web too.</p>		

Google DFP Integration and Management		October 2013 – December 2013
Team Size	1	
Role Played	Designer, Developer, Google DFP Inventory Manager.	
Skills used	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Objective C• Ad Management• AdSense	
<p>Integration and developing of Google DFP from scratch. We need to integrate Ads in the app for both Android and iOS. Ads are the source of revenue for the app or self-promoting Ads can also be used. I integrated the SDK and managed the Ads on the Google DFP server for both platforms.</p>		

Google Analytics Integration		December 2013 – January 2014
Team Size	1	
Role Played	Designer, Developer, Google Analytics Manager, Tester.	
Skills used	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Objective C• Google Analytics	
Integration and developing of Google Analytics for the app. Google Analytics information is very important information for business and product people. It gives us insights about the product and helps us understand user behaviour.		

CricHQ iPad App		January 2014 – March 2014
Team Size	1	
Role Played	Developer, Tester.	
Skills used	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Objective C• iOS	
<p>Initially the CricHQ app was developed only for iPhone. In this project I was responsible for making the iPhone app compatible with iPad. The task needed to create new XIBs and remove all hardcoded frame values and make relative sizes with device size.</p>		

Social Networking @CricHQ		March 2014 – May 2014
Team Size	4	
Role Played	Developer	
Skills used	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective C • iOS • UI 	

- Git

Designing and adding social networking feature in the CricHQ app as well as Website. On the app side it included three new sections to be added - NewsFeed, My Profile and Discover Players. I worked on the NewsFeed section.

CricEngine DLL for Windows Phone App

April 2014 – May 2014

Team Size 2
Role Played Developer, Tester.
Skills used

- C++
- C#
- XML
- Windows8

The common sub module of CricHQ – CricEngine written in C++ needs to be compatible with Windows Phone App. For the same under this project we created a Windows DLL file which can be added as a resource in the windows phone project and access the APIs.

MobiKwik Apple Watch App

September 2015 – October 2015

Team Size 1
Role Played Designer, Developer and Tester.
Skills used

- Swift 2
- Objective C
- Photoshop
- Watch OS 2

Designed and developed Apple Watch App in MobiKwik iOS app project using Swift 2 and Watch OS 2 support. Using NSURLSession for network calls. Ability to recharge from watch app itself. It was pretty cool to work on with lots of challenges.

Open Source Contributions

My open source contributions include the following repositories:

Till date

<https://github.com/myell0w/MTStatusBarOverlay>

<https://github.com/suhailrashidbhat/ChatifyMe>

<https://github.com/shu223/iOS7-Sampler>

<https://github.com/tonymillion/Reachability>

GitHub Username: suhailrashidbhat

Education

Graduate Degree

August 2008 – May 2012

Bachelor of Engineering in Information Technology

University University of Jammu

Score First Class

STRENGTHS

- High tolerance to stress and enjoys responsibility.
- Good oral, written and presentation skills.
- Great time management skills.
- Quick learner with good grasping ability.

CERTIFICATIONS

- Rational Application Developer. - IBM India. June 2011
- DB2 9 Database and application fundamentals. - IBM India June 2011
- C|EH v7 – EC-Council USA License ECC955295.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

- Governor Awarded Boy Scout. 2006
- DB2 Professional
- RAD 9.1 Certified
- C|EH
- GATE Qualified

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

- Reading
- Trekking
- Camping
- Travelling
- Solving Peoples problems by technology.

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REFERENCES

Professional and character references are available upon request.