Suren Atashkarian

Quality Assurance Engineer

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Detail-oriented Quality Assurance Tester with 3 years of experience in both manual and automation testing across web and API applications. Skilled in creating and executing comprehensive test plans, identifying critical defects, and ensuring high-quality software delivery. Proficient in tools such as Jira, Zephyr, Postman, Swagger, and Adminer (SQL), with hands-on experience building automation frameworks using Playwright and JavaScript. Adept at collaborating with developers, product teams, and stakeholders to optimize testing processes, reduce defects, and accelerate release cycles. Strong analytical mindset with proven ability to improve product quality, streamline workflows, and drive continuous improvement in testing practices.

Key Skills

- Tools: Postman, JIRA, Git, Adminer(SQL), Swagger, TestFlight, VS Code
- Programming Languages: Javascript
- Automation: POM (Page Object Model), API, Fixtures
- Test Automation Frameworks: Playwright
- Soft Skills: Strong Analytical and Problem-Solving Skills, Excellent Communication and Collaboration Abilities, Attention to Detail
- CI/CD: GitHub Actions

Professional Experience

Software QA Engineer | Sportendo December 2023 – Present

- Test sports event management platform features, including scheduling, user profiles, and live data feeds, across web and mobile
 applications.
- Build automated test scripts with Playwright and perform manual regression and exploratory testing, ensuring new releases meet functional requirements.
- Log and track bugs in Jira, write detailed reproduction steps, and collaborate closely with developers to accelerate fixes.
- Conduct API testing with Swagger UI and Postman, validating endpoints, JSON data accuracy, and integration reliability.
- Reduce regression testing time by 20% through automation of repetitive cases and streamlined test coverage.
- Collaborate with cross-functional teams in an Agile environment, contributing to sprint planning, daily stand-ups, and release readiness.

Software QA Engineer | Zeus Living October 2022 – December 2023

- Performed manual testing of a real estate rental platform, covering booking flows, payments, property listings, and dashboards.
- Used Jira for project management to track tasks, sprints, and bug lifecycles, and managed test cases and regression runs in Zephyr
- Executed positive, negative, and exploratory testing to uncover edge cases and ensure a seamless user experience.
- Conducted UI/UX validation to verify design consistency, responsiveness, and accessibility standards across browsers and devices.
- Collaborated with developers, product managers, and offshore QA teams via Slack to align on requirements and resolve defects.
- Reduced reported bugs by 20% through proactive defect detection and early feedback in the development cycle.
- Supported staging and production release testing, ensuring smooth deployments and faster customer rollouts.

Education

James Madison High School | Brooklyn , NY

Codemify BootCamp | Hawthorne, California