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## Summary

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Senior Software Engineer with 8+ years architecting scalable backend systems and cloud-native microservices. Delivered 99.9% uptime for platforms handling 100K+ daily requests and cut API latency from 12 seconds to below one second through optimized AWS architecture. Skilled in AI-enabled RAG pipelines with MCPs, guardrails, evaluations, and LLMOps workflows. Expert in LLM-driven development and automation. Proven track record in 0-to-1 products and rapid prototyping in regulated environments (ISO 13485, HIPAA)

## Skills

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**Languages:** Python, Go, TypeScript/JavaScript, Java

**Backend & APIs:** Node.js, Django, FastAPI, GraphQL, REST, Kafka, RabbitMQ, Celery

**Cloud & Infrastructure:** AWS (ECS, Fargate, Lambda, DynamoDB, S3, CloudFront), Docker, Kubernetes

**AI/ML Systems:** MCP, LLM Integration, LangChain, RAG Pipelines, Agentic Workflows, Guardrails, Evaluation

**Data:** PostgreSQL, MongoDB, DynamoDB, Snowflake (via Glue ETL)

**Compliance:** ISO 13485, HIPAA, IEC 62304

## Experience

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### Senior Software Engineer

Sept 2021 – July 2025

Treatment Technologies & Insights Inc

Los Angeles, CA

- Architected 0-to-1 HIPAA-compliant microservices platform on AWS Fargate supporting 4 enterprise healthcare clients, designing core services (Profile, Health Data, Organizations, Trials) with standardized error handling, distributed tracing, and auto-scaling achieving 99.9% uptime.
- Built an agentic RAG system with MCP tools for documentation and compliance workflows, enabling multi-hop reasoning across the codebase, Confluence, and Jira using 768-dimensional embeddings in Qdrant, which accelerated documentation retrieval and streamlined compliance verification
- Reduced patient data API latency from 12s to sub-second (P95) through DynamoDB partition key redesign, batch processing, and Redis caching at API Gateway layer for 1000+ patient datasets.
- Designed cross-platform dynamic survey engine with version-controlled JSON schemas, enabling new client onboarding in days instead of months while supporting 12+ languages including RTL, with unified rendering across React, iOS, and Android.
- Built AWS S3/CloudFront CDN architecture for medical imaging (OHIF viewer), reducing 500MB study load times from 90+ seconds to under 25 seconds through worker-based processing and edge caching.
- Implemented distributed error tracking with partial UUID correlation across frontend and backend, reducing MTTR by 70% through centralized watchdog service.
- Led ISO 13485 eQMS implementation on Confluence/Jira, automating CAPA workflows and SDLC documentation, shortening release cycles for Class I medical device certification.
- Developed Go-based testing framework enabling parallel end-to-end testing and rate limiting validation, achieving 85% test coverage.
- Developed comprehensive Python automation scripts for deployment pipelines, data validation, and system monitoring, improving operational efficiency by 40%.
- Maintained comprehensive Postman API test suites covering authentication, authorization, and complex multi-service workflows.
- Designed JWT-based multi-tenant configuration system enabling single-deployment architecture, reducing infrastructure costs by 60%.
- Mentored three junior engineers on system design and AWS best practices, conducted architecture reviews, and set team coding standards, which improved code quality and accelerated feature delivery

### Research & Development Engineer

Aug 2020 – Sept 2021

Beamlink Inc.

Los Angeles, CA

- Architected mesh networking backbone for disaster communication using OLSR protocol with optimized routing intervals for battery efficiency.
- Built Python Django coordination server managing 4G tower discovery, internet routing, and packet prioritization (voice,

- control, data).
- Designed an alpha node election algorithm for dynamic internet gateway selection with automatic failover across the mesh network, ensuring continuous connectivity during node failures
- Contributed to patent (US20240129000A1) for antenna system with MIMO configuration.

**Application Developer**  
Apprely Technologies

Oct 2016 – June 2018  
Pune, India

- Built financial platform with Kafka/RabbitMQ for asynchronous processing, integrating QuickBooks, Zoho, and Plaid/Stripe payment gateways.
- Developed Android applications with Django REST backends for healthcare appointment management and GPS-based outdoor navigation.

**Associate Software Engineer**  
Accenture

Oct 2015 – Oct 2016  
Pune, India

- Automated Salesforce regression testing for Virgin Media UK using Selenium, processing 60K+ tests and reducing 2 months manual QA to under 1 hour. Awarded Ace Prize.

Selected Projects

**SmartContext (AI Personal Assistant)**

In Development

- Building context-aware AI assistant leveraging Qdrant embeddings for persistent user context and multi-tool orchestration.

**MCP-Cache**

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- Published NPM utility for MCP agents optimizing LLM token usage through intelligent caching of large tool outputs.

**Launchlab**

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- Built Docker-based homelab orchestration with one-liner deployment for self-hosted services (Jellyfin, Immich, Paperless-ngx).

Education

**Master of Science, Astronautical Engineering**  
University of Southern California

2020  
GPA: 3.5

**Bachelor of Engineering, Electronics & Telecommunications**  
Savitribai Phule Pune University

2015  
GPA: 3.5

**Certifications:** Six Sigma Green Belt (USC Marshall), HIPAA Compliance, GDPR Data Security, QA Training (Accenture)

Patents & Publications

- **Patent (Pending):** *Fixed Base Station Antenna System using MIMO Configuration* (US20240129000A1).
- **Publication:** *Space situational awareness through blockchain technology*, Journal of Space Safety Engineering, 2020.