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SUMMARY

Software Engineer with 3.5+ years designing and developing scalable backend services and responsive web applications in fast-paced, results-driven environments. Proficient in Java, Spring Boot, React.js, Node.js, and AWS, with expertise in building robust RESTful APIs, distributed systems, and securing applications using JWT and OAuth 2.0. Experienced in CI/CD pipelines, microservices architecture, and real-time data processing with Kafka and Redis. Collaborates with cross-functional teams and adopts Agile methodologies and Test-Driven Development to deliver maintainable, production-ready solutions.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer | IPMorgan Chase (Remote), USA

Sep 2024 - Present

- Scaled a loan origination and credit risk evaluation platform processing over \$500M+ in annual loan applications, built with Java, Spring Boot, and Angular, enabling faster and more accurate loan decisions for personal and small-business clients.
- Developed and optimized RESTful APIs for credit risk scoring, document verification, and third-party credit bureau integration, accelerating loan processing
 and reducing manual review time by 30%.
- Enhanced backend fraud detection services by implementing rule-based filters to reduce unnecessary processing and leveraging **Redis** and **Spring Cache** for efficient data caching, resulting in a **40% faster API response time** and the ability to handle over **1,000 requests per second** during peak load.
- Integrated OAuth 2.0 and JWT-based authentication across microservices, strengthening system security, eliminating unauthorized access incidents, and passing all internal audits with zero exceptions.
- Built internal ETL pipelines using Apache NiFi and custom Java modules to extract, validate, and transform millions of credit and transaction records daily from legacy systems, ensuring data integrity and compliance with regulatory standards.
- Managed and optimized MySQL databases through indexing and schema tuning, boosting query performance by 40% and ensuring transactional consistency across distributed microservices.
- Improved system reliability by designing and implementing unit and integration test suites using JUnit and Mockito, achieving over 90% code coverage
 across critical APIs and services.
- Collaborated with product owners and business analysts to refine acceptance criteria and user stories, enhancing development efficiency by reducing rework
 by 20% and delivering over 10 critical features aligned with quarterly compliance and reporting goals.

Software Engineer | Doble Engineering, Massachusetts, USA

Jan 2024 - July 2024

- Developed a real-time **notification and alerting system** using **Apache Kafka** and **C# (.NET Core)** for Doble's power system monitoring suite, achieving 99% uptime and enabling fault-tolerant communication for utility infrastructure alerts and equipment diagnostics.
- Migrated high-volume time-series data from OSIsoft PI to a modern data pipeline using C++ ingestion modules into PostgreSQL, reducing overall migration time by 30% and improving data retrieval speed for historical analytics.
- Built and integrated a Kafka simulator and REST APIs to test and process streaming data workflows in real-time, enhancing downstream system reliability and
 improving event-handling accuracy by 25%.
- Implemented **Redis caching** for Kafka consumer offsets to avoid redundant message reprocessing, increasing event throughput and reducing latency by 40%.
- Refactored and containerized the Kafka infrastructure with gRPC-based microservices, deployed on Kubernetes using Docker, which improved system scalability and reduced resource consumption under high-load conditions.
- Designed and maintained CI/CD pipelines with Jenkins, enabling consistent build-test-deploy cycles, reducing manual deployment overhead and cutting delivery times by 40% across dev and staging environments.

Full Stack Developer (Intern -> Full Time) | Sigma InfoTech, India

Jun 2020 - July 2022

(Started as Intern: Jun 2020 – Dec 2020 | Promoted to Full-Time Developer: Jan 2021 – July 2022)

- Developed a scalable e-commerce web application using React.js, Node.js, and Express.js, implementing real-time inventory updates with WebSockets to improve user experience and reduce stock inconsistencies.
- Created reusable, responsive UI components using React.js, Redux, HTML5, CSS3, and Bootstrap, resolving cross-browser layout issues and improving accessibility compliance by 20%.
- Built and integrated RESTful APIs in Go and Node.js to streamline frontend-backend integration ensuring seamless data flow and reliable business logic.
- Implemented secure authentication and session management using JWT, and integrated Stripe API for payment processing, enhancing checkout security and reducing payment errors.
- Improved backend efficiency by designing asynchronous workflows in **Node.is** to handle concurrent user requests, optimizing response times under load.
- Designed and executed automated end-to-end test scripts using Selenium WebDriver, increasing test coverage and reducing production defects by 25%.
- Automated build and deployment workflows using Python scripts and GitHub Actions, deploying scalable applications on Heroku and AWS EC2 for server side services and AWS S3 for static asset storage, reducing release cycles by 30% and enhancing deployment reliability.
- Collaborated in Agile teams via JIRA, refining user stories, contributing to sprint planning and retrospectives, and driving quality through code reviews and
 feature releases that improved stability and accelerated delivery velocity.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Java, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, .Net, C#, C++, C, Python, Go, SQL

Frontend Technologies: HTML5, CSS3, React.js (Hooks, Redux), Vue.js, Angular, Bootstrap, AJAX, jQuery, JSON, Chart.js

Backend & API Development: Spring Boot, Spring Security, Node.js, Express.js, RESTful APIs, JWT, gRPC, Servlets,

Databases & Caching: MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Redis, SQL Server, OSIsoft PI (migration), ETL Pipelines, JDBC Cloud, DevOps & Infrastructure: AWS (EC2, S3), Azure, Docker, Kubernetes, NetBeans, WebSockets, CI/CD, Jenkins, Git, JIRA,

Testing & Quality Assurance: JUnit, Mockito, Selenium, Jest, Mocha, Postman

Version Control & Collaboration: Git, GitHub, JIRA, Confluence, Agile/Scrum

PROJECT

University System Management (Link)

- Built a multi-level academic system using Java Swing and MySQL, enabling streamlined access to student records, course data, and faculty details.
- Structured a role-based portal with CI/CD integration and Agile workflows, enabling continuous delivery and improving development efficiency.
- Utilized NetBeans IDE to accelerate GUI development and maintain modular code, enhancing maintainability and system scalability for administrative use.

Tree Trips: Travel Beyond - Travel & Hotel Booking Platform (Link)

- Built a responsive and user-friendly hotel booking platform with real-time search and filtering, improving performance by 15% using React.js and React Native.
- Optimized complex MongoDB queries and backend APIs to efficiently handle 10K+ concurrent bookings with consistent <100ms latency.
- Integrated Stripe with Redis caching and implemented secure JWT authentication, reducing abandoned bookings by 20% and ensuring seamless transactions.

EDUCATION