

# Valentina Volgina

(Green Card holder)

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## Work Experience

<b>Software Developer Engineer</b>	<b>Seattle Sun Seeker (Startup)</b> Bellevue, WA	<b>Sep 2021 - Aug 2023</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Built a <b>REST API</b> utilizing <b>Node.js</b>, <b>Express</b>, and <b>MongoDB</b> on the backend, ensuring secure and efficient data management and retrieval.</li><li>Used the <b>Mapbox API</b> to build a client-side component that colors locations on a map based on real-time weather, helping users find preferred spots.</li><li>Created a <b>background job scheduler</b> to update weather data during peak hours, boosting the user experience.</li><li>Built a notification component using <b>Server-Sent Events</b> for real-time messages, enhancing the user experience.</li><li>Worked with a UX designer to implement <b>responsive UI designs</b> compatible with various devices and browsers.</li></ul>		
<b>Software Developer Engineer I</b>	<b>Amazon</b> Seattle, WA	<b>Mar 2021 - Aug 2021</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed a component for uploading, verifying, and storing customer service information.</li><li>Implemented <b>unit and component tests</b> to validate the component's behavior and functionality.</li><li>Created an <b>email template</b> for customer invoice notifications, enhancing the user experience.</li></ul>		
<b>Software Developer Intern</b>	<b>Learning Management System Stealth Startup</b> Seattle, WA	<b>Jun 2020 - Sep 2020</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Worked with a front-end developer to implement a calendar displaying student activities.</li><li>Implemented <b>syntax highlighting</b> for a code editor, improving code readability.</li><li>Created SQL Server <b>stored procedures</b> to display student metrics like quiz performance and course progress, enhancing website readability.</li></ul>		
<b>1C Enterprise Developer</b>	<b>Euromaxx</b> Moscow, Russia	<b>2011 – 2017</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Utilized the 1C:Enterprise platform to create and enhance business automation software.</li><li>Created a new accounting system for goods and cash, boosting financial evaluation and profits.</li></ul>		

## Technical skills

**Web:** HTML5, CSS, Bootstrap, Node.js, Flutter

**Design:** REST API, MVC, Caching, SSE, WebSockets

**Programming:** Java, C#, Kotlin, JavaScript, ASP.NET, Ruby, TypeScript, Dart, SQL, AJAX

**Databases:** MongoDB, MySQL, Amazon DynamoDB, PostgreSQL

**Testing:** Unit, component, E2E testing

**Cloud:** Heroku, Firebase, AWS

## Leadership and Awards

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### Co-founder and Team Lead

*Seattle Sun Seeker*

Bellevue, WA

Sep 2021 - Aug 2023

Built and led the Seattle Sun Seeker startup development team, consisting of two developers, a UX/UI designer, and a QA specialist.

### Merit-Based Scholarship

*Bauman Moscow State Technical University*

Moscow, Russia

Fall 2003

Awarded a Russian Government-funded scholarship for the entire duration of the program based on high entrance exam scores.

## Education

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### A.S. in Computing and Software Development

*Lake Washington Institute of Technology*

Kirkland, WA

2018 - 2020

GPA: 4.0. President's List for 6 quarters

### B.S. and M.S. in Applied Mathematics

*Bauman Moscow State Technical University*

Moscow, Russia

2003 - 2011