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Summary

Full-Stack Developer with 2+ years of experience in end-to-end development of performant, scalable web applications and APIs at early-stage startups. Leverages AI effectively to ship faster and deliver higher-quality code.

Experience

Web Developer | Last9 Dec 2024 – Present

- Built end-to-end Stripe integration for a pay-as-you-go billing model — React frontend, Go backend APIs, and a Python cron job for automated usage reporting, including testing and deployment.
- Designed and developed a Metrics Explorer feature from scratch (similar to Grafana Explore), conducting in-depth research into Grafana's source code to implement an optimal solution.
- Developed multiple AI-powered features including natural language to PromQL/LogQL translation, architecting the full pipeline: frontend → API → AI service → MCP server.
- Led a major initiative to redesign 50+ Control Plane APIs — performed comprehensive analysis of existing APIs, database schema, and data; created a detailed migration plan; and executed end-to-end implementation in Go with React frontend integration.
- Migrated marketing website from Gatsby to Astro, reducing build times from 8 minutes to 2 minutes and significantly improving Core Web Vitals scores across all pages.
- Migrated documentation site from Docusaurus to Astro Starlight, eliminating redundant double deployments and reducing infrastructure costs.

  Tech Stack: Astro, React, TypeScript, Go, Python, Tailwind CSS, Stripe API, Starlight

Frontend Web Developer | Uixperts Labs Jul 2024 – Dec 2024

- Led the development of a multilingual employee management platform with full internationalization support.
- Collaborated with the team to clarify requirements and ensure code quality through thorough PR reviews.
- Managed project workflow by creating Jira tickets, assigning tasks, and ensuring timely delivery of features.

  Tech Stack: React, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, Shadcn UI, Jotai, TanStack Table, i18next

Web Developer Intern | Vuclip Oct 2023 – Mar 2024

- Improved Google Lighthouse score from 55% to 75% through systematic web vitals analysis and optimization.
- Developed Progressive Web Apps to enhance user engagement and retention across mobile platforms.

  Tech Stack: Next.js, TypeScript, Redux

Technical Skills

- **Languages:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Go, Python, Java
- **Frontend:** React.js, Next.js, Astro, TanStack Libraries, Tailwind CSS, Shadcn UI, i18next.
- **Backend:** Node.js, Express, MongoDB, MySQL, Supabase, WordPress (Headless CMS).
- **Tools:** Git, GitHub, Jira, Vercel.

Projects

Full-Stack E-Commerce Platform | ecommerce-azure-six-67.vercel.app

- Built a production-ready e-commerce platform with multi-language support (English/Arabic with RTL), dark/light mode, shopping cart with real-time stock validation, multi-step checkout, and a comprehensive admin dashboard with revenue analytics.
- Implemented Supabase PostgreSQL with Row-Level Security, database RPC functions, Google OAuth authentication, and real-time cart sync using Jotai state management.

  Tech Stack: Next.js 15, React 19, TypeScript, Supabase, Tailwind CSS, Shadcn UI, Jotai, Zod, i18next

Jamaat-Time | jamaat-time.netlify.app

- Developed a full-stack web app for locating nearby mosque prayer timings with Google Maps and Places API integration, featuring location-based search and real-time data display.

  Tech Stack: React, Material UI, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, Google Maps & Places APIs

AC Service Website | telanganaacservice.com

- Designed and developed a high-performance SEO-optimized website, achieving perfect scores of 100 in Performance and SEO through server-side rendering and metadata optimization.
- Executed end-to-end development including branding, UI/UX design, content strategy, and deployment.

  Tech Stack: Next.js 14, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, Shadcn UI, Server Components, WordPress.

Education

Vishwakarma Institute of Information Technology Jun 2020 – May 2024

Bachelor of Technology - BTech, Computer Engineering – 9.45 CGPA.