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OBJECTIVE

Dedicated and results-oriented **Full Stack Developer** with over **5 years** of experience in designing and implementing robust web applications using the MERN stack. Proficient in both front-end and back-end development, collaborating with clients to deliver customized solutions that enhance functionality and user experience. Skilled in leveraging cloud technologies and best practices to create responsive, scalable applications. Seeking to contribute technical expertise and problem-solving skills in a dynamic tech environment, driving innovation and achieving business objectives.

EDUCATION

Postgraduate Diploma - Toronto, CA **May 2023 - May 2024**
Mobile and Web Application Development (Northern College)
Cumulative GPA: 4.1

Master of Computer Application - India **June 2019 - April 2021**
Gujarat Technological University
Overall: First Class With Distinction

Bachelor of Computer Application - India **June 2016 - April 2019**
Shri Govind Guru University
Overall: First Class

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freelance (Toronto , Canada) **July 2023 - Present**
Web Developer

- Developed custom web applications for local clients using the MERN stack, enhancing functionality and user experience to meet specific business needs.

- Collaborated with clients to define project scopes, timelines, and deliverables, ensuring alignment with their objectives and satisfaction with the final product.
- Leveraged AWS for deploying applications and utilized Git for version control, maintaining code integrity and facilitating collaboration with clients.
- Designed responsive and mobile-friendly websites, employing best practices in UI/UX to improve user engagement and accessibility.
- Provided ongoing support and maintenance for deployed applications, addressing client requests and implementing updates as needed.

Bitcom Computers - Vadodara, India

April 2020 - March 2023

Senior Full Stack Developer (MERN Stack)

- Designed, developed, and deployed full-stack web applications using the MERN stack (MongoDB, Express, React, Node.js), delivering highly responsive, scalable, and efficient solutions.
- Architected and implemented RESTful APIs, microservices, and database structures, ensuring optimized performance and scalability across large-scale applications.
- Worked with AWS for server deployment, S3 for storage solutions, and implemented CI/CD pipelines using Jenkins and Docker to streamline deployments.
- Mentored junior developers in modern JavaScript frameworks and best practices for using the MERN stack, resulting in a 15% improvement in code quality and productivity.
- Integrated third-party APIs (Stripe, Twilio, etc.) to expand application functionalities, improving user experience and boosting customer satisfaction by 25%..

Kedar Soft - Bangalore, India

June 2018 - March 2020

Junior Web Developer

- Developed and maintained responsive web applications using React, Node.js, and JavaScript, leveraging the MERN stack to modernize applications and improve performance.
- Collaborated with UX/UI teams to deliver highly interactive and user-friendly front-end designs, boosting user engagement by 30%.
- Implemented real-time data handling and WebSocket integration using Node.js for high-performance applications.
- Utilized cloud technologies (AWS, Azure) to host web applications and managed databases such as MongoDB and PostgreSQL for robust data storage solutions.
- Participated in Agile development, engaging in sprints and using Jira for task management to ensure timely project delivery and team collaboration.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Web Development:** MERN Stack (MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js), HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, RESTful APIs, GraphQL, AJAX, PHP, Ruby, Python, Go, Swift, Kotlin, Perl, SQL, C, C++, Bash, Shell
- **Frontend Frameworks/Libraries:** React.js, Next.js, Angular, Vue.js, Svelte, Bootstrap, Material-UI, Tailwind CSS, jQuery, LESS, Sass
- **Backend Technologies:** Node.js, Express.js, Django, Ruby on Rails, Spring Boot, Flask, Laravel, ASP.NET, GraphQL
- **Cloud Technologies:** AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda, RDS, CloudFront), Azure (App Services, Azure Functions, Cosmos DB), Google Cloud Platform (GCP), DigitalOcean, Heroku
- **Database Management:** MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Redis, Firebase, Oracle, SQL Server, Cassandra, DynamoDB, Elasticsearch
- **Version Control & Collaboration:** Git, GitHub, GitLab, Bitbucket, Jira, Confluence, Azure DevOps, Agile/Scrum methodologies, Trello, Slack
- **DevOps & CI/CD:** Docker, Jenkins, Kubernetes, Terraform, CircleCI, Ansible, Chef, Puppet, GitLab CI, Travis CI
- **UI/UX Design:** Responsive Web Design, Figma, Adobe XD, Sketch, InVision, Material Design
- **Testing Frameworks:** Jest, Mocha, Chai, Cypress, Selenium, Postman, JUnit, PyTest, Jasmine, Karma, Enzyme, TestCafe
- **Real-Time Data Handling:** WebSockets, Socket.io, WebRTC
- **Performance Optimization:** Webpack, Babel, Code Splitting, Lazy Loading
- **Security Practices:** OWASP Top Ten, JWT, OAuth2, HTTPS, CORS, CSRF, SSO, SSL/TLS, Encryption, SAST, DAST
- **Other Technologies:** Stripe API, Twilio API, Elasticsearch, RabbitMQ, Kafka, Redis Streams, REST API, WebAssembly
- **Content Management Systems (CMS):** WordPress, Contentful, Strapi, Joomla, Drupal, Magento, Shopify

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- **WORK PERMIT STATUS** - Valid work permit for employment in Canada.

PORTFOLIO PROJECTS

- **E-commerce Platform**

- Developed a full-stack e-commerce web application using the MERN stack that allows users to browse products, add items to their cart, and complete secure transactions.
- Integrated Stripe for payment processing and implemented JWT for user authentication and authorization.
- Designed a responsive UI to ensure an optimal shopping experience across all devices.

- **Chat Application**

- Created a real-time chat application using Node.js, Express, and Socket.io, enabling users to engage in private and group conversations seamlessly.
- Implemented user authentication with Passport.js and stored chat history in MongoDB.
- Developed features including message notifications and emoji support for enhanced user interaction.

- **Real Estate Application**

- Developed a real estate listing application using the MERN stack, allowing users to search, filter, and view property listings.
- Implemented a user-friendly interface for property details and search functionality.
- Ensured the application was responsive for optimal user experience across various devices.

- **Personal Portfolio Website**

- Designed and developed a personal portfolio website to showcase skills and projects using React.js and CSS3, featuring a modern, user-friendly layout.
- Integrated a contact form using Node.js and Nodemailer for client inquiries.
- Optimized the website for SEO to improve visibility and attract potential clients.