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## Summary

Experienced Full Stack Engineer with 7 years in the field, primarily utilizing Java and PHP. Possess solid business skills acquired from working with a Silicon Valley startup. Strong project management, engineering leadership, and hiring manager experience. Effective communicator and team player with additional experience in event tracking and data analysis.

## Experience

Feb 2021  
to Present

### APPGROOVES

SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA (REMOTE)

#### *Full-Stack Engineer*

- Managed to work with a team of 2 UX/UI Designers, 2 Frontend Engineers, and 6 PHP Full-Stack Engineers effectively through a structured and clear development workflow.
- Proven ability to work in a rapidly changing, high-pressure environment while effectively adapting to daily stress.
- Responsible for hiring 3 PHP Full-Stack Engineers by a hiring plan and onboarding new engineers within 3 weeks, which resulted in a 150% acceleration in the development process.
- Stepped up to fill the Data Analyst position, and migrated from Google Analytics to Mixpanel by implementing tracking and building dashboards in MixPanel. This led to a clearer reporting system and reduced deployment delays to zero.
- Responsible for daily standup meetings as Scrum Manager. Improved communication between different teams through daily/weekly meetings. This helped to find and resolve any issues ASAP, resulting in 100% on-time developments.
- Maintained structured and well-described task list for engineers, this eliminated misunderstandings and further improved the speed of the development process.
- Migrated legacy code to Laravel, developed a comprehensive testing environment; which accelerated development process and increased detecting bugs before deployment.

Dec 2019 to  
Mar 2021

### MUNERO GLOBAL LOYALTY

DUBAI, UAE (REMOTE)

#### *Full-Stack Engineer*

- Led development team, monitored progress, made adjustments.
- Provided support and guidance to trainees/new staff.
- Assigned and analyzed tasks, measured productivity with Jira/Toggl.
- Tested colleagues' work, managed pull requests with Gitflow.
- Wrote clear documentation and guidelines for system modules.
- Designed DB architecture, managed MySQL DBs with Amazon RDS.
- Maintained and managed production/staging servers on Amazon EC2.

- Setup and use Jenkins for build/deployment on Tomcat Server.
- Analyzed and built technical integrations with APIs (Restful, SOAP, XML).
- Built Javascript libraries for front-end development.

April 2018 to  
Dec 2019

**AKELAPP**

**PALESTINE, GAZA**

***Co-Founder***

***Full-Stack Engineer***

Launched a platform to connect homecooks with customers who want to order fresh and tasty homemade food; daily work includes:

- Managed team to execute successful launch of Akelapp.
- Planned and executed digital marketing campaigns on Facebook & Instagram to increase orders and user engagement.
- Built a dashboard and developed RESTful API for mobile applications to order and for admin to manage orders.
- Developed mobile apps for customers on Android.
- Integrated with Google Analytics to track KPIs and improve performance based on customer feedback analysis.
- Boosted customer satisfaction & completed orders through continuous performance improvement.

Mar 2018 to  
June 2018

**IUG UNIVERSITY**

**PALESTINE, GAZA**

***Teacher Assistant***

- Reinforced the lessons presented by teachers in Computer Networks by reviewing material with students through one-to-one meetings.
- Helped in organizing, planning, and delivering lectures at the university.
- Worked with students on different experiments in the lab, where we learned together how to connect routers and switches, using different networking protocols.

Feb 2017 to  
June 2018

**ATYAF FOR TECHNOLOGY**

**PALESTINE, GAZA**

***Software Engineer***

- Developed REST APIs using Custom Java framework and managed salesmen process using mobile applications, allowing customers to search, make invoices, print and sign them.
- Conducted meetings with end-users, wrote user stories, and analyzed system requirements to develop procurement management system and point of sales for coffee stores, restaurants, and supermarkets.
- Met with clients and analyzed their system requirements, leading to the development of an ERP software to automate big business operations related to technology, services, CRM, human resources, and more.
- Deployed live and staging environment to Amazon EC2 on Nginx Web Server and developed website and RESTful API for the mobile application.
- Improved legacy systems and used new technologies to upgrade and migrate to new versions of the system.

## Education

2012 - 2017

### IUG University

PALESTINE, GAZA

Bachelor of Computer Engineering

- Software Engineering and Project Management
- Java Object Oriented Development
- AWS and Cloud Computing
- JavaEE and Servlets

## Skills

### Technical Skills

- **Java**  
Spring, Spring boot, J2EE
- **PHP**  
Plain PHP, Laravel
- **Mobile**  
Android, Flutter
- **JavaScript**  
Vanilla JS, ReactJS, JQuery
- **Client-Side Technologies**  
HTML, CSS, Bootstrap
- **Database**  
PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB
- **Event Tracking and Analytics**  
Google Analytics, BigQuery, and Mixpanel
- **Web Servers**  
Nginx, Tomcat
- **Cache**  
Redis
- **Search Engines**  
Elastic Search
- **Other Technologies and Tools**  
Git, Linux, Bash

### Interpersonal Skills

- Critical thinking
- Time management
- Problem solving
- Decision-making
- Public Speaking
- Teamwork

### Languages

- English (Fluent)
- Arabic (Native)