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SUMMARY

Passionate, self-motivated Frontend Engineer with 8+ years of experience in creating impactful and responsive web applications using JavaScript framework ReactJS, resulting in improved user experience. Highly skilled in creating efficient and scalable code, while also fostering a collaborative team environment to ensure successful project execution. Seeking new opportunities to utilize my expertise and contribute to the development of cutting-edge applications.

SKILLS

Frontend Technologies: React, React hooks, Redux, HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Backend Technologies: REST APIs Testing Framework: Jest, Enzyme

Tools: GITHUB, Visual Studio Code, Sketch

Familiarity with Agile methodologies for Software Development like Scrum

Coordination with multiple teams

Mentoring and Leadership

EXPERIENCE

Frontend (UI) Engineer

Apple Inc

Apr 2016 - Present

- Developed an enterprise-level Content Management System (CMS) using the latest frontend technologies, reducing content creation and maintenance efforts by 60% for Apple's online support site.
- Created 4 operational dashboards using React's reusable components to provide insights to users during different phases of content creation, translation, and publishing.
- Developed a custom review system using React hooks and React query, enabling content authors to
 efficiently review articles, provide comments, and approve or reject content over the web or using mobile
 devices.
- Collaborated closely with the backend team to ensure successful REST API implementation and usage, and with Content Delivery (CDS) and Asset management teams for seamless content transformation and asset fetching.
- Conducted thorough internal code reviews using GITHUB, providing valuable feedback to create a maintainable and efficient codebase.
- Mentored and provided guidance to 1 intern and 4 junior developers both onsite and offshore, fostering a collaborative team environment and ensuring successful project execution.

Change Manager Facebook Inc Sep 2014 – Dec 2015

- Led weekly Change Advisory Board (CAB) meetings for finance IT changes, ensuring that all proposed changes are assessed for accuracy, potential impacts, and collisions with existing work.
- Collaborated with functional stakeholders to convey major application updates and changes, gathering and incorporating feedback and insights from stakeholders to ensure seamless implementation.
- Compiled and distributed finance IT communications about impactful changes, ensuring that all relevant parties are informed and aware of changes that may affect their work.
- Supervised the daily operations of the IT change function, working closely with the director of finance IT to ensure effective management of change requests and compliance with policies and procedures.
- Developed and updated dashboards to gauge productivity and requestor non-compliance across all
 functional units under the finance IT department, using data insights to drive continuous process
 improvement initiatives.
- Worked closely with the finance IT team to identify and implement best practices, tools, and techniques to streamline change management processes and improve overall efficiency and effectiveness.

- Designed, developed, and maintained the Marine and Pets insurance system using the Ingres Database system, ensuring efficient data management.
- Created automated scripts using Unix and SQL procedures to extract and load data for overnight batch processing, reducing development efforts by 30% and improving system performance.
- Developed advanced database manipulation techniques using SQL queries to improve policy underwriting and premium reconciliation process by 70%, resulting in significant cost savings for the company.
- Worked closely with the functional team as a subject matter expert (SME) for marine policy management, providing technical expertise and guidance to ensure smooth functioning of the system.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams including business analysts, QA engineers, and product managers to deliver high-quality software products that meet customer requirements.
- Conducted regular code reviews to maintain code quality and ensure adherence to coding standards.
- Resolved complex technical issues and bugs in a timely and efficient manner to ensure optimal system performance.

LEADERSHIP

- Mentored 4 junior UI developers out of a team of 8 members within the CMS and review system created for Apple's online support website.
- Guided 1 UI intern during summer internship in developing a POC for the creation of dynamic content using in-house CMS.
- Led a team of 4 members to build an in-house content management review system from inception to a minimum viable product

EDUCATION

M.S. in Computer Information Systems and information Technology

University of Central Missouri

Relevant Coursework: Application Development Using Java, Web Technology, Database System, Client-Side Internet Resource, Mobile Computing, Distributed Computing, Application Development Using Java

M.S. in Information Technology

University of the Cumberlands

Relevant Coursework: Analyzing and Visualizing Data Business Intelligence, Data Science & Big Data Analysis, Application Security, Emerging Threats and Countermeasures, Managing Information Security in Organizations, Information Technology Importance in Strategic Planning.

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering

University of Mumbai

Relevant Coursework: Operating System with Unix, Mobile Computing, System Security, Computer Network

Aug 2013 - Dec 2014

Warrensburg, MO

Jan 2018 – Aug 2019 Warrensburg, KY

Jun 2006 – Dec 2009 Mumbai, IN