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Summary

Innovative Software Developer with 4+ years of experience in backend development, system administration, and WordPress customization. Boosted user engagement by 40%, operational efficiency by 30%, and revenue growth by \$75,000 monthly through custom solutions and automation. Proficient in PHP, Laravel, WordPress, Git, SQL, Python, Flask, Java, and Linux. Successfully mentored 20+ students with the Google Developer Student Club. Holds a Bachelor's in Business Studies & Computer Science from the University of Zimbabwe.

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Experience

Software Developer

Africa University • Mutare, Manicaland

06/2023 - Present

- Engineered and launched bespoke WordPress themes for the university, increasing site engagement by 40% and enhancing brand consistency across all digital platforms within 6 months.
- Developed custom WordPress plugins that streamlined content management and distribution, reducing publishing time by 30% and increasing user engagement by 25%.
- Enhanced backend infrastructure with Laravel, resulting in a 23% boost in data management efficiency and an 18% reduction in data breaches through robust security measures and streamlined workflows.
- Designed and implemented APIs, improving data processing speed by 15% and system interoperability by 13%.
- Integrated load and stress testing into CI/CD workflow, reducing downtime by 35% and boosting system performance by 20%.

Founder & Chief Operations Officer

Find & Go • Harare, Harare Province

08/2019 - Present

- Spearheaded the development of an online booking system, allowing users to find accommodation, activities, and restaurants in specific locations, which boosted user bookings by 40% and enhanced customer satisfaction by 30%.
- Created a marketing proposal that refined the outreach strategy and resulted in a conversion rate of 10% (a 5% increase from the previous year)

Senior Software Developer

A Lucky Brand • Harare, Harare Province

10/2022 - 05/2023

- Deployed and hosted a highly available online store using a Linux Dedicated Server, leading to a 7% increase in sales.
- Led the design and development of the E-commerce store, increasing monthly revenue by 25%.
- Created an automation system to process incoming requests (for generator services) faster, resulting in a 37% increase in client satisfaction.

Backend Developer & Systems Administrator

Quatrohaus • Harare, Harare Province

08/2021 - 09/2022

- Authored a RESTful API for seamless integration with PesePay Payment Gateway, streamlining payment processes and reducing transaction times by 8%, leading to a 10% increase in successful payments.

- Administered infrastructure systems and servers, managing Linux servers and AWS, resulting in an 11% reduction in downtime and a 15% improvement in system performance.
 - Designed and developed an internal billing system, enabling the company to accurately track expenditures and income, which improved financial reporting accuracy by 6% and reduced accounting discrepancies by 14%.
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Skills

PHP, Laravel, Custom WordPress Theme & Plugin Development, Python, Flask, Django, AWS, Linux-Apache-MySQL-PHP Stack, Linux, Tailwind CSS

Education

Bachelor of Business Studies and Computer Science Honors

University of Zimbabwe • Harare, Harare

06/2021

- Graduated with Upper Second Class degree
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Languages

English

References

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