MUHAMMAD RAFIQ

Full Stack Developer | React Native | AI Integration Engineer
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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Full Stack and Mobile Developer with 3+ years of experience shipping production applications across web, mobile, and AI. Strong in the MERN stack, Next.js, React Native, and Python/FastAPI, with hands-on experience building LLM-powered features using OpenAI, Gemini, and LangChain. Owns the full product lifecycle, from architecture and API design to deployment, for startups and mid-size teams. Seeking remote full-time roles in Full Stack, React Native, or AI Integration Engineering.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages & Frameworks: JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, React.js, Next.js, React Native, Node.js, Express.js, FastAPI
AI & LLM Integration: OpenAI API, Google Gemini API, LangChain, Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG), Prompt Engineering, AI Chatbots, Generative AI
Backend & Data: REST API Design, Microservices, JWT Authentication, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Prisma
Mobile: React Native (Expo and bare workflow), iOS and Android cross-platform development, performance optimization
Frontend & UI: Tailwind CSS, Shadcn/ui, Responsive Design, Figma-to-Code, Cross-Browser Compatibility
DevOps & Tools: Docker, GitHub Actions, CI/CD, Vercel, Git, Agile/Scrum

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Full Stack Engineer | ZiriumAI Jun 2026 – Present
Peshawar, Pakistan | Onsite

- Build and maintain production web applications with the MERN stack across React.js frontends, Node.js/Express APIs, and MongoDB data layers.
- Design, build, and deploy new features in an Agile environment, working closely with engineering and product teams.
- Introduce TypeScript and reusable component patterns to improve frontend code quality and maintainability.

Full Stack Developer | Freelance / Self-Employed Jan 2023 – Present
Remote

- Delivered end-to-end web and mobile applications for 5+ startups, from scoping and MVP to scaled production, serving as sole technical lead on multiple concurrent engagements.
- Integrated OpenAI and Google Gemini APIs into client products, building AI chatbots, resume analyzers, and recommendation engines that improved engagement for paying customers.
- Cut client mobile development costs by building cross-platform iOS and Android apps with React Native (Expo) instead of separate native codebases.
- Designed and deployed secure REST APIs with Node.js/Express and FastAPI, using JWT authentication, MongoDB schemas, and CI/CD pipelines on GitHub Actions.

Frontend Developer | Zypher Enterprise Jul 2025 – Sep 2025
Peshawar, Pakistan | Onsite

- Built reusable, accessible React.js components with Tailwind CSS, improving visual consistency and speeding up feature development.
- Integrated REST APIs and translated Figma designs into pixel-accurate, cross-browser interfaces.

Backend Developer Intern | Clouditecture Aug 2024 – Apr 2025
Peshawar, Pakistan | Onsite

- Designed and implemented secure REST APIs in Node.js and Express.js supporting core production workflows.
- Optimized MongoDB data models and added JWT-based authentication across endpoints, improving query efficiency and security.

MERN Stack Developer Intern | HiSkyTech Jul 2024 – Aug 2024
Remote

- Built full-stack features in a live MERN codebase, covering API integration, MongoDB schema design, and responsive UI development.

KEY PROJECTS

HireDesk – AI-Powered Recruitment Platform *React.js, Node.js, FastAPI, Gemini API, NeonDB*
Built a recruitment system using LLM pipelines for automated candidate screening, resume analysis, and AI-generated interview questions, reducing manual screening effort.

JobPsych – AI Career Guidance & Interview Prep *React, FastAPI, Gemini API, Node.js*
Final-year thesis project. Matches users to career roles from profile analysis, evaluates resumes, and generates personalized interview preparation plans.

Readora AI – Conversational PDF Assistant *Next.js, VAPI, MongoDB*
Voice-enabled RAG app that lets users query PDFs in natural language, using semantic chunking and context-aware retrieval for document-grounded answers.

Codify – AI Code Review Agent *React, Node.js, Gemini API, LangChain*
AI agent that reviews source code and returns automated feedback on quality, bugs, and best practices.

HisabKitab – Personal Finance Mobile App *React Native, Expo*
Cross-platform iOS/Android app for budgeting, expense tracking, and financial insights with real-time data visualization.

QRLab – QR Code Generator *React Native, Expo*
Converts URLs, text, and digital content into downloadable QR codes with customization options.

SkillFlow *Node.js*
Open-source, production-grade codebase with modular AI engineering patterns for autonomous software agents.

EDUCATION

BS Computer Science
Iqra National University, Peshawar, Pakistan 2022 – 2026

CERTIFICATIONS

Google Agile Essentials | AWS Scholars Program | Analyze Data Using AI with PartyRock | Foundations of Project Management