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Summary

Over the last 12+ years I have worked as a Senior Frontend Engineer, Team Lead, Full Stack Developer and a CTO, I have contributed to both service-based and product-led technology solutions, primarily within the hospitality industry. My leadership experience involves guiding development teams, mentoring junior developers, and collaborating closely with UI/UX designers to translate product vision into high-performance applications. My technical expertise centers on architecting and building scalable, user-focused frontend solutions using modern technologies like JavaScript, TypeScript, React, and Svelte, with a strong emphasis on performance optimization and accessibility. Core to my approach are principles of delivering quality through well-structured code, fostering collaboration and knowledge sharing within teams, and a commitment to continuous improvement demonstrated through open-source contributions and adopting effective development strategies like component libraries and testing methodologies.

Professional Experience

Skipper Hospitality

Senior Software Engineer / Team Lead

2021 - 2024

- Initially provided web-based technology solutions for the hotel industry; later expanded to develop a cutting-edge booking engine.
- Served as Team Lead for the Hospitality Website Solutions project leading a team of five developers, and subsequently as a Senior Engineer on the Cash Widget team.

Projects & Contributions:

- Hospitality Website Solutions**
 - Led a team of five developers in the development and improvement of a custom **11ty framework** for client websites.
 - Implemented an **SEO audit tool** for pre-deployment testing.

- Integrated **island architecture** to enhance static web pages with dynamic content.
 - Developed a **CLI application** to streamline website development.
 - Delivered **high-performance, near-perfect Lighthouse score** implementations.
 - Contributed to an **open-source web components library** ([Skipper Organisms](#)).
 - Developed **React components** for an in-house CMS.
 - Addressed critical business issues such as **duplicate permalink generation**.
- **Tech Stack:** Node.js, 11ty, Tailwind, React.js
- **Skipper Booking Engine**
 - Bootstrapped and architected the **Cash Widget** application (**Svelte, TypeScript, XState**).
 - Led the development of a **Svelte component library** for internal use.
 - Spearheaded the **booking widget project**, delivering an MVP ahead of schedule.
 - Developed an **open-source Svelte package** ([svelte-lightbox](#)).
 - Drove accessibility improvements for the booking widget.
 - Led **XState upgrades**, ensuring seamless transitions.
 - Integrated **CRS and PMS** platforms for streamlined hotel bookings.
 - Introduced **unit and E2E testing** strategies to improve software reliability.
- **Tech Stack:** Node.js, TypeScript, Svelte, Vitest, Vite, XState, Python

Leadership & Collaboration:

- Collaborated closely with UI/UX designers to refine product design and user experience.
- Actively mentored junior developers through code reviews, pair programming, 1-on-1s and knowledge sharing sessions.
- Used project management tools like **ClickUp**, **Github Issues**, **Notion** and google workspace.

Butler Hospitality

Senior Full Stack Developer

2018 - 2021

Butler Hospitality was a hotel food service and ghost kitchen company that later expanded into broader hospitality services. As the sole frontend expert for a period, I handled daily bug fixes and spearheaded critical projects.

Projects & Contributions:

- **ButlerMenu.com** – Developed the **initial version** of the static website with JSON-driven ordering.
 - **Tech Stack:** React, Node.js, Bulma CSS, Flow.js, Lodash
- **Butler Mobile App** – Built the **first version** of the mobile app for hotel guests.
 - **Tech Stack:** React Native, Styled Components
- **Expeditor App (iPad/Android)** – Developed a **React Native** app for kitchen order management, featuring **drag-and-drop** functionality.
 - **Tech Stack:** React Native, Node.js, Styled Components
- **Order Management System (OMS)** – Maintained and enhanced a **legacy Java Spring Boot & Angular.js** platform.
 - **Implemented City and Hub Management, Menu Management**
 - **Tech Stack:** Java, Angular.js, PostgreSQL, Spring Boot
- **Butler Menu Mapper** – Developed a microservice to **transform OMS menu data** for ButlerMenu.com.
 - **Tech Stack:** Node.js, TypeScript, React.js, Wouter, Material UI

Leadership & Collaboration:

- Collaborated with design teams on UI/UX to develop the initial component library for our butlermenu application, later collaborated on many other projects.
 - Mentored junior developers through knowledge transfer sessions, code review and 1-1s.
 - User project management tools like linear and jira.
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Jetaport (Hiskipper.com)

Frontend Developer

2015 - 2017

Jetaport.com was a group hotel booking platform that rebranded to **Hiskipper.com**. I contributed extensively to its frontend development.

Projects & Contributions:

- Developed key features and **optimized layouts with Flexbox**.
- Led major **design refresh efforts**, implementing new UI standards.
- Built an **intuitive chat feature** within the application.
- Upgraded **Ember.js from v1.10 to v1.13**, overcoming breaking changes.
- Developed **marketing pages using Vue.js 1.0**.

Tech Stack: Ember.js, Vue.js 1.0, Flexbox

Education

American International University Bangladesh

B.Sc. in Computer Science & Engineering

March 2012

Key Coursework: Service-Oriented Architecture, Object-Oriented Programming, Web Development, Networking, Computer Security, Internet Security.

Certifications

- **FreeCodeCamp - Backend Development & APIs** ([Certification](#))
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Open Source Contributions

- [Svelte-lightbox](#) – A customizable, accessible image gallery for Svelte
 - [Skipper Organisms](#) – Web component library for hospitality websites
 - [Vue Ad Block Detect](#) – Ad blocker detection mixin for Vue 2
 - [Vue Bulma Boilerplate](#) – Starter template for Vue 2 + Bulma CSS
 - [To Watch Cli](#) – A command line application to keep track of movies/shows to watch
 - [Prayer time bd](#) - A cli application to display today's prayer time for Bangladesh
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Technical Skills

Frontend Development

- **Languages:** JavaScript (Expert), TypeScript (Expert), HTML5, CSS3
- **Frameworks:** React, Svelte, Vue.js, Angular, Ember.js
- **Mobile Development:** React Native
- **Testing Tools:** Jest, Vitest, Cypress

Backend & Infrastructure

- **Languages:** Node.js, Python, PHP
- **Frameworks:** Express, FastAPI, Laravel
- **Databases:** PostgreSQL, MongoDB, MySQL
- **Cloud & DevOps:** AWS, GCP, Docker

Specializations

- **Performance Optimization**
- **Accessibility (WCAG 2.1 Compliance)**
- **State Management (Redux, XState)**
- **Build Tools (Vite, Webpack, Rollup)**
- **JAMstack (11ty, Next.js, Gatsby)**