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Professional Summary

Versatile Software Developer with **5 years of cumulative experience**, combining **2 years of corporate professional practice** with extensive freelance and independent project development. Currently advancing through a Bachelor of Science in Computing at UNISA while delivering full-stack solutions. Proficient in scaling applications using PHP frameworks (CodeIgniter, Yii2), modern JavaScript ecosystems (**Next.js**, React Native), and cloud backends (**Firebase**, **Supabase**).

Work Experience

Web Developer | **Squareflo New Media** *Part-time | Remote (Canada) | July 2023 – Present*

- Playing a key role in the development and maintenance of ChowLocal.com, ensuring platform stability and feature updates.

- Leading the technical rebranding of company mobile applications, utilizing both coding expertise and design skills to modernize user interfaces.

- Implementing backend solutions using **CodeIgniter** and **PHP**, while managing **MySQL** databases for data integrity.

- **Tech Stack:** CodeIgniter, PHP, JavaScript, MySQL.

Full Stack Developer | **Zilo Personalization** *Full-time | Randburg, Gauteng | March 2024 – September 2024*

- Developed and maintained full-stack applications using the **Yii2** framework for backend logic and **React Native** for mobile interfaces.

- Collaborated with the on-site team to troubleshoot issues, optimize database queries, and deliver scalable features.

- **Tech Stack:** Yii2, React Native, PHP, JavaScript, SQL.

Freelance Software Developer | **Self-Employed** *Remote | 2020 – Present*

- Delivered custom web and automation solutions for various clients, translating business requirements into functional software.

- Initiated and deployed complex side projects (such as SmolTok and BibleAi) to production, managing the full SDLC from design to deployment.

- Refined full-stack skills through hands-on development with **Next.js**, **Firebase**, and **Supabase**.

Projects

BibleAi | [View Project](#)

- **Description:** Developed an innovative AI-powered application designed to enhance scripture study.

- **Key Features:** Leveraged Artificial Intelligence to provide context-aware explanations and personalized study guides.

- **Tech Stack:** AI/ML Integration, Python, Modern Web Technologies.

SmolTok | [smoltok.me](#)

- **Description:** Built a dynamic social media platform focused on real-time user interaction and content sharing.

- **Key Features:** Implemented responsive UI/UX for seamless navigation, real-time messaging, and media handling.

- **Tech Stack:** Full-Stack Web Development, Database Management.

LeadSniper | [View Project](#)

- **Description:** Engineered a lead generation tool to streamline business workflows.

- **Key Features:** Automated data scraping and sorting processes to provide accurate, actionable business intelligence.

- **Tech Stack:** Automation Scripts, Data Parsing, Python.

Technical Skills

- **Languages:** PHP, JavaScript, Python, HTML5, CSS3, SQL.

- **Frameworks & Libraries: Next.js**, **React Native**, **React.js**, **CodeIgniter**, **Yii2**.

- **Databases & Cloud: Firebase**, **Supabase**, MySQL, Relational Database Management.

- **Design Tools:** Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop (UI/UX & Asset Creation).

- **Tools:** Git, GitHub, VS Code, Problem Solving.

Education

University of South Africa (UNISA) Bachelor of Science in Computing (Current)

- *Status:* Second Year Student

- *Focus:* Software Engineering, Data Structures, System Analysis.

Self-Taught Programmer

- Established a robust technical foundation through independent study, mastering core programming languages and development workflows before entering university.