

# PATHAN SALMAN KHAN

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## SUMMARY

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Senior Software Engineer with 4 years of full-stack expertise, specializing in backend, system design, and scalable solutions. Thrives in fast-paced startup cultures, delivering innovative products under tight deadlines. Skilled in project management, team mentorship, and cutting-edge technologies, with a passion for dynamic, growth-driven environments.

## EXPERIENCE

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### Software Engineer

**Zaapi** Singapore (Remote), project: [zaapi.com](#)

Sept 2023 - Oct 2024

- Developed a NestJS-based microservices template with pre-configured authentication, design patterns, MongoDB (Mongoose), and containerization, accelerating new service deployment by 80%.
- Led full-cycle feature development from requirements gathering to testing
- Mentored 2 interns (onboarding, task delegation, code reviews).
- Led the migration from EC2 to AWS Fargate, reducing infrastructure costs by 30% and improving deployment efficiency.
- Optimized webhook processing by switching to an asynchronous AWS SQS-based queue system, enabling seamless handling of 10K requests per minute with reduced latency
- Optimized platform performance to handle 20M+ daily requests through strategic database query optimization and implementation of caching mechanisms.
- Developed a comprehensive analytics dashboard used by over 100k users, providing critical insights into chat, agent, and performance metrics, improving decision-making efficiency
- Integrated chat payments/messaging into order cycles, streamlining e-commerce ops.
- Improved platform capabilities with AI-driven features, including chatbots and auto-reply systems, leading to a 50% increase in automated query resolution

### Software Engineer

**GeekyAnts**, project: [RealOne](#)

Jun 2022 - Sept 2023

#### RealOne: Real Estate Application

- Designed and developed a multi-million-dollar real estate saas platform, including 2 mobile and 2 web applications for seamless lead management.
- Designed and implemented backend architecture using Dapr, Node.js, Express.js, Hasura, PostgreSQL, Redis, and JWT.
- Developed subscription, payment, and billing modules by integrating Stripe.
- Designed and built a product featuring flow management, client onboarding, email and SMS marketing, custom RBAC, lead integration, in-app calendar and slot booking, in-app ads, and notification services by designing GraphQL and REST APIs.
- Integrated services including Postmark, SendGrid, Google and Facebook Ads, S3, and Razorpay.
- Added geospatial search + caching, boosting app speed by 40%.

### Full Stack Developer

**Cognizant**, project: [Pearson](#)

Mar 2021 - June 2022

- Optimized exam hosting, ensuring seamless delivery with minimal downtime.
- Enhanced system performance, boosting reliability, and reducing exam failures during peak traffic.

## EDUCATION

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### Bachelor of Engineering (Computer Science and Engineering)

RMK ENGINEERING COLLEGE, Chennai, India

2021

## SKILLS

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**Programming Languages:** JavaScript (ES6+), Python, TypeScript, Go

**Backend Technologies:** Node.js (NestJS, Express), FastAPI, Django, GraphQL (Hasura, Apollo), REST APIs, OAuth, Redis, WebSockets

**Frontend Technologies:** React.js, Next.js, Tailwind CSS

**Databases & Storage:** MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Redis, Elasticsearch, S3

**Cloud & DevOps:** AWS, GCP (Firebase), Docker, CI/CD (GitHub Actions, CircleCI), Terraform, VPS, Coolify

**Methodologies:** Microservices, Agile, SCRUM, OOP, Functional Programming, Design Patterns, Serverless

**Integrations & Messaging:** OpenAI APIs, Stripe, Razorpay, Slack, LinkedIn, CometChat, Facebook, Postmark, RabbitMQ, BullMQ

**Open Source Contribution:** Dapr