FRANKLIN IKEH

JUNIOR BACKEND DEVELOPER

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Work Experience

Backend Software Engineer Intern

HNG Internship Program (HNG11)

July 2024 - August 2024

- Spearheaded development of critical features for two major web applications using FastAPI.
- Designed asynchronous workflows with Celery and RabbitMQ, reducing task time by 20%.
- Improved code reliability by 30% through unit testing with Pytest.
- Built secure authentication systems with JWT and Google OAuth2.
- Collaborated in an agile team with frontend, QA, and product teams for timely feature delivery.
- Assisted with Docker-based deployment workflows to streamline scaling and development.

Key Projects

Kwiki AI — AI-Powered Flashcard Generator

FastAPI, React, PostgreSQL, Groq API

- Built a full-stack platform to generate flashcard decks from topics using LLMs (DeepSeek-r1-distill-llama-70b).
- Engineered a scalable backend with JWT and Google OAuth2, using FastAPI and PostgreSQL.
- Implemented interactive study mode with spaced repetition on the frontend (React + Tailwind CSS).
- Deployed using Vercel (frontend) and Render (backend), with CI/CD via GitHub Actions.

Fundraiser API

FastAPI, SQLAlchemy, PostgreSQL

- Developed a scalable fundraising platform with JWT authentication and campaign management.
- Integrated Cloudinary for media uploads and Paystack for secure payments.
- Built CI/CD pipelines with GitHub Actions; maintained 95%+ test coverage with Pytest.
- Managed database evolution using Alembic migrations and SQLAlchemy ORM.

Picture.txt

Python, FastAPI, OpenCV

- Built an image-to-ASCII art converter using OpenCV and custom algorithms.
- Exposed RESTful endpoints for image upload, processing, and download.
- Implemented async processing for scalable high-volume conversions.
- Optimized performance for responsive image handling and reduced latency.

Technical Expertise

• Languages: Python (3.x), SQL

• Frameworks: FastAPI, Django

• Databases: PostgreSQL (14), SQLite

• Tools: Docker, Git, OpenCV, RabbitMQ, Celery, Linux/Unix, SQLAlchemy

• Other: RESTful APIs, Test-Driven Development (TDD), CI/CD, Microservices

Education

B.Sc. Computer Science December 2023 – Present

University of Ilorin, Nigeria