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Denys

Senior Java Developer/ Tech Lead

Summary

Java Tech Lead/Senior Java Engineer with 10+ years of experience in backend development, microservices, and distributed systems. Strong expertise in Java, Spring Boot, Spring Cloud, Hibernate/JPA, Kafka, MongoDB, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Docker, Kubernetes, AWS, and GCP. Experienced in designing and developing microservice-based applications, validating technical requirements, discussing architecture, and defining technical solutions.

Strong e-commerce background, including several years working on large microservices-based retail platforms. Experienced in leading Java development teams, driving architectural improvements, developing new functionality, and collaborating with distributed teams across different time zones. Has also worked closely with DevOps teams on CI/CD processes and created technical documentation and API guides to support knowledge sharing and developer onboarding. Additional experience includes gaming integrations, payment systems, VoIP solutions, REST API development, performance optimization, monitoring, and application modernization. Improved application response time by 30% on one of the projects through performance profiling and optimization.

Strong technical leadership and mentoring skills, with experience guiding junior developers and supporting their professional growth.

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

- Backend: Java, Node.js, Python, Spring Boot, Spring Core, Spring Security, Spring Data, Spring Cloud, Spring MVC, Spring AOP, Spring Social, Spring AMQP, Spring Actuator, Hibernate, JPA, Vaadin, Micronaut, Grails, Groovy, REST, SOAP
- Frontend: ReactJS, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, StompJS, Thymeleaf
- Databases: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Redis, MongoDB, DynamoDB

- Cloud & DevOps: AWS (S3, Lambda, Secret Manager, DynamoDB WorkSpaces, Logs), GCP, Heroku, Docker, Kubernetes, OpenShift, Jenkins, Helm, HashiCorp Vault
- Testing / QA: JUnit, Mockito, JMeter, Cucumber
- Architecture: Microservices, UML, API design, distributed development
- Other: Kafka, Swagger, Kibana, Instana, Grafana, Lenses, Fortanix, Apache Karaf, Dataflow, Pub/Sub, Tomcat, Glassfish, Jetty, Git, SVN, Maven, Gradle, Linux, XML, JSON, Asterisk

Professional Career

Java Tech Lead

September 2021 – Present | Ukraine

Project info:

Microservices-based e-commerce platform for a large retailer, developed by distributed teams across multiple time zones.

Responsibilities:

- Develop new functionality and improve existing functionality
- Validate and discuss requirements
- Participate in architecture discussions and solution design
- Collaborate with remote teams across different time zones to support communication, knowledge sharing, and consistent development
- Collaborate with the DevOps team to establish a streamlined CI/CD pipeline for faster and more reliable releases
- Create technical documentation and API guides to support knowledge transfer and onboarding

Software and technologies:

Java 21, Spring Boot, Spring Cloud, Swagger, JPA, Kafka, Maven, Jenkins, Docker, Kubernetes, Kibana, Instana, Grafana, Lenses, MongoDB

Java Developer / Team Lead

September 2019 – September 2021 | Ukraine

Project info:

Microservices-based e-commerce application for mobile platforms, with responsibility for team leadership, architecture improvements, feature development, and requirements discussions.

Responsibilities:

- Led a team of Java developers
- Improved existing architecture
- Developed new functionality and participated in requirements discussions

- Mentored junior developers in Java best practices, design patterns, and problem-solving techniques

Software and technologies:

Java 11, Node.js, Spring Boot, Spring Cloud, Feign, Eureka, Maven, Gradle, Jenkins, Docker, Kubernetes, Kibana, MySQL, MongoDB, AWS, GCP

Java Developer

July 2018 – September 2019 | Ukraine

Project info:

iGaming integration project focused on gaming integrations, new functionality, and improvement of existing features.

Responsibilities:

- Developed new integrations and new functionality
- Improved existing features
- Improved application response times by 30% through performance profiling, optimization, and fine-tuning of critical code paths

Software and technologies:

Java 8, Spring, Hibernate, Vertex, Maven, Gradle, Jenkins, MySQL, MongoDB, AWS

Java Developer

November 2017 – July 2018 | Ukraine

Project info:

Application development for a VoIP system and other internal company products, including integrations, monitoring, and code quality improvements.

Responsibilities:

- Developed new features and improved existing functionality
- Integrated the VoIP system and other products for internal usage
- Added monitoring to key microservices to help prevent incidents
- Initiated and executed code refactoring to improve code quality, readability, and maintainability

Software and technologies:

Java, Spring Boot, Spring Data, REST, Spring Security, Spring MVC, Thymeleaf, JavaScript, jQuery, PostgreSQL, Asterisk

Java Developer

October 2016 – November 2017 | Ukraine

Project info:

Payment system application and API supporting a company web service and serving both internal teams and external clients.

Responsibilities:

- Developed and supported the payment system application and API
- Developed a RESTful API used by internal teams and external clients

Software and technologies:

Java, Spring, Hibernate, Vaadin, Grails, Groovy, PostgreSQL

Java Developer

May 2015 – October 2016 | Ukraine

Project info:

Freelance development of social and commercial projects.

Responsibilities:

- Developed social and commercial projects using Java and Spring technologies

Software and technologies:

Java, Spring, Hibernate, Maven, JPA, Bootstrap

Education

National Aviation University

Master's Degree in Computer Science

Languages

English: Upper Intermediate

Ukrainian: Native