# Faisal Hakimi

Full Stack Software Engineer

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# **SUMMARY**

Full stack software engineer with 4+ years of professional experience and over 7 years of coding experience. I've built everything from responsive UIs to scalable backend systems—and I thrive in fast-paced environments where building and shipping quickly drives real impact.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

### Software Engineer

Aletha Health — Walnut Creek, CA | Jan 2025 – Present

- Optimized SEO and Core Web Vitals, elevating performance scores from 33 to 88 on mobile and 70 to 100 on desktop.

- Integrated CMS platforms (WordPress ACF, Storyblok, Plasmic) with Shopify GraphQL API and Next.js, streamlining content workflows across marketing and product teams.

- Engineered a dynamic XML sitemap and implemented region-aware hreflang tags to boost global search visibility and indexing.

- Created a design system mapping Figma tokens (with Tokens Studio plugin) to Tailwind CSS config, reducing UI inconsistencies and rework.

- Managed multi-environment CI/CD with GitHub and AWS for dev, UAT, and production deployments with consistent build pipelines.

### Founder & Full Stack Engineer

#### FizzleDev — Concord, CA | Feb 2024 - Present

- FizzleDev is my freelance dev practice focused on improving and building performant web apps and tools for clients, using modern technologies and frameworks.

- Built a Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) system with OpenAI, LangChain, and Supabase for domain-specific document querying through vector search with embeddings and chunking, tailored to industry content.

- Implemented SSO authentication with role-based access control (RBAC) for multi-tenant SaaS applications.

- Leveraged GitHub and Vercel for automated deployments, preview builds, and streamlined staging-to-production flow with Next.js.

- Developed a financial workflow tool for a nonprofit, reducing manual donation and membership management.

#### Lead Full Stack Engineer

Dart Health — San Francisco, CA | Jan 2021 - Feb 2024

- Promoted from intern to lead engineer as the company evolved from CRM to fintech to healthcare compliance. The company, originally called MarketFly, was acquired and rebranded—first to Puzzl, then to Dart Health.

- Built a healthcare compliance chatbot with OpenAI Assistants API, reducing founder support questions by 40%.

- Integrated Stripe Connect for B2B/B2C payments and built invoicing with Adobe PDF Services and the Merge API.

- Shipped a Linear-meets-Slack-style project portal and messaging system with React, TypeScript, and Tailwind CSS.

- Implemented full-stack testing with Jest + Cypress, saving 15–20 hours/week in QA.

- Led development of social media automation tools including post scheduling (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter) and Bannerbear integration.

- Translated Figma wireframes into reusable React components, cutting design-to-dev handoff time by 20%.

# **EDUCATION**

#### **B.S. in Computer Science**

San Francisco State University — Graduated May 2022

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript (ES6+), Node.js, HTML (HTML5), CSS, Sass SCSS, Python, SQL, Java, C programming, C++ , Swift, Ruby

Frameworks & Libraries: React, Redux, Next.js, Express.js, Django, Flask, Tailwind CSS, Bootstrap, Material UI, Radix UI, Cypress, Jest, GSAP, Highcharts, Recharts

Other Tools & Platforms: Amazon Web Services (AWS), Google Cloud Platform (GCP), Nginx, Git, GitHub, Jira, Linear, Docker, Kubernetes, VS Code, Figma, WebSocket, Vercel, LLMs (OpenAI), LangChain, LangGraph, NPM, Yarn, Webpack, Vite, PostgreSQL (Postgres), Supabase, MySQL, MongoDB, Firebase, Firestore

Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, Test-Driven Development (TDD), Single Page Application (SPA) Architecture, A/B Testing, SEO