

# Syed Hussain Imam

Experienced software engineer with a focus on engineering delight through simple solutions to complex problems.

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## Relevant Experience

Senior Software Engineer - Trukkr (Karachi, Pakistan) Jun 2023 - Present

- Led the planning and development of a real-time tracking service from the ground up, a service now at the heart of Trukkr's ecosystem that manages **26 different external tracker integrations**, and processes currently **7 million+ tracking packets per day**.
- Developed a key alert management system for Trukkr, enhancing vehicle monitoring and reducing logistics inefficiencies. This system improved fleet visibility and security, preventing resource theft **worth millions of PKR**, thereby ensuring safer, more efficient transport.
- Spearheaded backend architecture rework that eliminated redundancies in external API calls, this led to a **reduction of response of key APIs by close to 75%** and **brought down server load by 60%**
- Actively mentored junior engineers, providing guidance through **code reviews**, promoting **best practices** in software development, and fostering a **collaborative learning environment**.
- Managed parts of our **AWS** infrastructure for **cloud deployments** (CodeDeploy, EC2, ECS, Textract, RDS, S3)
- Dockerized** the complete **Trukkr microservice ecosystem** and enabled **remote server deployments**, deployed the Trukkr ecosystem on locally managed servers as well.

Software Engineer II - Elphinstone (New York, United States) Jul 2022 - Jun 2023

Software Engineer I Jan 2022 - Jun 2022

Software Engineering Intern Nov 2021 - Jan 2022

- Collaborated cross-functionally with business, design, and product teams to translate **complex requirements** into high-quality, impactful **software solutions**.
- Contributed significantly to **sprint planning**, structuring, and review, ensuring the efficient execution and timely delivery of projects.
- Partnered closely with Technical leads to design and implement robust **CI/CD pipelines**. Utilized **GitHub Actions** for automated deployments and **Docker** for containerizing services
- Managed comprehensive service deployments on **AWS**, using services such as **EC2, ECS, RDS, and CloudWatch**, to enhance system scalability, reliability, and performance.
- Spearheaded key optimizations of the application build, yielding a reduction in **memory usage by approximately 72%**.
- Led the end-to-end planning, implementation, maintenance, and deployment of a **B2C web portal**, fostering seamless collaboration with Product Managers, Designers, and fellow Engineers to ensure product excellence.
- Led the design and implementation of microservices in Golang, integrating seamlessly with various external and internal APIs. Utilized Temporal for **process orchestration**, **adding robust retry mechanisms and enhancing visibility**, which improved system communication and functionality.

## Other Experiences

Open Source Contributor - Mirrorful (YC W23) May 2023 - Jun 2023

Web Development Instructor - Google Developer Student Clubs Sep 2020 - Dec 2020

Project Trainee - Afiniti Jul 2020 - Aug 2020

## Skills

### Programming Languages

Javascript, Typescript, Go, Python, Java, HTML, CSS

### Libraries & Frameworks

Nestjs, React, Tailwind, Bootstrap

### Tools & Platforms

AWS, Temporal, Docker, Vercel, Git, GitHub, WordPress, Webpack, Figma

### Databases

MySQL, MongoDB, Redis, Firebase

## Selected Projects

### AI Stock Portfolio Manager

End to end engine to gather, process stock data, and give short-term stock price predictions for the KSE-100 index.

### AI Customer Support Agent

Transcribe real-time audio into text with a custom model and interact with Open AI chat agents then perform real-time text to speech for the end user

### KomoRebi-Dark

Dark theme for Visual Studio Code

## Education

### Institute of Business Administration

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (2023)

## Interests

Gym, running, lots and lots of reading, and a game from a small indie company called League of Legends