Sunil Poudel

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Summary

Experienced Java Backend Developer and Technical Lead with 6+ years of experience in the FinTech sector. Proficient in building scalable, microservices-based enterprise solutions enterprise solutions such as Payment Aggregator Systems (similar to PayPal Bill Pay), Agency Banking platforms, and SMS VAS Servers (comparable to Twilio Messaging). Specialized in data-intensive applications using Java, Spring Boot Based Microservices, distributed systems, Hibernate, and RESTful APIs, with hands-on expertise in cloud deployments and Agile methodologies. Additional experience with front-end technologies like Angular and DevOps tools such as Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins and observability with ELK + Grafana. Strong understanding of System architecture, design patterns, object-oriented programming, concurrency, and system architecture to develop efficient and maintainable solutions. Effective communicator, collaborating with cross-functional teams across various company verticals.

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: Java, JavaScript, SQL, TypeScript, HTML, CSS Frameworks: Spring, Spring MVC, Spring Boot, Spring Cloud, Java EE, Hibernate, Junit, Angular (basic), EJB, React (Basic) Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Maven, IntelliJ, Postman, Jira, Linux, Logging (Log4j, ELK, Grafana)

Web Services: RESTful Web Services (REST), SOAP, JSON, XML Web & Application Servers: Apache, Tomcat, GlassFish, WildFly

SDLC & Agile Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, Kanban

Cloud and DevOps: AWS (S3, EC2, RDS, Lambda, IAM, SNS, SQS, cloudwatch, API Gateway), Jenkins, Docker,

Kubernetes, Rancher, Harbor, Cloud Services

Data Processing & Machine Learning: Kafka, Apache Spark, Machine Learning

Backend Development: Microservices, Distributed System, Concurrency, Multithreading

Database Technologies: RDBMS, NoSQL, Redis, Elasticsearch, MySQL, PostgreSQL

Other Technologies: RxJS, Cognito, Python, Node.js, Object-Oriented Programming (OOP), SOLID, Design Patterns, API Design & Development, Servlets, JSP, JDBC, RabbitMQ, Transaction Management, Thread Management, Event-driven programming, Concurrent programming, Logging mechanisms (Log4J), Distributed systems, Version Control Systems, Containerization, Linux environments, Bash, DynamoDB, ALB, NLB

Experience

Senior Software Engineer

May 2022 - March 2024

F1soft International Pvt. Ltd

Spring Boot, Microservices, Java EE, Hibernate, JavaScript, MySQL, Redis, Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, Git

- **Developed and maintained** a B2B payment API using Java EE 7, integrating with Settlement and Reconciliation Microservices on Spring Boot.
- **Optimized** transaction processing by implementing multithreading, batch processing, caching, asynchronous processing, connection pool enhancements, query optimization, and indexing, increasing daily transactions by 26% in 6 months, scaling from 400K to over 800K.
- **Led** the migration of a B2B payment aggregator (similar to PayPal Bill Pay) to an Angular-Spring Boot SPA backed by microservices, improving user experience by lightweight response, pagination, caching, error handling, async processing using threads, and reducing load times to under 1 second.
- **Improved** the SMS VAS system (similar to Twilio Messaging) with spring boot microservices to handle more daily requests, growing from under 500K to 1 million in 4 months, while making the service more reliable.
- **Implemented** Ehcache and Redis caching to optimize performance, while enhancing detailed reporting and maintaining 99.9% uptime.
- **Simplified** future development and maintenance by introducing modular architecture, Standardized Vendor API Integration and streamlined workflows with a CI/CD pipeline.
- Implemented security enhancements by leveraging Spring Security, including PKI, MFA.
- **Upgraded** settlement and reconciliation microservice modules from Java 8 to Java 17 and MySQL 5 to 8, enabling feature expansion.
- **Designed** backend and frontend modules for an SMS VAS server which connects telecom servers to third parties using Spring Boot and Angular.

- **Integrated** ELK stack (Elasticsearch, Logstash, Kibana) with Grafana for centralized log monitoring, enabling faster debugging, real-time insights, and improved observability of microservices across environments.
- Automated Kubernetes deployments via Jenkins and Rancher, cutting deployment time to under 10 minutes.
- **Conducted** code reviews to enforce coding standards and collaborated with cross-functional teams to resolve critical issues.

Software engineer March. 2019 – Feb. 2022

ITECH ONE O ONE Pvt. Ltd.

Spring Boot, Java EE, PostgreSQL, AWS (S3, EC2, Route 53, IAM)

- Developed scalable REST APIs for a Merchant Payment Gateway using Java 8, Java EE 8, and PostgreSQL.
- Built secure REST APIs For an **Online Appointment Platform** using **JAX-RS** and implemented authentication using **JWT** and **SSO** with Keycloak(Similar to Amazon Cognito), significantly enhancing system security.
- **Developed** a mobile KYC management system with digital cards, cutting user onboarding time by 80%
- Integrated PayPal and TWEC PG payment gateways for seamless transactions
- Created agent-based mobile banking solutions, boosting agent efficiency by 50% and expanding financial access.
- Contributed to Agile sprints, ensuring timely delivery and reducing project delays.

Data Engineer Trainee

Oct 2017 - Nov 2018

Neparica Technology Pvt. Ltd.

Java, Python, Apache Spark, Hadoop, Solr, Redis

- Developed **Artificial Intelligence (AI)** and **Machine Learning models** for fraud detection using **Apache Spark**, achieving 90% accuracy.
- Processed and analyzed large-scale credit card fraud datasets with **Hadoop** and **Apache Solr** for efficient indexing.
- Designed and optimized scalable data storage with NoSQL technologies like MongoDB and Redis, reducing retrieval time by 30%

Education

Maharishi International University (2024 - 2026),

IOWA USA

Master of Science, Computer Science

Tribhuvan University,

Kathmandu, Nepal

Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics and Communication Engineering

Projects

SMART Wallet

Java, Spring Boot, Kafka, resilience4j, Microservices, MySQL, MongoDB, API gateway, Docker, JavaScript, React, NextJs

- Built a microservices-based Smart Wallet System using Spring Boot, Spring Cloud, and Apache Kafka.
- Developed core services (Wallet, Payment, Notification, Reporting, User) with event-driven communication.
- Implemented API Gateway & Eureka Server for secure routing, service discovery, and load balancing.
- Designed **cross-currency transaction handling** and real-time **notification delivery**.
- Optimized persistence with **Spring Data JPA**, **MySQL/PostgreSQL**, and automated deployment using **Docker**, **Kubernetes**, **Jenkins**.