YUKI SILVA

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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Backend engineer who likes small, well-tested services and clear runbooks.
- Experience across 3 employers, most recently as Senior Backend Engineer at Orchard Commerce.
- Comfortable owning a service end to end: design, build, deploy and on-call.
- Known for clear communication with colleagues and for following work through to the end.

EDUCATION

DePaul University — **Chicago, IL**

BSc Computer Science — *2013*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Orchard Commerce — **Denver, CO**

Senior Backend Engineer — *Jul 2023 – Present*

- Designed the event model for order tracking and reviewed every schema change with the data team.
- Worked with product managers to break large features into weekly releases.
- Mentored two junior engineers through their first production releases.
- Reviewed pull requests daily and kept the team style guide up to date.

Northpoint Labs — **Denver, CO**

Backend Engineer — *Feb 2020 – Jun 2023*

- Wrote the design doc for the new search service and ran the review with three teams.
- Built and maintained REST APIs used by 16 internal teams and two mobile apps.
- Wrote integration tests and contract tests; raised coverage on the core service from 41% to 78%.
- Cut p95 response time on the checkout service from 900 ms to 240 ms by reworking queries and caching.

Orchard Commerce — **Denver, CO**

Backend Developer — *Jan 2016 – Jan 2020*

- Paired with the security team to remove secrets from config and rotate keys automatically.
- Ran on-call for the payments platform and wrote the incident runbooks the team still uses.
- Built a feature-flag system so risky changes could be switched off without a deploy.

PROJECTS

Open-source rate limiter library (side project)

- Planned and delivered it alongside day-to-day work, with a written plan and agreed success measures.
- Shared the results with the wider team and kept the documentation up to date.

Hackathon: real-time bus tracker

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages & tools: Postgressql, Python, Node.js
General: Git, Docker, Linux, REST APIs, CI/CD
Languages: English (Fluent), German (B2)

CERTIFICATIONS

- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner
- Scrum Fundamentals

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Member of a community choir.
- Volunteer at a local food bank twice a month.
- Treasurer of a local sports club, keeping the accounts and membership list.

REFERENCE

Daniel Morales
Head of Operations, Kestrel Cloud

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