RANIA VEGA

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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 Software Engineer at Lumen Health Tech.
- 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

University of Texas at Austin — **Austin, TX**
BSc Computer Science — *2017*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Lumen Health Tech — **London**
Senior Software Engineer — *Mar 2024 – Present*

- Mentored two junior engineers through their first production releases.
- Wrote the design doc for the new search service and ran the review with three teams.
- Built an internal CLI that cut new-engineer setup from a day to an hour.
- Reviewed pull requests daily and kept the team style guide up to date.

Quayside Digital — **London**
Software Engineer — *Aug 2021 – Feb 2024*

- Designed the event model for order tracking and reviewed every schema change with the data team.
- Paired with the security team to remove secrets from config and rotate keys automatically.
- Reduced cloud spend on staging by shutting down idle environments overnight.
- Built and maintained REST APIs used by 34 internal teams and two mobile apps.

Quayside Digital — **London**
Junior Software Engineer — *Mar 2019 – May 2021*

- Built a feature-flag system so risky changes could be switched off without a deploy.
- Ran on-call for the payments platform and wrote the incident runbooks the team still uses.
- Added structured logging and tracing so incidents could be traced across services in minutes.

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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RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

Lessons from data contracts — **2025**

- Short paper shared internally and at a local meetup.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages & tools: Crunchy Data PostgreSQL
General: Git, Docker, Linux, REST APIs, CI/CD
Languages: English (Fluent)

CERTIFICATIONS

- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner
- Scrum Fundamentals

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Organiser of a monthly running club with around 30 members.
- Treasurer of a local sports club, keeping the accounts and membership list.
- Mentor for a school careers programme, helping students with CVs and mock interviews.

REFERENCE

Leila Bauer
HR Director, Harbor Analytics
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