Martin Skovbo Faartoft

Curriculum Vitae

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Profile

Experienced Software Engineer with more than a decade of hands-on experience, architecting, building and operating large-scale, business critical systems.

I'm passionate about finding simple and elegant solutions to difficult problems, and greatly motivated by seeing my work in the hands of users, solving real problems.

I thrive in teams with skilled colleagues, mentoring junior developers, or having technical discussions about how to approach a new feature or elusive bug.

Experience

2023-present Lead Engineer, THE LEGO GROUP.

- Responsible for architecture and delivery quality of 2 teams, supporting LEGO operations with tools and services.
- Tech stack: C# .NET, Kubernetes, Terraform, Entity Framework Core, Docker, MS SQL, Apache Pulsar.
- 2019–2023 Lead Engineer, MAERSK.
 - Building the next generation of cargo execution, using Domain-Driven Design and cloudnative, event-driven microservices.
 - Responsible for solution architecture, quality and velocity of a team of 17 software engineers, using an agile process.
 - Tech stack: C# .NET, Kubernetes, Terraform, Entity Framework Core, Redis, Docker, Azure SQL, Azure Event Hubs, Azure Service Bus, Application Insights, Apache Kafka.
 Awards: Winner of the Global Hackathon 2022, Star Award, 2x Spot Award
- 2017–2019 Software Development Engineer II, MICROSOFT.

2015–2017 Software Development Engineer, MICROSOFT.

- Full-stack developer on 'Microsoft Social Engagement', using Java, Azure, Kubernetes, ElasticSearch, ReactJS, TypeScript, Python, SQL, Linux, Git, Ansible, Puppet and more.
 Conducting technical interviews
- 2012–2015 **Software Developer**, HAIRTOOLS APS.
 - Full-stack development on the .NET platform: MSSQL, WCF, ASP.NET MVC, AngularJS, jQuery and CSS (LESS)
- 2011–2012 Software Developer, SIMCORP A/S.
 - Extending and maintaining 'SimCorp Dimension' using C# and APL

- 2007–2010 Software Developer, CBRAIN A/S.
 - Design, development and maintenance of solutions on the .NET platform, servicing the Danish central administration.
 - Project administration, including direct customer contact

Education

- 2013–2015 M.Sc. Software Engineering, IT University of Copenhagen, GPA: 12.0 (12-scale).
- 2004–2008 **B.Sc. IT Engineering**, Engineering College of Copenhagen (IHK), GPA: 11.5 (12-scale).
- 1999-2002 Mathematical undergraduate, Rysensteen Gymnasium, GPA: 10.6 (13-scale).

Languages

Danish Mothertongue

English Fluent

Swedish Intermediate

About me

I'm a father of two, married and living in Copenhagen. In my free time, I enjoy boardgames, video games and reading. I discovered distance running some years back and I'm currently training for my 7th half marathon.

Academic level