AHMED BARAKE
SOLUTIONS ARCHITECT / FULL STACK DEVELOPER

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ABOUT ME

Tech head by day, tinkerer by night, I am an AWS solutions Architect / Practitioner, and fullstack web developer with a passion for cybersecurity, I am also experienced in Marketing, IT and Coffee Brewing. In other news, I often tinker with game development, writing, designing, music, and all things Linux.

EXPERIENCE

Technical Platform Coordinator
Anera | Beirut Lebanon | 2024 - Present

Joined Anera as a technical platform coordinator in charge of leading and maintaining a volunteering platform

Senior Cloud Architect
Digico Solutions | Beirut Lebanon | 2024 - 2024

Joined Digico Solutions as a Senior Cloud Architect working on AWS Services

Head of Technology
Marefa Digital DMCC | Dubai UAE | 2017 - 2023

I've been with Marefa Digital since its conception in 2017, some of my key achievements are establishing the Technology department in charge of building and maintaining various B2B and B2C applications for govement and semi goverment organizations as well as internal use.

Strategic Technology Leadership: Responsible for setting the strategic direction of the company's technology development, aligning it with the organization's overall business objectives, and ensuring that technological resources meet the company's short and long-term needs.

Team Management & Front End Development: Overseeing a team of developers and other technical staff, providing guidance, mentorship, and performance evaluations, while fostering an environment of continuous learning and innovation. Also led development on the front end UI of the application while adhereing to the developed UI/UX file in ReactJS and NextJS as well as Tailwindcss and TailwindUI.

AWS Infrastructure Management: Ensuring the effective utilization, scalability, security, and cost-efficiency of the company's AWS infrastructure. This includes overseeing the design, setup, and maintenance of servers, storage, and related cloud services.

DevOps: Implementing and managing DevOps practices, such as CI/CD pipelines, to improve the efficiency and reliability of software delivery. This also includes promoting a collaborative culture between development and operations teams.

Risk Management & Compliance: Identifying and mitigating technology-related risks, ensuring compliance with industry regulations and standards, and implementing cybersecurity best practices to protect the organization's information assets.

LINKS & SOCIALS

Github
github.com/AhmadBarake

LinkedIn
linkedin.com/in/maxmnml/

Instagram
@iammaxminimal

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Cloud Practitioner
Issued by Amazon Web Services
Jun 2021 / Jun 2024

Certified Solutions Architect
Issued by Amazon Web Services
Mar 2022 / Mar 2025

Terraform Associate
Issued by HashiCorp
Mar 2024 / Mar 2026

SKILLS

- AWS INFRASTRUCTURE
- IAC WITH TERRAFORM AND CDK
- FULL-STACK DEVELOPMENT
- TEAM MANAGEMENT
- AGILE PROJECT MANAGEMENT
- STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT
- STAKEHOLDER MANAGEMENT

EXPERTISE

- REACT JS / NEXT JS
- MONGODB / MYSQL
- NODEJS / SERVERLESS
- CMS DEVELOPMENT / MANAGEMENT
- PYTHON / PHP
- OFFICE SUITE
- HTML / CSS / TAILWIND / BOOTSTRAP
- LINUX ADMINISTRATION
- XD / FIGMA
- UNITY / UNREAL ENGINE
- ARTICULATE 360 / AUDITION
- ADOBE SUITE

INTERESTS

- MUSIC PRODUCTION
- RECORDING
- AUDIO   PRODUCTION
- LYRICISM
- WRITING
- GYM
- BOXING
- VIDEO EDITING
- ANIMATION
- GAME DESIGN
- GAME DEVELOPMENT
- BAR TENDING

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request

REFERENCES

English

Near Native / Fluent

Arabic

Native / Fluent

EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

Senior Architect - contractor
Komment AI | Munich Germany
2023 / 2023

Senior Developer - contractor
PATRIOT P.I.G. | Ontario Canada
2023 / 2023

Creative Director
Technogait | Beirut Lebanon
2016 / 2017

IT Manager
Joy | Riyadh Saudi Arabia
2012 / 2016

PERSONAL PROJECTS

LLM Assisted Terraform Templating SaaS Application

InfraGen-DS - NEXT JS / AWS LAMBDA / SAGEMAKER / CODELLAMA / NEXT AUTH

A fullstack SaaS application built with NextJS, and Serverless AWS Architecture for application logic complete with an integrated LLM Model (CodeLLama on AWS SageMaker) allowing users to intuitively create terraform templates for AWS deployments.

Boilerplat SaaS Application

Arclight - NEXT JS / CLERK / PRISMA / MONGODB / TAILWIND CSS

A fullstack SaaS solution intended to be used to bootstrap SaaS application development written in NextJS. Authentication using Clerk, DB using Prisma(mongoDB) and Styling using Tailwindcss.

AI SaaS Application

Sage AI - NEXT JS / TAILWIND CSS / AWS LAMBDA / EC2 / API GATEWAY / RDS

Sage AI is an AI SaaS solution where you create custom Sages (AI assistants) based on the context and seed conversations you define. for example, a sales AI, a marketing AI, a dev AI.

BADGES / ACCREDITATIONS

AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner
Amazon Web Services Training and Certification

AWS Certified Solutions Architect – Associate
Amazon Web Services Training and Certification

AWS Partner: Accreditation (Technical)
Amazon Web Services Training and Certification

AWS Partner: Cloud Economics Accreditation
Amazon Web Services Training and Certification

AWS Partner: Sales Accreditation (Business)
Amazon Web Services Training and Certification

HashiCorp Certified: Terraform Associate (003)
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