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EDUCATION

University of Makati

2023 - August 2027 (expected)

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Major in Application Development

TECHNICAL SKILLS AND CERTIFICATION

Languages: Java, SQL, Python, TypeScript

Backend: Spring Boot, Spring Security, REST APIs, JWT, JPA/Hibernate, MySQL

Cloud and Tools: AWS (EC2, RDS, S3, Lambda, VPC, WAF), Azure VMs, Docker, Git, k6

Additional: React Native, Expo, React, Google ML Kit, Gemini API, XGBoost

AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner

Issued Feb 2025 | Expires Feb 2028

SELECTED PROJECTS

BuzzSave | Personal Finance Platform

Thesis Project

1st Runner-Up (2026); 2nd Runner-Up (2025) | UMaK Infotechnolympics

- Built secure **Java 21/Spring Boot** REST APIs for expenses, budgets, and portfolios using MySQL.
- Protected budget updates with database transactions, idempotent requests, and stale-data validation.
- Implemented on-device receipt OCR and offline expense queues with automatic REST synchronization after connectivity returns.
- Hosted Python expense-classification models on **Azure Virtual Machines**.
- Deployed Spring Boot APIs on **AWS EC2**, with MySQL persistence in RDS and file storage in S3.
- Created a multi-stage **Docker** build for the Java 21/Spring Boot backend.

S-Space Hub | Dormitel Management Platform

Client Project

- Built a Java 17/Spring Boot backend with JWT authentication and MySQL for a commercial dormitel client.
- Deployed the backend on **AWS EC2** with Amazon **RDS/MySQL** persistence and **S3** object storage.
- Integrated Gemini maintenance-ticket processing and load-tested tenant and administrator API workflows using k6.

GroceReel | AI Recipe and Grocery Discovery

Frontend Developer

Top 15 NCR Regional Qualifier | *DICT Philippine Startup Challenge XI, 2026*

Selected from 108 startup entries, representing the University of Makati.

- Developed a TypeScript/React Native frontend prototype for AI-assisted recipe discovery with Expo Router navigation and shared application state.
- Implemented portion scaling, ingredient-swap cost calculations, pantry-aware shopping lists, and AsyncStorage persistence with validated state restoration.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Stefanini North America and APAC

August 2024 - September 2025

IT Support Specialist L2 / Subject Matter Expert

July 2025 - September 2025

- Automated ticket documentation and support notifications using Power Automate and API integrations with human review.
- Managed Active Directory, Microsoft Entra ID, and Microsoft 365 access while investigating DNS, TCP/IP, and server incidents.

IT Support Specialist L1

August 2024 - July 2025

- Supported Windows, macOS, Microsoft 365, and network services in an enterprise environment serving 11,000+ global users.
- Managed Exchange Online permissions, distribution groups, and mail-flow rules, documenting recurring fixes in Cherwell.