CHRISTIAN JOHNSON

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SUMMARY

Junior software developer skilled in Java, Spring Boot, SQL, and React Native. Built full-stack web apps and launched a time-tracking app on iOS. Focused on solving real-world problems with clean, scalable code.

SKILLS

Java, JavaScript, SQL, HTML, CSS, Spring Boot, React, React Native, Node.js, JDBC, Git, GitHub, RESTful APIs, OOP, Expo, Cursor (AI Pair Programming), ChatGPT

EXPERIENCE

Full-Stack Developer (Freelance)
Self-employed   November 2024 - Present, Weaverville, NC

· Developed and tested a full-stack messaging API with Java, Spring Boot, JDBC, and PostgreSQL, supporting CRUD operations for user messages with 10+ endpoints and 90%+ unit test coverage.
· Implemented input validation, error handling, and response standardization to ensure reliable behavior across all API endpoints.
· Launched Time Catcher on iOS, built with React Native and Expo; achieved 15+ downloads and 5-star rating in first week with single-tap time logging and weekly hour tracking.

Technical Trainee
Revature   February 2025 - May 2025, Remote

· Completed intensive training in Java, JDBC, SQL, RESTful APIs, Git, and Agile methodologies, preparing for enterprise-level development roles.
· Solved 200+ algorithm challenges and coding problems across Java and SQL to build problem-solving efficiency and familiarity with technical interviews.
· Built 2 Java-based back-end projects using JDBC, PostgreSQL, and REST principles with layered architecture.

Mycologist
MycoCulture   October 2021 - August 2023, Weaverville, North Carolina, United States

· Managed gourmet mushroom production ensuring quality and cleanliness.
· Established and maintained partnerships with local restaurants and 3 farmers markets, generating consistent sales.
· Tracked inventory, managed orders, and coordinated deliveries to ensure product freshness and timely fulfillment.
· Implemented new growing techniques (e.g., substrate sterilization and humidity automation) that increased yield by ~15% and reduced contamination.

QA/QC Analyst
FedUp Foods   October 2017 - September 2021, Marshall, North Carolina, United States

· Performed testing and quality control using approved laboratory procedures and instrumentation.
· Operated basic laboratory equipment such as balances, pH meter, colorimeter, spectrophotometer, autoclave and evaporator.
· Maintained documentation on tests performed in lab.

Assistant Audio Engineer
Orb Recording Studio   September 2015 - September 2016, Austin, TX

· Assisted in mixing and mastering processes, enhancing final track quality for client satisfaction.
· Contributed to creative sessions by providing input on sound design, arrangement, and effects across multiple genres.
· Diagnosed and resolved technical issues with mics, interfaces, and DAWs, reducing session downtime by ~30%.
· Maintained accurate records of session details, enabling efficient future editing and mixing processes.

PROJECT

Time Catcher 2.0

Freelance · apps.apple.com/us/app/time-catcher-2-0/id6746622536 · May 2025 – June 2025

· Built and launched a minimalist iOS time-tracking app using React Native, Expo, and JavaScript.

· Published to the App Store with 5-star reviews and 15+ downloads in the first week.

· Designed for single-tap clock-in/out functionality, automatically resets hours weekly.

· Developed all features and handled App Store submission process.

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science: Recording Arts Technology/Technician

Full Sail University · Winter Park, FL · 2015

CERTIFICATIONS

Full Stack Engineer

Codecademy · 2024

· Completed hands-on training in JavaScript, React, Node.js, and SQL through project-based modules. Gained practical experience building full-stack applications, applying front-end and back-end development principles used in real-world software engineering roles.