

# CONTACT

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# **SKILLS**

- Natural debugger, Problem-Solving, what-if attitude.
- Curious & Fast self-learner.
- DevOps, Cloud Infrastructure
- Backend & Scripting
- Frontend Development

# **EDUCATION**

• Lev Academic Center

Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.), Electrical, Electronics and Communications Engineering.

Completed in 2006

# **WHAT ELSE**

- Musician and producer of various musical genres.
   (Check me out <u>here</u> & <u>there</u>)
- · Audio & Video Editing.
- Graphic & Vector Design.

# **David Avikasis**

# Ultra Full-Stack Development

# THE GIST

A Fullstack developer with 12 years of expertise in the web development field, I am well-versed in all aspects of the industry, including infrastructure, backend and frontend development.

Javascript • Typescript • Python • Node.js • React • Angular • Cloud Infrastructure

### WORK EXPERIENCE

2023-2024

# Senior DevOps & Fullstack Developer

#### Cognishape

- Actively collaborating in the development of python serverless cloud functions on GCP supporting complex chat bot workflows and integration of various natural language processing methods.
- Playing a significant role in the ongoing development of a React Native app, adding features, fixing major issues, upgrading deps and leaded major refactors to improve scalability performance and security.
- Utilized OpenAI API for NLU & NLG (Natural Language Understanding/Generation)
   Development, Advanced Prompting, Fine tuning and more.
- Taking the initiative to integrate numerous development and project management
  practices from the ground up, including the establishment of a monorepo, crafting
  CI/CD scripts and workflows, implementing testing automation, and introducing vital
  security measures, among others.

2021 - 2023

#### **Senior Frontend Developer**

#### Synamedia

- Developed the entire UI for Synamedia EverGuard, management Interface for a content protection system, using **Angular**.
- I've built various charts using AMCharts.
- Worked with the backend team to define API schema and implementation decisions.
- I've been involved in UX/Design and architectural decisions as well.

2018 – 2020

#### Senior DevOps & Fullstack Developer

#### Headstream

- I've written a complete suite of cloud **Infrastructure as Code** using CDK (in Python & JS).
- Developed Python scripts for data harvesting, streaming, aggregating, analysis & ML, which were operated using AWS ECS & Fargate, AWS Kinesis Data Firehose.
- Handled our Data and Search using AWS RDS/MySQL, S3 + Athena, ElasticSearch, and Redis.
- Developed the user interface with React, backed by a GraphQL API deployed as a serverless architecture using AWS API Gateway & Lambda, Cognito, AWS Amplify and more.
- I've developed orchestration, scheduling, and monitoring scripts with AWS Lambda,
   CloudWatch and more.

2014 - 2019

# Fullstack Developer & Team Lead

#### Samanage (Solarwinds ITSM)

- Co-Developed Standalone & Salesforce Web Applications.
- As a mentor and later a Team Lead I've helped many fellow developers to grow and evolve, by supporting (yet not suppressing) their self-learning journey.
- Developed both Backend (Ruby on Rails) and Frontend (RoR, React and React Native mobile app).
- I've also been a part of architecture decisions, and DevOps tasks.
- I've helped recruiting new developers to the team.

2013 – 2014

#### Co-Founder, DevOps & Backend Developer

#### Sponger

- Developed a robust, scalable infrastructure along with automated CI/CD flows.
- Developed the entire backend using Ruby on Rails, Redis and MongoDB.
- Built an Anti-Fraud Mechanism, a Monitoring System and more.
- Business and Product planning.
- UX and vector graphics design.

2012 – 2013

#### **DevOps & Backend Developer**

#### Fiverr

- I had the pleasure of being one of the early developers of this great platform.
- My team has developed a **rapid scaling infrastructure** supporting **millions** of active users.
- Hot troubleshooting system issues and downtimes.
- Handled fraud and cyber attacks.
- Developed backend (Ruby on Rails) features and micro-services.
- · Helped getting other developers up to speed.