


# JACOB BENAIM

## SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

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Innovative and results-driven Software Engineer with a proven track record of raising substantial funding from 500 Global, a highly recognized startup accelerator. Proficient in building software solutions using a versatile tech stack including Next.js, FastAPI, Django, Docker, Vercel, and Firebase. With a strong focus on problem-solving and delivering impactful results, I am committed to leveraging my expertise to create solutions that drive organizational growth.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- Senior Software Developer**  
Finni Health (YC W23)  
Aug 2023 - May 2024
  - Designed and implemented various features and integrations from initial discovery to final deployment using React, Express.js, and Firebase
  - Collaborated closely with stakeholders, cross-functional team members, and users to drive seamless operations and deliver exceptional service
  - Implemented robust CI/CD pipelines, enhancing code quality and accelerating deployment cycles
- Co-Founder & CTO**  
Renotag  
Sep 2021 - Present
  - Developed a full-stack solution with Next.js, Firebase, Elasticsearch, and FastAPI, achieving lightning-fast renovation calculations and scalable to support hundreds of thousands of products
  - Conducted regular code reviews and mentoring sessions, fostering a culture of continuous improvement and professional development
  - Drove data-driven decision-making through the integration of advanced analytics and monitoring tools, improving product performance and user experience
- Senior Developer**  
Blanc  
Nov 2021 - May 2022
  - Engineered a robust API with FastAPI, optimizing interactions with advanced translation ML models and Python pipelines
  - Containerized various projects in React, Django, Flask, and FastAPI, ensuring seamless deployment and scalability using Docker and Kubernetes
  - Developed multiple Telegram chatbots using AWS and Azure text-to-speech translation services, enhancing global communication for multilingual teams
- Python Developer**  
Canada Tax Reviews  
Jul 2021 - Oct 2021
  - Developed multiple internal tools using Django to manage customers across various departments
  - Streamlined operations and reduced manual tasks by integrating HubSpot, EsignGenie, Five9, and RingCentral, optimizing workflows for enhanced efficiency
  - Designed and developed customized automation systems catering to a diverse user base of over 300,000, significantly boosting operational efficiency
- Frontend Web Dev**  
Rentsync  
Sep 2020 - Jul 2021
  - Successfully migrated components from PHP to Vue.js to build a reusable component library
  - Implemented UI Kit CSS Framework for enhanced design consistency
  - Facilitated onboarding and training for new staff members

## EDUCATION

Software Engineering Immersive  
Bitmaker/General Assembly  
2019 - 2019

## SKILLS

- Typescript
- Python
- Next.js
- React
- Vue.js
- Django
- FastAPI
- Firebase
- PostgreSQL
- Elastic Search
- Docker
- Jest
- Cypress
- Hubspot
- Stripe