

## AKBER ALI

Sr. Manager Software Engineering

### PROFILE

A confident, passionate, and experienced IT professional who creates strategic alliances with organization leaders to effectively align and support key business initiatives. High-energy leader with strong customer-focus and demonstrated ability to deliver results.

### STRENGTH

Customer first mind set  
Decision Making  
Communication  
Technical knowledge  
Time management

### TECHNOLOGY STACK

Microsoft Technologies → Web Servers, Function Apps, SQL Server, Service bus, Event Driven, Azure DevOps and Azure Portal

### DOMAIN KNOWLEDGE

Credit Card, Commercial Banking Brokerage, Retailers Merchant Underwriting, and Insurance

### CONTACT

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### HOBBIES

BBQ and serving food  
Watching TV  
Helping refugees

### EDUCATION

1. Maharishi University, US (MS Computer Science)
2. Quaid-e-Azam University, Islamabad Pakistan (Computer Science)
3. Peshawar University, Peshawar Pakistan (Computer Science)

### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Genesis Financial - Sr. Manager Software Engineering Jul 2021– present

**Industry:** Credit Card and Retailer Merchant Cards

Joined the company when a high profile, multi-million dollars project was heading into the red zone. I worked tirelessly with a well thought out prioritized plan and delivered the project.

1. Accountable for recruitment, resource allocation, and project management
2. Member of the IT Senior Management team approving all major projects, architectural requests
3. Enforcing application architecture and code quality standards
4. Supervising on-shore and off-shore software engineers
5. Release management and Branching Strategy
6. 1-on-1 and other HR activities
7. Agile methodologies Leading sprint refinement sessions
8. Updating the office of PMO on weekly basis for projects capitalization
9. When needed I write quality code

#### Achievements:

1. Earned recognition from senior leadership with rewards
2. Stream lined working hours for off shore team – a big challenge
3. Worked with DevOps engineers to convert CI/CD from Team City and Octopus to ADO
4. Developed a new coding standards framework. This new coding standard framework was approved by CIO and all other Managers

#### Bankers Trust Co. Tech Lead/Software Architect/DevOps Engineer Jul 2016 – July 2021

**Industry:** General Banking and Wealth Management

1. Successfully rolled out TFS to Git implementation
2. Introduced new DevOps practices
3. Solely developed new windows service-based solution for ACH file processing
4. Lead sprint refinement sessions
5. Software development and architecture
6. lead efforts to upgrade applications and deploy to new windows servers
7. Mentoring team members

#### Intl FC Stone - West Des Moines, Iowa - Sr. Software Engineer Apr 2015 – Jun 2016

**Industry:** Brokerage, Precious Metal Trading

As a Sr. Software Engineer, I participated in efforts to complete a new Client On-Boarding System. This was a public facing web application. I developed a major portion of the application.

**Athene – West Des Moines, Iowa - Sr. Software Engineer**

Apr 2014 – Apr 2015

**Industry:** Annuity, Insurance, and Wealth Management

Worked as Sr. software engineer for the maintenance of an online multi-threaded Trading System developed in C# and jQuery.

**Maharishi University – Fairfield Iowa Data/MIS Manager**

Mar 2010 – Mar 2014

**Industry:** Education

1. Customizing Education Management Information System
2. Web Site management
3. Teaching computer science courses to high school and undergrad student

**International Species Information System, Eagan MN - Sr. Software Engineer**

Mar 2008 –Mar 2010

**Industry:** Global Wildlife Knowledge Sharing

1. Participated in software development efforts
2. Developed core library of components to be consumed in other distributed application
3. Worked with offshore developers

**From 1993 – 2006**

Worked in Pakistan in United Nations, and Banking Industry

**Soft Skills**

Communication and Presentations, Encouragement and Recognition, Prioritization, Training, Software Architecture, Design Patterns, Agile, Mid-Year and Annual Reviews, HR and Vendor coordination

**Technical Skill**

Visual Studio, C#, MVC, SQL Server (Development), Windows Services, RESTful APIs, SSRS Reports, UI/UX, Visio, UML, Git and GitHub, MS TFS, DevOps (Team City, Octopus, ADO), .Net, .Net Core, Azure Portal, Application Insights, and much more

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