

# Fatih Karaca

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Software developer currently studying at Hive Helsinki. Experienced with Java, Spring Boot, REST APIs, Docker, and modern backend development workflows. Strong problem-solving, collaboration, and adaptability skills backed by previous leadership experience.

## Projects

### MeowMatch — Tinder-style Cat Matching API

Java, Spring Boot, MongoDB, Docker

- Architected a RESTful API for profile management and real-time matching logic.
- Containerized the application using Docker for consistent deployment.

### Library Management System

Java, Kotlin, React, TypeScript

- Developed a full-stack system featuring role-based access control (RBAC) and automated inventory tracking.

## Work Experience

### Intern — Aistico Oy

November 2024

- Assisted in setting up a development environment for an embedded C project on macOS.
- Contributed user interface improvements for internal software tools.
- Worked in a professional software development environment while improving technical communication and problem-solving skills.

### Java Backend Developer — Aura GmbH

2022

- Developed ERP backend modules using Java and Spring Boot.
- Improved maintainability and scalability of backend services.
- Collaborated on backend architecture and API development.

### Police Intendant, Turkish National Police Department

Jun 2014 - Nov 2019

- Developed leadership and operational skills, managing teams and critical decision-making in dynamic environments.

## Educational Background

### Hive Helsinki

Peer-to-peer Software Engineering Program

Mar 2026 – Present

- Intensive focus on Go, low-level programming, algorithms, Unix systems, and collaborative development.

### Bachelor's Degree

International Police Academy- Turkiye

Aug 2010 - Jun 2014

- Faculty of Security Science

## Technical Skills

### Programming Languages

- Primary: Java(primary), Go , JavaScript (ES6+), Scala

### Backend & Frameworks

- Frameworks: Spring Boot, Node.js (Express/NestJS)

### Architecture

- RESTful APIs, Microservices, and Event-Driven Design.

### Tools & Infrastructure

- Docker and Git (GitHub/GitLab) , CI/CD pipelines.

### Data & Messaging

- Apache Kafka and SQL/NoSQL databases.

## Certifications & Spoken Languages

- Certifications: Advanced Web Development, Data Engineering, Scala, Python, and Cloud Technologies.
- Spoken Languages: English (Professional) , Finnish (A2) , and Turkish (Native).