

ROJO JACOB

Associate Team Lead | iOS Developer | 4+ Years Experience

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

iOS Developer with over 4 years of hands-on experience building and delivering high-quality mobile applications. specializing in Swift, SwiftUI, UIKit, and high-performance native app architecture (MVVM/MVC). Proven Associate Team Lead successfully managing development teams, project timelines, and quality assurance. Successfully launched 10+ applications on the App Store, including #1 ranked e-commerce and F&B platforms in India, UAE, Kuwait, Qatar etc. Expertise includes advanced micro-interactions, Core Animation, Haptics, WebSocket integration, and CarPlay support. Recognized with the Star Performer Award in 2025.

CORE TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **iOS Ecosystem:** Swift, SwiftUI, UIKit, Combine, CoreData, Core Animation, XCTest, Xcode, Cocoa Touch, SDK, Packages, Localization, Haptics, Accessibility.
- **Architecture:** MVVM, Clean Architecture (VIPER/Coordinator), MVC, SOLID Principles, Dependency Injection.
- **Networking & DB:** RESTful APIs, GraphQL, Alamofire, URLSession, WebSocket, JSON, CoreData, SQLite, Firebase, Push Notifications, Live activity, Widgets.
- **Tools & Processes:** Git, GitHub, Postman, Jira, Confluence, Figma, Agile/Scrum, CI/CD Pipeline, App Store Connect, TestFlight.
- **Advanced:** CarPlay, Voice-to-Voice AI Chat, Micro-Interactions, Performance Optimization, UI/UX Design Principles.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Team Lead & Senior iOS Developer

Webandcrafts | 2023 – Present

- **Team Leadership & Management:** Steered a team of 10+ iOS developers, providing crucial technical mentorship, performing rigorous Code Reviews, and assigning tasks to maintain high ROI and smooth project delivery.

- **Quality Assurance & UX:** Provided critical design feedback to correct UI/UX design flaws in wireframes, enforcing high standards for visual consistency, micro-interactions, and accessibility before development.
- **Project Delivery & Estimation:** Authored comprehensive project Time Estimations and technical specifications, ensuring on-time delivery.
- **Core Development:** Developed advanced native features using Swift UI and UI Kit, focusing on seamless animations, custom transitions, haptic feedback, and high-fidelity user experiences.

Key Projects & Impact:

- **Caribou Coffee Kuwait:** Developed and optimized the high-volume Food & Beverage ordering application, integrating features like real-time order tracking, secure payments, loyalty and location services. Achieved and maintained #1 ranking in the Food & Drink category in Kuwait.
- **Caribou AI (Advanced AI Support):** Spearheaded the development of a cutting-edge, low-latency AI food ordering assistant utilizing WebSocket's for live Voice-to-Voice and Text-to-Text chat, with integrated Car Play support for safe, hands-free ordering.
- **LuLu GCC & India (E-commerce):** Enhanced and scaled the primary e-commerce application for millions of users across the GCC and India, focusing on performance, product personalization, and a seamless multi-language/geo-location checkout flow.
- **Jumbo Souq Qatar (E-commerce):** Delivered the e-commerce platform featuring complex product catalog management, secure payment gateways, and time-sensitive delivery options (e.g., Express Delivery). Additionally, integrated a Flutter module alongside the native iOS codebase to enable real-time live location tracking of delivery agents.
- **Social Cash UAE (Influencer Platform):** Built the iOS application for the influencer monetization platform, managing user profiles, campaign tracking, and secured payout processing.
- **Other Notable Projects:** Yalla Toys, Yalla Moms, Joy-alukkas, Radio mango, Oloppo, B-Fab, etc.

iOS Developer (Associate)

Federal Bank | 2023

- Contributed to the Fed Mobile Banking Application (1M+ downloads), enhancing core functionalities and integrating new credit card features, adhering strictly to fintech security protocols.
- Developed Pulse, the internal HRMS application, streamlining employee profile management, work progress tracking, and internal communication workflows.

Junior iOS Developer

QBurst Technologies | 2022–2023

- Gained foundational expertise in Swift, UI Kit, Git, and Agile/Scrum methodologies while working on internal digitalization projects like Q-Space (HRMS).

AWARDS & EDUCATION

Award:

- **Star Performer Award, 2025** - Webandcrafts (Acknowledged for exceptional performance, leadership, and project success).

Education:

- **B-Tech in Electronics & Communication Engineering:**
Federal Institute of Science and Technology (FISAT), Angamaly
2018 – 2022
- **Schooling:**
Al-Khozama International Indian School, Dammam, Saudi Arabia

LANGUAGES

- English (Fluent) | Malayalam (Fluent) | Hindi (Basic) | Tamil (Basic)

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