

# Maya Lindqvist

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Backend engineer with 4 years of experience building payment and data services in Python. I like owning services end-to-end — from schema design to 3 a.m. alerts — and helping junior engineers level up.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Backend Engineer

#### Brightpay (fintech)

2022 — Present

- Led migration of the settlement service to an event-driven architecture, cutting end-of-day processing latency by 40%
- Own PostgreSQL schema design and query optimization for a ledger handling ~€2M in daily volume
- Mentor two junior engineers through pairing and structured code review
- Run on-call rotation for three production services; drove incident response time from 45 to under 15 minutes

### Junior Software Developer

#### Datawell

2020 — 2022

- Built internal ETL pipelines in Python processing 10M+ records nightly
- Introduced pytest suite and CI checks, raising coverage from 20% to 75%
- Deployed services on AWS with Docker; wrote the team's first runbooks

## EDUCATION

### B.Sc. Computer Science

#### Aalto University

2016 — 2020

Thesis: latency trade-offs in event-sourced systems

## SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, SQL, Go (basic)

**Infrastructure:** AWS, Docker, PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka

**Practices:** Event-driven design, CI/CD, code review, mentoring, on-call ownership