Javier Montoya

QA Automation Engineer | QA Analyst

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

QA automation engineer with five years testing SaaS web apps and REST APIs. Builds maintainable Cypress and REST Assured suites, wires them into Jenkins and GitHub Actions, and works with developers to make features testable before code is written. Comfortable owning release sign-off for a product area.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

QA Automation Engineer

Feb 2023 — Present

Brazos Field Software · Austin, TX

- Replaced a brittle Selenium suite with 310 Cypress tests using page objects and API-seeded data, cutting nightly regression time from about four hours to 35 minutes.
- Built a REST Assured contract test layer for 60 endpoints that blocks merges when response schemas change without a version bump.
- Introduced risk-based test planning in sprint refinement, so the riskiest stories got test scenarios before development started instead of during release week.
- Ran JMeter load tests ahead of a large customer onboarding, finding a connection-pool limit that would have caused timeouts at expected peak traffic.

QA Analyst

Jun 2021 — Jan 2023

Mesquite Health Portal · San Antonio, TX

- Executed functional and regression testing for a patient portal, including role-based access checks for patients, caregivers and clinic staff.
- Wrote SQL queries to verify data written by appointment and billing workflows, catching two mapping errors that front-end checks could not see.
- Automated 90 high-value regression cases in Selenium and Java, freeing roughly two days of manual testing from every release cycle.

EDUCATION

BS, Information Systems — Hill Country State University **2021**

SKILLS

Technical: Cypress, Selenium WebDriver, REST Assured, Java, JavaScript, Postman, JMeter, SQL, Jenkins, GitHub Actions, Docker, Jira, Test strategy, Risk-based testing

Certifications: ISTQB Certified Tester Foundation Level (CTFL) · ISTQB Advanced Level Test Automation Engineering