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EXPERIENCE

System Engineering Intern

D.E. Shaw India Private Limited

🛗 May 2024 - June 2024

Hyderabad

- Developed a custom **network infrastructure visualization tool** with **real-time monitoring** and **troubleshooting** capabilities.
- Implemented **network state logging** capabilities to aggregate and securely store data on **ElasticSearch**.
- Performed **load testing** on the server and optimizations on the frontend, resulting in a **30% reduction** in page load times.

Full Stack Developer Intern

whatthebeat.com

🛗 May 2023 - April 2024 🛛 🛛 🕈 Remote

- Designed and developed the WhatTheBeat platform from scratch.
- Implemented **automated processes** for daily content updates to analyze and add the latest songs promptly.
- Designed scheduled jobs for automatic meaning generation and indexing of new songs, boosting content freshness and discoverability.
- Successfully scaled the application to support over 300,000 monthly active users, ensuring high performance with low infrastructural cost.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- The **Best Web App** category winner of the Code With Harnoor hackathon, organized by Singh In USA.
- The **Best Web App** category winner of the Winter Projects organized by GDSC and AASF, IIITM Gwalior.
- Secured **2nd position** in OpenCode'21, one of the biggest opensource events organized by GeekHaven, IIITA.
- Secured **4th place** out of 750+ teams in Hacksquad, an open-source event.
- Placed among **Top 10** teams in OutOfContext'21, 36 hours design hackathon organized by Effervescence, IIITA.

EVENTS CONDUCTED

- Conducted a comprehensive 5-day workshop for freshmen, focusing on the fundamentals of **Backend Development**.
- Ran a **Git/Github workshop** for my college freshmen to teach them how to utilize **version control systems** effectively.

SKILLS

- Languages: Python, Javascript, Typescript
- Frameworks & Libraries: ReactJS, Next.js, Redux, NodeJS, ExpressJS
- Database Systems: MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL
- Tools & Technologies: Git, Docker, Figma

EDUCATION

Integrated B.Tech and M.Tech in Information Technology

ABV-IIITM, Gwalior

Expected 2025 8.09 CGPA

Senior Secondary (XII), Science Little Kingdom School, Jabalpur

☆ May 2019 91.6%

Secondary (X) Little Kingdom School, Jabalpur

PROJECTS

TWS - Self-Hosted Home Server

- Built a **home-server** with locally sourced hardware (AMD Ryzen 3 3200g, 16GB RAM, NVME, and HDDs).
- Deployed various self-hosted services like Nextcloud, Immich, backup/sync solutions, monitoring, etc.
- Configured VPN, Nginx reverse proxy, Cloudflare DNS, and Let's Encrypt.
- Tech stack: Ubuntu Server, Docker.

TomperWear - eCommerce Web Application

- Developed an eCommerce website for clothing essentials.
- Used Figma, React.js, Firebase, Axios for frontend; Node.js, Express.js, Cloudinary, Stripe, and MongoDB for backend.
- Created an **admin dashboard** for managing products and tracking orders.

TomperChat - Chatting Application

- Built a chat application similar to WhatsApp.
- Used React.js, Axios for frontend; Node.js, Express.js, Cloudinary, MongoDB, and Socket.io for backend.

TomperJS - Web-Framework

- Developed a web framework based on MVC architecture.
- Created **reactive views** that respond to model changes.
- Supported **user and custom events** with an **Eventing module**.