

# Umesh Kumar Pal

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## Summary

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**Frontend Developer** skilled in **React.js** and **JavaScript (ES6+)**, experienced in building responsive, API-driven web applications. Proficient in creating **reusable UI components**, integrating backend APIs, and deploying scalable solutions. Contributed to **NamasteDev** and **Hacktoberfest** open-source projects, showcasing strong problem-solving and collaboration skills. Passionate about exploring new technologies and crafting user-focused, performance-driven interfaces.

## Technical Skills

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**Languages:** JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript (Basic), SQL

**Frontend:** React.js, React Router, Framer Motion, Responsive Design, HTML5, CSS3, SCSS

**Backend & Database:** Node.js, Express.js, REST APIs, MySQL

**Tools:** Git, GitHub, Vercel, Railway, Render, Chrome DevTools

**Design Tools:** Figma (Basic UI/UX)

**Soft Skills:** Problem Solving, Adaptability, Collaboration, Attention to Detail

## Projects

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**WidgetHub** | React, SCSS, Framer Motion

[🔗 Live Demo](#) | [🔗 GitHub](#)

- Built a dynamic React-based UI component library featuring **20+ interactive** UI elements like Accordion, Load More Data, Password Generator, and more.
- Implemented a **grid card layout** with previews, descriptions, and dedicated component pages,
- Integrated React Router for smooth **navigation** and Framer Motion for engaging animations, ensuring reusable and scalable UI components.

**MovieList** | React, CSS, REST API

[🔗 Live Demo](#) | [🔗 GitHub](#)

- Developed a **movie discovery app** powered by a public REST API, displaying real-time movie details (titles, posters, descriptions).
- Enabled **search**, **favorites (localStorage)**, and **pagination** (20 items/page) for scalability and usability.
- Enhanced data fetching and state management for fast, responsive browsing across 1,000+ movies.

## Experience

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**CodeClause – Web Development Intern**

May 2025 - Jun 2025

- Designed and developed a full-stack Pet Selling System using **React.js**, **Node.js**, **Express**, and **MySQL**
- Built backend and database development for the first time, resolved critical backend issues like database connection errors and deployment crashes during setup of **Render** and **Railway**
- Delivered end-to-end functionality by integrating frontend and backend systems, ensuring reliability and scalability.

## Open Source & Community Contributions

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**NamasteDev – Practice Platform Contributor**

[🔗 View Published Challenges](#)

- Contributed 18+ coding challenges, with 8 published live and attempted by 2000+ learners and successfully solved 1700+ times

**Hacktoberfest 2025 – Open-Source Contributor**

- Contributed to **2-3 open-source projects** under Hacktoberfest by improving UI components, refining documentation, and refactoring code structure for better maintainability

## Education

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**University of Mumbai (Sept 2020 – May 2024)**

Bachelor of Engineering

## Certifications

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Responsive Web Design – FreeCodeCamp (2024), Complete Web Development Course – Udemy (2024)