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Profile

Passionate Computer Science and Engineering graduate with strong expertise in mobile development (React Native), MERN full-stack web development, and computational physics using machine learning tools. Seeking opportunities to apply technical skills to innovative projects that bridge science, engineering, and software solutions.

Certificates

ude.my/UC-7d9eb0c3-8b08-4495-9b4afd89d112cb13

Ultimate Ethical Hacking from Zero To Hero ude.my/UC-10abe61e-5a36-4eeb-9882ff12bebc0d46

Python for Deep Learning: Build Neural Networks in Python ude.my/UC-e4b3b248-5308-462a-bdc9-13975c0bb0d5

Digital Forensics Masterclass: Forensic Science 2023 DFMC+

Education

Computer Science And Engineering, Electrical and Computing School / Adama Science And Technology

2021 - 2025 | Adama, Ethiopia

Skills

Programming & Development:

University

JavaScript (ES6+), React Native, React.js, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, Python

Machine Learning —— & Physics:

Computational Physics, Data Analysis, Machine Learning libraries (NumPy, TensorFlow/PyTorch basics, SciPy)

Full-Stack Development:

MERN stack (MongoDB, Express, React, Node)

Tools & Platforms

- Development Environments: VS Code, Anaconda, Expo (for mobile apps)
- Version Control & Collaboration: Git, GitHub
- Databases: MongoDB, MySQL
- Mobile Development: Expo, React Native CLI
- Cybersecurity Tools: Wireshark, Nmap, Metasploit (basics), Burp Suite (basics), Kali Linux utilities
- Others: Postman (API testing), Linux/Unix terminal, Docker (basics)

Interests

- Chess
- music

- Reading scientific publications and keeping up with new research
- Reading

• Documentaries

Organisations

Fincha Sugar Factory,

2024 - 2025

Intern Developer/ System Admin

- Converted, updated, and maintained a 20+ year-old COBOL-based financial system.
- Ensured system reliability and continuity while modernizing key components.
- Performed debugging, testing, and optimization for critical financial operations.

INSA, cyber Talent as AV developer

2022 - 2023

- Worked on developing and testing antivirus (AV) solutions in C.
- Implemented detection mechanisms for malware and security threats.
- Gained hands-on experience with **firewall operations and configuration** on Linux systems.

Competitive Programming Division (CPD)

- Participated in university-level competitive programming contests representing ASTU.
- Solved algorithmic and computational problems using C++ and Python.
- Enhanced skills in problem solving, data structures, and algorithm design.

Cybersecurity Division - Adama Science and Technology University (ASTU) 2024 - 2025

- Participated in university cybersecurity team activities, gaining hands-on experience and deepening knowledge in security practices.
- Contributed to organizing and playing CTF (Capture The Flag) competitions.
- Delivered and assisted in **seminars and workshops** on cybersecurity topics.
- Learned advanced skills in **network security**, **system hardening**, **and practical cybersecurity tools**.

Projects

Legacy System Modernization Developer (Ongoing)

2025 - Present

- Working on converting an old 20+ year COBOL-based financial system into a modern Python-based GUI application.
- Transforming and migrating legacy data to the new system while ensuring accuracy and integrity.

Student Productivity Hub, Your ultimate platform to boost academic

performance and manage tasks efficiently.

2025

The Art of Deception Social

Engineering, Seminar Presented by me \square

• social engineering attacks and strategies to prevent online exploitation.

Mobile App Development (Ongoing)

2025 - Present

- Actively developing React Native mobile applications.
- Publishing personal projects on **GitHub** to track progress and showcase technical skills.
- Preparing to release apps on Google Play Store soon.
- Focused on clean UI/UX, performance optimization, and integrating modern mobile features.