Aitik Gupta

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EDUCATION

Indian Institute of Information Technology, Gwalior

Integrated Bachelors and Masters in Information Technology

St. Xavier's Sr. Secondary School

Central Board of Secondary Education (10th and 12th)

Madhya Pradesh, India

July 2018 - Expected May 2023

New Delhi, India

August 2004 - May 2018

Experience

Backend Engineering Intern

FamPay Inc. | Homepage | FinTech | 2M+ users

Bangaluru, India; Remote

September 2021 - January 2022

- Restructured rewards engine, optimizing turnaround time of allocation & processing of transaction rewards by 10%
- Implemented endpoints and 4 HCC entities to get user's monthly transaction summary, masked card, FVPA, etc.
- Revamped referral engine with a conditional data structure, fixing bugs in production impacting ~10k users

Google Summer of Code

Remote

NumFOCUS, $sub-org: Matplotlib \mid Project \mid Report \mid 500M + users$

June 2021 - August 2021

- Revisited library's core module to migrate from font-first to text-first approach with a caching layer, along with multi-font embedding; affecting 100% workflows (virtually the complete userbase)
- Devised a per-glyph Font-Fallback algorithm, allowing text renderer to parse further families until a glyph is found
- Handled Font-Subsetting (valuable for CJK & commercial fonts), reducing output PDF/PS document sizes by 90%

Software Engineer Intern

Pune, India; Remote

 $RapidQuest\ Solutions \mid Homepage \mid Healthcare \mid 10K + users$

July 2020 - December 2020

- Improved and integrated native cross-platform C++ codebase with Android JNI wrappers, processing with TFLite
- Built a utility to improve patients' journey by facilitating 100% online physical rehabilitation, animating 3D characters' armatures using body movements, removing redundancy in angle measurements by 80% with all

Technical Skills

Languages: Python · JavaScript · C++

Developer Tools: Linux · Git · GitHub · pip · npm · VSCode · PyCharm · Anaconda · Jekyll

Frameworks | Libraries: Django \cdot Flask \cdot GraphQL \cdot PostgreSQL \cdot MongoDB \cdot ReactJS \cdot Node.js | TFLite

Domain Knowledge: Backend Engineering · Font/Text Rendering · Machine Learning

Projects

SocioMark | FastAPI, ReactJS, MongoDB, OpenCV

April 2021

- Engineered the steganography module which embeds/decodes a unique user id (SHA) inside an image in the form of 256-bit binary digits, additionally implementing the logic behind when to encode/decode
- Defined and developed the backend endpoints, their routes, model architectures and database schema in FastAPI
- Continuously deployed the server (Heroku) and client (Netlify) with linter checks for every PR via GH-Actions

VSCode-GitHub-Projects | TypeScript, Apollo GraphQL, Svelte

March 2021

- Launched an extension that brings GitHub's Projects into Visual Studio Code with more than 7.5K downloads
- Established persistent communication by polling between WebView rendered by Svelte and GitHub GraphQL API

swi-ml | Python Library, NumPy, CuPy

February 2021

- Authored a lightweight Python library with more than 1.4K installs, implementing a subset of machine learning algorithms written from scratch - with a runtime switchable backend
- Interfaces single-core CPU accelerated backend as well as CUDA accelerated backend on multitude cores of GPU
- Pursued test-driven development to write object-oriented and clean modular code along with unit tests

Publications

ActiveNet: A computer-vision based approach to determine lethargy ACM India Joint International Conference on Data Science and Management of Data Aitik G., Aadit A. January 2021