

# Akhileshwar Sanathana

AI Engineer | LLMs, RAG Architectures & Computer Vision

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## Summary

Master's graduate in Artificial Intelligence specializing in Production-Grade RAG Systems, Computer Vision, and Cloud Infrastructure. Proven experience at BGC Partners engineering automated financial workflows and optimizing cloud pipelines. Technical expertise includes building authoritative AI agents with Redis & LangChain, fine-tuning ResNet/ViT architectures for medical imaging, and deploying scalable solutions on Azure & Kubernetes.

## Experience

### BGC - Cantor Fitzgerald

01/2024 - 07/2024

London, UK

I.T. Intern

- Engineered an automated VM approval workflow using PowerShell and JSON configurations, eliminating a 4-hour manual review process and optimizing deployment efficiency by 40%.
- Optimized Python financial data pipelines by implementing a revenue decrement flagging system; this automated alert mechanism reduced the analyst team's incident review time by 30%.
- Managed Azure Cloud infrastructure and Kubernetes clusters, streamlining server-side administration and advancing deployment workflow tools.

### Peoplelink Pvt Ltd

06/2022 - 07/2022

Hyderabad, India

Digital Marketing & Data Mining Intern

- Drove a 25% increase in departmental sales by utilizing Excel for B2B market segmentation and data analysis to identify and secure high-potential investors.
- Executed targeted product presentations at client headquarters, resulting in an additional 15% sales growth through direct corporate outreach and client acquisition.

## Education

### University of Southampton

09/2024 - 09/2025

Master's Degree

Artificial Intelligence

- Dissertation: Developed a deep learning framework combining a 1D-CNN with Conformal Prediction to provide robust heart rate estimates and calibrated uncertainty intervals from wearable PPG sensors, effectively mitigating motion artifacts.

### ICFAI University

07/2020 - 07/2024

B.Tech

Computer Science and Engineering

GPA: 7.8/10

## Projects

### Authoritative RAG with Semantic Caching

Python, Streamlit, Redis, OpenRouter API

<https://github.com/Akhil-0412/RAG-Semantic-Cacheing>

- Engineered a production-grade Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) system using Redis for vector search and L1/L2 semantic caching, reducing query latency by 98% (from ~2500ms to ~30ms).
- Implemented a strict verification pipeline that validates LLM claims against curated datasets (CDC/SEC), automatically enforcing safety disclaimers for medical and financial queries.

RAG, Redis, Semantic Caching, LLM

### Automated Brain Tumor Classification

Python, PyTorch, ResNet-50, Vision Transformers

- Achieved 99% test accuracy in classifying MRI scans by fine-tuning a ResNet-50 architecture with transfer learning.
- Implemented and benchmarked a Vision Transformer (ViT) (patch size 16x16) which reached 98% accuracy, identifying that patch-based attention effectively models global context.

Computer Vision, PyTorch, Healthcare AI

### Spider-Inspired Autonomous Robotic Weaver

Raspberry Pi, OpenCV, MQTT, Python

- Built a multi-axis robot capable of autonomously weaving web structures by integrating computer vision (HSV color space) to detect anchor points with 92% accuracy.
- Developed a distributed control architecture where a Raspberry Pi Zero 2W handles vision processing and transmits trajectory data via MQTT/TCP to a Pico 2W motion controller.

Robotics, OpenCV, IoT, MQTT

### Music Genre Classification

PyTorch, Librosa, CNNs, GANs

- Architected a CNN with Batch Normalization and RMSProp optimizer that achieved 75.25% accuracy on the GTZAN dataset, outperforming standard Fully Connected baselines by over 20%.
- Explored data augmentation using Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) to synthesize Mel-spectrograms, improving training stability.

Deep Learning, Audio Processing, GANs

### Intelligent Agent for Maritime Cargo

Python, Graph Theory, Vickrey Auctions

- Designed a bidding agent for a reverse Vickrey auction simulation, implementing a 'True Valuation' strategy that secured profitability against competing agents.

- Optimized vessel routing using an exhaustive search algorithm with heuristics, reducing computational complexity to  $O(N(\log(g)+i^2))$  by sorting fleet capabilities.

Algorithms, Game Theory, Optimization

### Discovery of Themes via Unsupervised Clustering

Python, NLTK, Scikit-learn, K-Means

- Processed the text8 corpus using NLTK and applied Truncated SVD (LSA) to reduce dimensionality to 1000 features.
- Determined optimal clusters ( $k=4$ ) using Elbow Method and Calinski-Harabasz scores to extract thematic insights.

NLP, Unsupervised Learning, Data Science

## Skills

### Languages

Python, SQL, C++, C, JavaScript (React.js)

### Machine Learning

PyTorch, TensorFlow, Scikit-Learn, OpenCV, Hugging Face, LLMs

### Cloud & DevOps

Azure, AWS, Docker, Kubernetes, Redis, GitHub Actions

### Data & Analytics

Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Excel (Advanced), Power BI

## Certifications

### Google AI Essentials

Google

Scored 90%

### GitHub Copilot Certification

GitHub

### AWS Certified

Amazon Web Services

### Artificial Intelligence Fundamentals

IBM

## Publications

### Metaverse and Blockchain Use Cases

Taylor and Francis Group

<https://doi.org/10.1201/9781003559269>

Authored a chapter on digital asset security and decentralized systems (DOI: 10.1201/9781003559269).