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# Objective

Final-year Computer Science Engineering undergraduate with a strong foundation in machine learning, data analytics, and computational methods. Focused on applying AI/ML-driven approaches to financial modeling, risk assessment, and investment analytics. My goal is to merge technical expertise with financial insight to develop intelligent systems that enhance decision-making and innovation in the modern financial industry.

#### Education

## JNTU Hyderabad, B.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering

Nov 2022 - May 2026

• CGPA: 7.98 / 10

# FIITJEE Junior College - Intermediate (Class XII), State Board, Telangana

2020 - 2022

• Percentage: 93.9%

# Class X, Sanghamitra School (CBSE)

2019 - 2020

• Percentage: 93%

## **Relevant Coursework**

**Quantitative & Computational Core:** Matrices and Calculus, Ordinary Differential Equations and Vector Calculus, Computer Orientation Statistical Methods, Discrete Mathematics, Python Programming, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence.

Financial & Economic Core: Financial Analysis, Business Economics.

# Experience

#### Machine Learning Intern, Plasmid (Remote)

Oct 2024 - Dec 2024

- Developed a data-driven fraud detection system with an interactive platform for transaction analysis.
- The system provided real-time flagging, statistical overviews, and feature influence ranking to determine factors driving transaction risk.

## Research Intern, JNTUH - Federated Machine Learning

Jan 2025 – Present

- Conducted research on Federated Learning for decentralized finance, achieving 98% accuracy in homogeneous and 96% in select heterogeneous settings.
- Utilized advanced techniques like Knowledge Distillation and Capacity Aggregation to optimize model convergence and stability.

## Research Intern - AI/ML in IoT, IIIT Hyderabad

Aug 2025 - Oct 2025

- Applied AI/ML for IoT projects at Signal Processing and Communication Research Centre (SPCRC), focusing on intelligent sensing and real-time data analysis.
- Developed custom CNN models to process raw image data, achieving high accuracy for water level detection.
- Applied Image Processing techniques on a dataset to create a virtual scale for automated water level detection and monitoring.

#### **Intern**, Launch Girls (Remote)

Sep 2022 – Nov 2022

- Worked with the Programming and Curriculum team to develop a new entrepreneurial education module.
- Conducted research and compiled pedagogical strategies and tools, and supported outreach materials.

#### Coordinator, Street Cause - JNTUH

Jul 2023 - Dec 2024

- Organized community initiatives, donation drives, and secured event sponsorships.
- Managed volunteers and helped implement large-scale social impact events across the campus.

# **Projects**

## Online Payment Fraud Detection Platform (GitHub)

2024

- Designed a fraud detection system using anomaly detection + supervised ML.
- Built front-end in React, back-end with Flask + scikit-learn integration.

## Stock Price Forecasting with Sentiment Analysis (GitHub)

2025

• Engineered a hybrid forecasting model for stock prices, integrating Deep Learning (LSTM) with real-time NLP Sentiment Analysis from financial news (Yahoo Finance/NewsAPI) to simulate and quantify investor mood impact on market prediction.

#### **Stock Price Prediction (ML)**

2023

- Built ML models (RF, XGBoost) for price prediction using financial indicators.
- Performed feature engineering and visualized trends using matplotlib/seaborn.

# **Leadership & Programs**

## Vice President, ICE Club - JNTUH

2023 – Present

- Managed events, finances, and student startup mentoring activities.
- Oversaw the conversion of the club into an officially recognized E-Cell, driving a 200%+ increase in member engagement through targeted fintech and ML-based workshops and hackathons.

# Summer School on CV & AI, IIIT Hyderabad

Jul 2024

- Attended sessions on advanced CV and ML topics by global researchers.
- Hands-on mini projects using PyTorch and computer vision datasets.

#### Certifications

- Fundamentals of Finance University of Pennsylvania (Coursera)
- Data Analysis with Python IBM (Coursera)
- Foundations of Modern Machine Learning (3 semester course) IIIT-H
- Programming for Everybody University of Michigan
- Python and Statistics for Financial Analysis The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Coursera)
- Introduction to Financial Planning and Wealth Management (Coursera)

## **Skills**

Languages: Python, C, SQL, Java

Libraries/Tools: NumPy, Pandas, scikit-learn, PyTorch Selenium, Git

Other: Financial Analysis, Time-Series Analysis, Basic Financial Modeling (Excel), Jupyter, VS Code.

# FinTech Blog: (TheDataDrivenDollar)

**TheDataDrivenDollar (Medium Blog):** A dedicated platform for breaking down Machine Learning and Deep Learning applications in finance.

I analyze and explain complex concepts such as using LSTMs for time-series forecasting, leveraging Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) for asset-relationship modeling in Portfolio Optimization, and applying Explainable AI (XAI) techniques to ensure transparency in financial risk models.